

Curriculum Vitae: Ashley H. VanDercar, MD, JD

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Education

School:	University of South Florida
Degree:	Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy Bachelor of Science in Biology
Dates:	August 1999 – August 2004
School:	Florida International University College of Law
Degree:	Juris Doctor
Dates:	August 2006 – May 2009
School:	University of Miami Miller School of Medicine
Degree:	Doctor of Medicine
Dates:	July 2012 – May 2016

Post-Graduate Training

Institution:	University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center / Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine Cleveland, Ohio
Position:	Adult Psychiatry Resident
Dates:	July 2016 – June 2020
Institution:	University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center / Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine Cleveland, Ohio
Position:	Forensic Psychiatry Fellow
Dates:	July 2020 – June 2021

Faculty Appointments

Institution:	University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center / Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine Department of Psychiatry
Position:	Assistant Professor
Dates:	September 2021 – present
Institution:	University of Akron School of Law
Position:	Senior Lecturer (adjunct; spring semesters)
Dates:	January 2022 – present

Institution: Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine
Position: Clinical Assistant Professor
Dates: January 2023 – December 2024

Institution: University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center /
Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine
Position: Associate Director, Forensic Psychiatry Fellowship
Dates: July 2024 – present

Institution: Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine
Position: Clinical Associate Professor
Dates: December 2024 – June 2026

Employment

Employer: Self-employed
Position: Private practice, forensic psychiatry
Dates: January 2024 – present

Employer: Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare
Northfield, Ohio
Position: Staff Psychiatrist
Dates: August 2021 – present

Employer: St. Vincent Charity Medical Center
Cleveland, Ohio
Position: Psychiatrist (moonlighting position)
Dates: July 2018 – April 2020

Employer: Tampa Pain Clinic, LLC
Tampa, Florida
Position: In-house Counsel, Risk Manager
Dates: 2009 – 2012

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

Name of Board: Florida Bar
Date of Certificate: 9/23/2009 – present
State/Number: Florida / 70984

Name of Board: State Medical Board of Ohio
Date of Certificate: 4/11/2018 – 10/1/2027
State/Number: Ohio / 35.133643

Name of Board: Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs
Date of Certificate: 6/20/2025 – 12/31/2026
State/Number: Pennsylvania / MD490834C

Name of Board: Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure
Date of Certificate: 8/27/2025 – 2/27/2027
State/Number: Kentucky / C4506

Name of Board: New Mexico Medical Board
Date of Certificate: 10/8/2025 – 7/1/2029
State/Number: New Mexico / MD2025-1110

Name of Board: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology
Psychiatry
Date of Certificate: 9/14/2020
Certificate Number: 78220

Name of Board: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology
Forensic Psychiatry
Date of Certificate: 11/15/2021
Certificate Number: 2662

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Name of Organization: National Threat Evaluation and Reporting Program
U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Basic Threat Evaluation & Reporting Course
Date of Certificate: 4/29/2025

HONORS AND AWARDS

American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law Rappeport Fellow	2019
Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry Cotswold-Looney Fellow	2019 – 2020

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Ohio Psychiatric Physicians Association, Member	2017 – present
American Psychiatric Association, Member	2017 – present
American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Member	2017 – present

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Editorial Board:

Journal:	Journal of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Dates of Service:	2022 – 2028

Board Review Course:

Institution:	American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Position:	Board Review Course Faculty
Dates:	April 2026 – present

COMMITTEE SERVICE

National

Organization:	American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role:	Judicial Action Committee / Member
Dates of Service:	2017 – present
Organization:	American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role:	Addictions Committee / Member
Dates of Service:	2018 – present
Organization:	Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry
Committee/Role:	Work and Organizations Committee, Fellow Board of Directors, Fellow Representative
Dates of Service:	2019 – 2020

Organization: American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role: Membership Engagement, Recruitment, Retention (Task Force)
Dates of Service: 2021 – 2022

Organization: American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role: Early Career Councilor
Dates of Service: 2022 – 2023

Organization: American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role: Women's Committee / Member
Dates of Service: 2022 – present

Organization: American Psychiatric Association
Committee/Role: Guttmacher Award Selection Committee / Member
Dates of Service: 2022 – 2028

Organization: American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role: Councilor
Dates of Service: 2024 – 2026

