

Jose Artecona MD
1440 Canal Street, TB-53
New Orleans, LA 70112-2715
(504) 988-2201 (w) (504) 289-8652 (c)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

July 2004 to Present. Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Division of Forensic Neuropsychiatry, Tulane University School of Medicine

August 2015 to July 2020. Fellowship Director for the Fellowship in Forensic Psychiatry in the department of Forensic Psychiatry, Tulane University School of Medicine

July 2004 to Present. Unit Director/Staff Psychiatrist
Oakcrest Competency Restoration Unit
Forensic Division, Eastern Louisiana Mental Health Systems, Jackson, LA

April 2009 to Present. Director of Psychiatric Services, St. Christopher's Addiction Wellness Center, Baton Rouge, LA

June 2021 to Present. Medical Director at The Grove Recovery Center in Baton Rouge and Sorrento.

December 2018 to June 2021. Staff psychiatrist at Orleans Justice Center, New Orleans, LA

July 2004 to Present. Involved in civil and criminal evaluations across Louisiana, Alabama, and Mississippi. Have served as an expert witness in various state parishes including East Baton Rouge, West Baton Rouge, Caddo, Orleans, Tangipahoa, St. Helena, Ouachita, Jefferson, and Livingston, as well as in various Alabama parishes

July 2003 to June 30, 2004. Tulane Medical Center
Completed a Fellowship in Forensic Psychiatry

July 1999 to June 2003. Tulane Medical Center
Completed Residency in General Psychiatry

June 2001 to present:
Staff Privileges at the Medical Center of Louisiana

July 2002 to June 2010:
Staff Privileges at, Greenwell Springs Hospital and Earl K. Long Hospital

July 2003 to August 2005:

Staff Privileges at Veterans Administration Hospital of New Orleans

July 2003 to June 2004:

Staff Privileges at Southeast Louisiana State Hospital

August 2002 to August 2003: Addiction Recovery Resources of New Orleans. Staff Psychiatrist

1990-1995: New Life Substance Abuse Inc, Miami, Florida.
Clinical Director Outpatient Programs

1987-1990: Harbor View Hospital, Miami, Florida.
Dual Diagnosis and Addictions Counselor

QUALIFICATIONS

Board Certified in General Psychiatry June 2004, recertified 2014
Board Certified in Forensic Psychiatry April 2005, recertified April 2015
Certified by the American Society of Addiction Medicine February 2005
Certified by the American Board of Addiction Medicine April 2009,
recertified in 2014
Certified in Addiction Medicine by the American Board of Medical
Specialties in January 2018
Licensed to practice medicine in Louisiana, License #024719,
Alabama, License #36324, and Mississippi, License 33802

EDUCATION

University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine, San Juan Puerto Rico
Doctor of Medicine, August 1995 to June 1999. Magna Cum Laude

Florida International University, Miami, Florida
Completed Medical Education Pre-requisites August 1992- June 1995

Florida International University, Miami, Florida
Graduate Studies in Counseling Psychology August 1990- June 1992

University of Miami, Miami, Florida
Completed Program in Addiction Studies, August 1989- June 1990
Certified Associate Addiction Professional in Florida (lapsed)

Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pennsylvania
Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies August 1977- January 1982

HONORS AND AFFILIATIONS

Robert C. Lancaster Award for most caring graduating resident in psychiatry. June 2004

Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society since May 1999

Member of the Orleans Parish Medical Society monitoring committee for impaired physicians from 2001-2003

Member of Louisiana State Medical Society, Baton Rouge Psychiatric Society, American Society of Addiction Medicine, American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, the American Medical Association, and the American Psychiatric Association

American Medical Student Association Officer throughout medical school

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

The Beatrice 6: False Confessions, False Memories, Failed Justice.
Presented at the Tulane Forensic Psychiatry Symposium on April 15, 2023

The Beatrice 6: False Confessions, False Memories, Failed Justice.
Presented at Tulane Grand Rounds on November 18, 2022

Bias, Heuristics, and the Deceptive Mind: Thinking about Thinking.
Grand Rounds presented at Tulane University Department of Psychiatry on May 1, 2020

Forensic Issues in Clinical Practice. Presented, along with John Thompson MD, Thomas Recore MD, Finn Perkins MD, and Joseph Maxwell MS IV, at the Louisiana Psychiatric Medical Association 2019 meeting in New Orleans, LA on February 15, 2019

Synthetic Cannabinoids, Cathinones, and Research Chemicals—An Update on Designer Drugs. Presented, along with my fellow Dr. Thomas Oden, during the Tulane Department of Forensic Psychiatry's French Quarter Festival Symposium "Difficult Topics in Forensic Mental Health", New Orleans LA, April 10-11, 2015

The Impaired Physician: Identification, Treatment and Legal Challenges. Presented during the Tulane Department of Forensic Psychiatry's French Quarter Festival Symposium "Forensic Psychiatry: From Sexual Sadism to Maternal/Fetal Rights", New Orleans LA, April 11-13, 2014

Thompson JW, Artecona J, Boudreaux J. "Medical Malpractice, Psychiatry." Encyclopedia of Forensic and Legal Medicine. Edited by Payne-James J, Byard R, Cory T, Henderson C., 2015

Competence to Stand Trial Evaluations. Presented as part of the 19th JDC Mental Health CLE, directed by Judge Donald Johnson, May 23, 2014

Competence to Stand Trial Evaluations. Presented during the Tulane Department of Forensic Psychiatry's French Quarter Festival Symposium "Forensic Psychiatry: Back to Basics", New Orleans, April 9-11, 2011

White-Collar Psychopaths. Presented during the Tulane Department of Forensic Psychiatry's French Quarter Festival Symposium "The Many Faces of Antisocial Personality Disorder", New Orleans LA, April 17-19, 2009

Manguno-Mire GM, Thompson JW, Shore JH, Croy CD, Artecona JF, Pickering JW. "The Use of Telemedicine to Evaluate Legal Competence: A Preliminary Randomized Controlled Study." Journal of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law 35(4): 481-90, September 2007

Thompson JW, Artecona J, Bora B. "Medical Malpractice, Psychiatry." Encyclopedia of Forensic and Legal Medicine. Edited by Payne-James J, Byard R, Cory T, Henderson C., published in June 2005

Bipolar Illness and Rock and Roll. Presented at the annual meeting of the Louisiana Psychiatric Medical Association in Destin, FL, on April 2005

Madness and Creativity. Presented during the Tulane Department of Forensic Psychiatry's French Quarter Festival Symposium "Forensic Psychiatry Looks at Sex, Drugs and Rock 'n Roll", New Orleans LA, April 16-18, 2004

LECTURES FOR FELLOWSHIP AND RESIDENTS

Roles, Responsibilities, and Ethics of a Forensic Psychiatrist

Forensic Issues in Substance Abuse

Voluntary and Involuntary Hospitalization

Suicide, Assessment and Evaluation

Spirituality

The Impaired Physician

Law and the Mental Health Professions: An uneasy alliance

Human Sexuality

The Insanity Defense

Psychiatric Sequelae of Carbon Monoxide Poisoning

Geriatric Psychopharmacology
Adjudicative Capacity Evaluations
Civil Competencies
Competence to Stand Trial Evaluations
Assessment of Malingering
Psychopathy and Dangerousness
Psychiatric Disability Determinations and Personal Injury Litigation