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Katie Jones, PhD currently works as a pediatric psychologist in integrated pediatric primary care with the Center for Pediatric Behavioral Health of Cleveland Clinic. She completed her doctorate in School Psychology at Tulane University. She interned in school and integrated behavioral health settings through the Illinois School Psychology Internship Consortium. Her post-doctoral training was completed through Geisinger Health Systems focusing on integrated pediatric primary care. Last year, she participated in the Emerging Leaders Program through the Pennsylvania Psychosocial Association under the mentorship of Judy Blau, PhD. She is excited for the opportunity to participate in the Leadership Development Academy this year where she will be mentored by Cathy Gay, PsyD. For her project, she plans to facilitate the use of Health and Behavior Codes by Ohio psychologists by gathering instructional resources and developing an informative presentation on code usage.

John K. Lodge, PsyD received his doctoral degree in clinical psychology from Wright State University’s School of Professional Psychology in 2013 and his license to practice in the State of Ohio in 2014. He obtained his undergraduate degree with a concentration of Biopsychology and Cognitive Science from the University of Michigan in 2007. He is currently working in independent private practice at an outpatient mental health clinic in Beavercreek, Ohio. He currently is an active member of the American Psychological Association, Ohio Psychological Association, and Dayton Area Psychological Association.

Dr. Lodge’s clinical experience includes working with adults, children, and adolescents in individual, family, and group-based therapy. He is also knowledgeable in the administration of comprehensive psychological assessments for a wide range of behavioral and psychological issues. His clinical interests include mood
disorders, anxiety disorders, trauma-based issues, adjustment and relationship problems, stress and anger management, behavioral pain management, and working with individuals of diverse multicultural backgrounds and identities. He has a strong commitment to treating the mental health needs of active service military, their families and our nation’s veterans.

**Kadian Miracle, PhD** is a licensed Clinical Health Psychologist in the state of Ohio. She is currently a staff psychologist at Denison University in Granville, OH. In this role she provides individual counseling, and crisis management and suicide risk assessments to undergraduate students, creates and implements outreach workshops and programs to the campus community, and consults with parents, faculty and staff regarding student issues. Dr. Miracle earned her doctorate in Clinical Health Psychology from Ohio University in 2015, and has worked in numerous settings including university counseling centers at The Ohio State University and Ohio University, as well as in community and medical clinics. Her clinical interests include chronic illness management in the student population, working with students of color, first-generation college students, LGBTQIA+ issues, trauma, and the cultural adjustment of international and immigrant students. Dr. Miracle is a certified Dancing Mindfulness instructor through The Institute for Creative Mindfulness and is passionate about the use of creative processes such as movement as pathways for promoting healing, awareness and personal growth. She is a member of the Ohio Psychological Association (OPA), and is the current chair of the JED Foundation Healthy Campus Project Team at Denison University.

**Jeeseon Park-Saltzman, PhD** is a licensed psychologist who is currently working at the Counseling and Consultation Service (CCS) at the Ohio State University. In the past 15 years, she has worked as a clinician, supervisor, teacher, and researcher in clinical and academic settings. She received her PhD in Counseling Psychology from Pennsylvania State University. She completed her pre-doctoral internship and clinical fellowship at CCS. She also worked as a faculty member in the Counseling Psychology program at McGill University in Canada. Dr. Park-Saltzman is integrative in her approach to therapy, drawing upon interpersonal, existential, multicultural, feminist, and mindfulness-based approaches. Her professional interest include grief and loss issues, cultural adjustment of international students and immigrants, use of mindfulness approach in therapy, spirituality issues, gender socialization, and mentoring and supervision in professional psychology.

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Brittany Sommers, PhD received her doctorate in Counseling Psychology from Andrews University. She has experience working with diverse clients in community and university settings. Currently, she is a psychologist at Cleveland State University’s Counseling Center where she offers individual and couples therapy, coordinates the group offerings, and provides training and supervision. She also sees clients at DeBalzo, Elgudin, Levine, Risen LLC in Beachwood, Ohio, which specializes in treating sexual concerns. Her clinical interests include emotion regulation, mood disorders, relational concerns, nonsuicidal self-injury, sexuality, and trauma. She has conducted research on the topics of distress tolerance, self-injurious behaviors, and religious identity formation. She is a member of OPA’s Early Career Committee and is membership chair for the Cleveland Psychological Association. Her favorite things to do in northeast Ohio are spending time with family, bicycling in the Cuyahoga Valley National Parks, and exploring local events.

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