Organization: American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role: AI in Forensics (Task Force Member)
Dates of Service: 2025 – 2026

Organization: American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
Committee/Role: Maintenance of Certification Committee
Dates of Service: 2025 – present

Local

Organization: Ohio Psychiatric Physicians Association
Committee/Role: Committee on Forensics / Member
Dates of Service: 2021 – present

Hospital Affiliate

Organization: Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare
Committee/Role: Medical Executive Committee / Member
Dates of Service: 2023 – present

Educational

Committee/Role:	University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center Adult Psychiatry Residency, Recruitment Committee Co-Chair
Dates of Service:	2018 – 2019
Committee/Role:	University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center Adult Psychiatry Residency, Core Chief
Dates of Service:	2019 – 2020

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

Invited Speaking Engagements

1. Boundaries: How Close is Too Close? Presentation at Psych Congress, Elevate; Las Vegas, NV. **Ashley VanDercar**. 2022.
2. How to Navigate the Ethics of Diagnostic Uncertainty. Presentation at Psych Congress, Elevate; Las Vegas, NV. **Ashley VanDercar**. 2024.
3. Delusions and Criminal Behavior: Reality is in the Eye of the Beholder. Presentation at Psych Congress; San Diego, CA. **Ashley VanDercar**. 2025.
4. Mental Illness in the Criminal Justice System. Virtual Grand Rounds at the Louis Stokes Cleveland VA Medical Center. **Ashley VanDercar**. 2026.
5. When Symptoms are Questioned: Assessing Malingering and Factitious Disorders. Presentation at Psych Congress; New Orleans, LA. **Ashley VanDercar**. 2026.

National Presentations

1. Psychiatry in the Hot-Seat – Excelling at Direct and Cross-Examination. Symposium at the American Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting; New York City, NY. Stephen Noffsinger, Jennifer Piel, James Knoll, **Ashley VanDercar**. 2018.
2. Recent Cases and Why They Matter. Panel Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Austin, TX. **Ashley VanDercar**, Charles Scott, Stephen Noffsinger, Jennifer Piel, Jacqueline Landess, Adrienne Saxton, Loretta Sonnier, Elie Aoun. 2018.
3. Covert Audio Recording of the Forensic Psychiatric Interview. Debate at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; San Francisco, CA. Stephen Noffsinger, **Ashley VanDercar**, Sara West, Brian Barnett. 2019.

4. You've Been Subpoenaed. Keep Calm – Here's How to Testify Like An Expert. General Session at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; San Francisco, CA. **Ashley VanDercar**, Stephen Noffsinger. 2019.
5. Will My Patient be the Next Mass Shooter? Mastering Risk Assessment and Minimizing Liability. General Session at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; San Francisco, CA. Adrienne Saxton, Sara West, Philip Saragoza, **Ashley VanDercar**, Stephen Noffsinger. 2019.
6. 50 Years Post-Powell: Addiction and Culpability. Workshop at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Baltimore, MD. **Ashley VanDercar**, Elie Aoun, Abhishek Jain, Corina Freitas. 2019.
7. Recent Cases and Why They Matter. Panel Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Baltimore, MD. William Darby, Robert Weinstock, Charles Scott, Jennifer Piel, **Ashley VanDercar**, Adrienne Saxton, Eleanor Vo. 2019.
8. A Crash Course in Law ... To Let You Focus on the Patient, Instead of Liability. General Session at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting (virtual session; pre-recorded). **Ashley VanDercar**, Megan Testa. 2020.
9. The Times They Are A'Changin': The Impact of the Internet on Psychiatry in the Era of COVID-19. Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry, Plenary Presentation (virtual session; live via Zoom). **Ashley VanDercar**, Michael Mensah, Robyn Thom, Rachel Zettl, Matthew Edwards, Clifford Arnold, et al. 2020.
10. Boards, Bullies, and Bogus Peer Review: Understanding and Managing Professional Risks. General Session at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; New Orleans, LA. Brian Holoyda, Jacqueline Landess, **Ashley VanDercar**. 2022.
11. Cult Leaders: The Fine Line between Mental Illness and Opportunism. General Session at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; San Francisco, CA. **Ashley VanDercar**, Susan Hatters Friedman, Lawrence Belcher, Karen Rosenbaum. 2023.
12. Surviving and Thriving Under Cross Examination. General Session at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; San Francisco, CA. Stephen Noffsinger, **Ashley VanDercar**. 2023.
13. Balancing Life, Trauma and Bias to Do Our Best Work. Workshop Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Chicago, IL. Sarah Baker, Jacqueline Landess, **Ashley VanDercar**, Matthew Edwards, Cathleen Cerny-Suelzer. 2023.

14. Your Bite at the AAPL: Help Shape our Organization's Future. Workshop Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Chicago, IL. Abhishek Jain, Ariana Nesbit, Britta Ostermeyer, **Ashley VanDercar**, Tobias Wasser. 2023.
15. Drugs in "Controlled" Settings. Panel Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Chicago, IL. **Ashley VanDercar**, Abhishek Jain, Sanya Virani, Joseph Penn. 2023.
16. The Legal versus Moral Wrongfulness Dilemma in Criminal Responsibility Evaluations. Workshop Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Vancouver, BC. Stephen Noffsinger, **Ashley VanDercar**, Monika Pietrzak, James Zinko. 2024.
17. School Shooters: The Role of Clinicians in Attempting to Forestall Tragedy. Panel Presentation at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; Los Angeles, CA. **Ashley VanDercar**, Charles Scott, Chandler Hicks. 2025.
18. Are they the Next School Shooter? Breaking the Silo to Assess Risk. Webinar for the Association of Professionals Solving the Abuse of Children, in partnership with The New York Foundling; Webinar Series on Controversial Topics. **Ashley VanDercar**. 2025.
19. Distinguishing Methamphetamine Induced Psychosis from Primary Psychosis: Techniques, Relevance, and Challenges. Workshop Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Boston, MA. Christopher Marett, Jason Barrett, **Ashley VanDercar**, Edward Lewis, Gregory Iannuzzi. 2025.
20. Psychological Autopsy: Suicide or Accident? Debate at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Boston, MA. Stephen Noffsinger, **Ashley VanDercar**, Ashley Maestas, Samuel Rosenblatt. 2025.
21. School Shooters: The Strengths and Limits of the Forensic Assessment. Panel Presentation at the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Annual Meeting; Boston, MA. **Ashley VanDercar**, Phillip Resnick, Peter Ash. 2025.
22. Heuristics in Psychiatry: Jumping to Conclusions or Expert Intuition? Panel Presentation at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; San Francisco, CA. **Ashley VanDercar**, Ashley Maestas, Tinsley Grimes. 2026.
23. Psychiatric Malpractice: A Primer for the General Psychiatrist. Panel Presentation at the American Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting; San Francisco, CA. **Ashley VanDercar**, Sara Abell. 2026.

Local Presentations

1. Nonconvulsive Status Epilepticus After Electroconvulsive Therapy: Cases and Clinical Recommendations. Poster Presentation at the Cleveland Consultation-Liaison Society. **Ashley VanDercar**, Awais Aftab, Ayham Alkhachroum, Christine LaGrotta, Keming Gao. 2018.
2. Mental Health Crises and the Role of Psychiatrists When Interfacing with the Police. Ohio Psychiatric Physicians Association, Virtual Psychiatric Update (via Zoom). Megan Testa, Richard Jackson, **Ashley VanDercar**. 2021.
3. Involuntary Psychiatric Hospitalization: When is Someone Mentally Ill Enough? Virtual Grand Rounds for the Department of Psychiatry at the University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center, Case Western Reserve University. **Ashley VanDercar**. 2021.
4. Mock Trial: A Case of Malingering. Special Presentation for the Ohio Department of Behavioral Health, at Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare. Joy Stankowski, **Ashley VanDercar**, Stephen Noffsinger. 2021.
5. Violence Risk Assessments: How to Balance Fear, Confidentiality and the Duty to Protect. Wisconsin Psychiatric Association, Annual Meeting (via Zoom). **Ashley VanDercar**. 2022.
6. Forensic Psych 101. Cleveland Bar Association (via Zoom). **Ashley VanDercar**, Cortney Kohberger, John Fabian. 2024.
7. Overview of Mental Illness with a Focus on Understanding Psychosis. Criminal Justice Coordinating Center of Excellence / Ohio Department of Behavioral Health – Achieving Better Outcomes for People with Mental Illness in the Criminal Justice System: An Attorney’s Guide (A Training for Public Defenders/Assigned Counsel that Work with People with Mental Illnesses and Co-occurring Disorders) (via Zoom, two times). Debra Hrouda, **Ashley VanDercar**. 2024 - 2025.
8. Legal Update: Mental Health Case Law and Legislation and the Implications for Courts, Clinicians and Forensic Monitors. Panel Presentation for the Ohio Department of Behavioral Health, Forensic Mental Health Conference; Columbus, OH. Stephen Noffsinger, **Ashley VanDercar**, Joy Stankowski. 2025.

Academic Teaching (to clinicians)

1. Primer on the Terminology and Concepts Needed to Understand American Case Law (one-hour lecture). University of Miami. Presented to forensic psychiatry fellows. 2016.
2. Urine Drug Screens and the Many Ways They Can Be Misinterpreted (thirty-minute lecture). University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center. Presented to first- and second-year psychiatry residents. 2017.

3. Bipolar Disorder Criteria and Phenomenology (one-hour lecture, co-presented with Joseph Calabrese). University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center. Presented to first- and second-year psychiatry residents. 2018.
4. Note Writing Primer, Emphasizing Storytelling and Professionalism (one-hour lecture). University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center. Presented to first-year psychiatry residents. 2018.
5. Psychiatry – An Introduction (one-hour lecture). Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to third-year medical students. 2019.
6. Note Writing 101 (one-hour lecture). University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center. Presented to first-year psychiatry residents. 2019.
7. Psych Rocks, Note Writing Workshop (one-hour lecture). University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center. Presented to first-year psychiatry residents. 2019.
8. Psych Rocks, Bipolar Disorder (one-hour lecture). University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center. Presented to first- and second-year psychiatry residents. 2019.
9. The Art of History Taking: What Lies Beneath (one-hour lecture, co-presented with representatives from the Department of Internal Medicine). University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center. Presented to internal medicine residents and fellows. 2019.
10. Suicide and Violence Risk Assessments (one-hour lecture, presented six times, virtually). Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to third-year medical students. 2020-2022.
11. Expert Witness Testimony for Clinicians.
 - a. Presented once virtually, for MetroHealth's second-year psychiatry residents (forty-five-minute lecture). 2022.
 - b. Presented twice virtually and once in person, for the Cleveland Clinic Foundation's third- and/or fourth-year psychiatry residents (one-hour lecture). 2024.
 - c. Presented four times, twice virtually and twice in person, for University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center's fourth-year psychiatry residents (forty-five-minute lecture). 2021-2025.
12. Civil Commitment for Clinicians.
 - a. Presented twice to medical students and psychiatry residents rotating at Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare (ninety-minute lecture). 2022-2023.
 - b. Presented twice, once virtually and once in person, for the Cleveland Clinic Foundation's third- and fourth-year psychiatry residents (one-hour lecture). 2023-2025.

- c. Presented twice virtually for the Cleveland Clinic Foundation's first-year psychiatry residents (eighty-minute and two-hour lecture). 2024-2025.
13. Outpatient Malpractice.
- a. Presented three times virtually and three times in person, for the University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center's third- and/or fourth-year psychiatry residents (one-hour lecture). 2021-2026.
 - b. Presented once in person, for the MetroHealth second-, third-, and fourth-year psychiatry residents (one-hour lecture). 2025.
14. Prisoner Rights (ninety-minute lecture, presented six times). Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare / Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to medical students, residents, and forensic psychiatry fellows. 2021-2026.
15. Competence to Stand Trial (fifty-minute lecture, presented three times virtually). The Cleveland Clinic Foundation. Presented to the second-year adult psychiatry residents. 2022-2024.
16. The Americans with Disabilities Act (ninety-minute lecture, presented four times). Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare / Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to medical students, residents, and forensic psychiatry fellows. 2022-2025.
17. Introduction to Forensic Psychiatry (fifty-minute lecture, presented once virtually). The Cleveland Clinic Foundation. Presented to the child and adolescent psychiatry fellows. 2023.
18. Law and Legal Processes (three-hour lecture, presented three times). Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare / Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to medical students, residents, and forensic psychiatry fellows. 2023-2025.
19. Introduction to Forensic Psychiatry (two-hour lecture, presented twice alongside Susan Hatters Friedman). Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to the Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine Psychiatry Interest Group. 2024-2025.
20. Working at a State Hospital.
- a. Presented twice, for the Cleveland Clinic Foundation's third-year psychiatry residents (thirty-minute lecture). 2024-2026.
 - b. Presented once, for the University Hospitals' third-year psychiatry residents (thirty-minute lecture). 2025.
 - c. Presented once in person, for the MetroHealth second-, third-, and fourth-year psychiatry residents (thirty-minute lecture). 2025.

21. Overview of Tort Law (two-and-a-half-hour lecture, presented twice). Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare / Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to medical students, residents, and forensic psychiatry fellows. 2024-2025.
22. Capacity and Competence (one-hour lecture, presented twice). Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Presented to medical students. 2025-2026.
23. Report Writing (one-hour workshop, as part of three-part mock trial series). Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare. Presented to medical students, residents, forensic psychiatry fellows, and hospital staff. 2026.

Academic Teaching (to non-clinicians)

1. Crisis Intervention Training: Adults with Mental Illness.
 - a. Presented eighteen times on behalf of the Alcohol Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Board of Cuyahoga County to police officers from the City of Cleveland (with DOJ monitoring; two-hour lecture). 2020-2026.
 - b. Presented once on behalf of the Alcohol Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Board of Cuyahoga County, virtually, to community police officers (two-hour lecture). 2021.
2. Civil Commitment for Attorneys.
 - a. Presented once as a guest lecturer for the University of Akron School of Law, to second- and third-year law students in the Psychiatry & The Law Course (forty-five-minute lecture). 2021.
 - b. Presented five times as a guest lecturer for the Case Western Reserve University School of Law, to second- and third-year law students in the Psychiatry & The Law Course (forty-five-minute lecture). 2021-2026.
 - c. Presented five times as a senior lecturer for the University of Akron School of Law, to second- and third-year law students, while co-teaching a semester-long Psychiatry & The Law Course (ninety-minute lecture). 2022-2026.
3. Sexual Deviance (one-hour lecture, presented four times as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2022-2026.
4. Criminal and Civil Competencies (two-hour lecture, presented five times as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2022-2026.
5. Stalking (one-hour lecture, presented three times as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2022-2024.
6. Working with Clients Who Have Mental Illness (one-hour lecture, presented four times as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2022-2025.

7. Expert Witness Testimony and Cross-Examination of the Psychiatric Expert, for Attorneys (one-hour lecture, presented twice as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2023-2024.
8. The History and Basics of Psychiatry (two-hour lecture, presented three times as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2023-2025.
9. Overview of Psychiatric Symptoms and Disorders (two-hour lecture, presented three times as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2023-2025.
10. Duty to Protect.
 - a. Presented twice as a guest lecturer for the Case Western Reserve University School of Law, to second- and third-year law students in the Psychiatry & The Law Course (ninety-minute lecture). 2024-2025.
 - b. Presented twice as a senior lecturer for the University of Akron School of Law, to second- and third-year law students in the Psychiatry & The Law Course (ninety-minute lecture). 2025-2026.
11. The Insanity Defense.
 - a. Presented twice as a senior lecturer for the University of Akron School of Law, to second- and third-year law students in the Psychiatry & The Law Course (two-hour lecture). 2025-2026.
 - b. Presented twice as a guest lecturer for the Case Western Reserve University School of Law, to second- and third-year law students in the Psychiatry & The Law Course (two-hour lecture). 2024-2025.
12. Malingering (ninety-minute lecture, presented once as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2025.
13. Psychiatric Damages and Disability (thirty-minute lecture, presented twice as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2025-2026.
14. Competence to Stand Trial (two-hour lecture, presented once as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2026.
15. Capacity and Consent (ninety-minute lecture, presented once as a senior lecturer). Psychiatry & The Law Course; University of Akron School of Law. 2026.

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Peer Reviewed Articles

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2. Aftab A, **VanDercar AH**, Alkhachroum A, LaGrotta C, Gao K. Nonconvulsive Status Epilepticus After Electroconvulsive Therapy: A Review of Literature. *Psychosomatics*. 2018;59(1):36-46. doi.org/10.1016/j.psym.2017.07.005.
3. **VanDercar AH**, Resnick PJ. The Insanity Defense: Historical Precedent and Modern Application. *Psychiatr Ann*. 2018;48(2):95-101. doi.org/10.3928/00485713-20180105-01.
4. Lamoureux IC, **VanDercar AH**, Resnick PJ. The California Supreme Court Holds That Colleges Have a Special Relationship with Their Students and a Resultant Duty to Protect Students, During Curricular Activities, from Foreseeable Violence. *J Am Acad Psychiatry Law*. 2018;46(4):554-556. doi.org/10.29158/JAAPL.3797L10-18.
5. **VanDercar AH**. Normalizing the Legal History. *Am J Psychiatry Resid J*. 2020;15(4):6. doi.org/10.1176/appi.ajp-rj.2020.150403.
6. **VanDercar AH**, Whaley GL, Hawks EM, Ostermeyer BK. The Role of Mental Health in the Aftermath of Terrorism. *Psychiatr Ann*. 2020;50(9):382-396. doi.org/10.3928/00485713-20200805-01.
7. **VanDercar AH**, Resnick PJ. Tips for Testifying in Court. *Psychiatric Times*. 2020;37(9):26-27.
8. **VanDercar AH**, Bruce NB. Due Process and the Implications for Fitness for Duty Evaluations Predicated on Psychological Data. *J Am Acad Psychiatry Law*. 2021;49(4):634-636. doi.org/10.29158/jaapl.210127L2-21.
9. **VanDercar AH**, Pietrzak M, Resnick PJ. How to Assess the Malpractice Risk of a Brief "Med Check" Appointment Structure. *Current Psychiatry*. 2022;21(8):26-30. doi.org/10.12788/cp.0276.
10. Maskrey C, **VanDercar AH**. Chain-of-Causation Test Determines Compensability of an Employee's Suicide in New Hampshire. *J Am Acad Psychiatry Law*. 2022;50(4):651-652. doi.org/10.29158/jaapl.220088L1-22.
11. Scott JA, **VanDercar AH**. Neuropsychiatric Factors in a Postconviction Appeal of a Death Sentence. *J Am Acad Psychiatry Law*. 2023;51(4):583-585. doi.org/10.29158/jaapl.230094-23.
12. Pietrzak M, **VanDercar AH**. Inferring the Applicable Standard of Care in a Medical Expert Affidavit. *J Am Acad Psychiatry Law*. 2024;52(4):502-504. doi.org/10.29158/JAAPL.240092L3-24.

13. **VanDercar AH**, Resnick PJ. School Shooters: Troubled Teens or Cold-Blooded Killers? *Psychiatric Times*. 2025;42(1):1,14-15.
14. **VanDercar AH**, Resnick PJ. Violence Risk Factors in Psychiatric Populations. *Focus*. 2026;24(1):2-9. doi.org/10.1176/appi.focus.20250028.
15. Ellis G, **VanDercar AH**. Appellate Review of Competence to Stand Trial. *J Am Acad Psychiatry Law*. 2026;54(1):94-95. doi.org/10.29158/JAAPL.250084-25.
16. Resnick PJ, **VanDercar AH**. Confirmation Bias: An Enemy of Objectivity in Forensic Mental Health Assessments. *J Legal Med*. 2026 (in press).
17. **VanDercar AH**. Clinical Review: Malingering Assessments: The Importance of Caution and Empathy. *Psych Congress Journal*. 2026 (in press).

Non-Peer Reviewed Articles

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2. **VanDercar AH**. Banning Dispensing Not a Substitute for Drug Database. *Tampa Bay Medical News*. April 2011, at 8.
3. **VanDercar AH**, Del Valle R. Poison Control: When Should You Call ... And Why? *South Florida Hospital News*. Sept. 2014, at 7.
4. **VanDercar AH**, Wobbe H. Applying Lessons Learned on the Wards to the Residency Match. *Ohio Psychiatric Physicians Association Newsletter: Insight Matters*. 2019;44(2):19.
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7. **VanDercar AH**. Case Summary: *Kahler v. Kansas*. American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law Board Review Course, Landmark Case Summaries. 2020.
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12. **VanDercar AH.** Q&A: Setting Boundaries Benefits Both Clinician and Patient. *Psych Congress Network*. 2022. Available at: <https://www.hmpgloballearningnetwork.com/site/pcn/qas/setting-boundaries-benefits-both-clinician-and-patient>
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