

Pre-Approved Therapists

Following is a list of therapists that the Gestalt Center has approved for our students to see. (Date of this Report: July 2020)
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Faculty

Name	Office	Phone #	E-mail	Comments	In-Network Insurance
Joseph Barbuto, M.D.	945 Fifth Ave, Ste. 5 New York, NY 10021	212-724-7366	j.barbutomd@verizon.net		
Michelle Billies, LCSW	37 E 28 th Street St. 408 New York, NY 10017	917-763-8219	mbillies@gmail.com	Culturally-diverse clients on issues such as relationships, work, anger, bi-polar disorder, anxiety, family mental illness, LGBT, transgender & non-conforming communities & polyamory. Social justice perspective.	NOT TAKING NEW CLIENTS AT THIS TIME
M'Lou Caring, Ph. D.	113 University Place, 9th floor, NY NY 10003	917-843-9094	MLouC@aol.com	No hours past 5:15 pm. Sliding scale for students	
Ina Grix, LP	Tue/Wed: 37 East 28 th St., #408 New York, NY Mon: 618 E 21st St, Brooklyn NY 11226, off Newkirk Plaza (Q train)	303-324-2299	inagalina@gmail.com		
Kathryn Grooms, LCSW-R	49 West 24 th Street Suite 607 New York, NY 10010	347-752-1157	Kathryn@kathryngrooms.com	Specialties: substance abuse, trauma, sexuality, depression	
Naaz Hosseini, LP	15 Prospect Street Nyack, NY 10960 Columbia University 120th St. # Broadway	O: 845-353-1974	naaz@naazhosseini.com		
Rosary Immordino, LP	Office 1: Jackson Heights, NY Office: 37 E 28 th Street St. 408 New York, NY 10017	718-507-6843	rosaryzap@aol.com	Specialties: Adults, couples, OCD, Social Anxiety Disorder, pet bereavement. Sliding scale for Gestalt Center students.	
Ken Meyer, Ph.D.		516-909-8725	kdocmeyer@gmail.com		
Lenore Migdal, Ph. D.	245 W. 107 th St., 16C New York, NY 10025	H: 212-662-4356 O: 212-865-4102	leni245@aol.com	Specialties: Adolescents, parenting, families, couples, adult children of Holocaust survivors, depression. Working with older people and end of life issues, Sliding scale for students	
Shelley E. Orren-King, LCSW-R	37 E 28 th St. #408 New York, NY 10017 <i>Home:</i> 50 Sequoia Place Wayne, N.J. 07470	H: 973-831-8938 C: 646-831-5272	shelleyokcsw@aol.com	Specialties: mood /anxiety disorders, abuse, neglect and trauma, gay and straight couples, and young adults. Sliding scale for Gestalt Center students	

Name	Office	Phone #	E-mail	Comments	In-Network Insurance
Marla Silverman, Ph. D.	Home/Office 137 East Townline Rd Nanuet, NY 10954 Office-Wednesdays 185 W. End Avenue, 1C New York, NY 10023	H: 845-623-1194 O: 845-623-0807 O: (Wed): 212-580-8419 F: 845 623-0807	marlasilv@aol.com	Not taking on new clients at this time	
Daniel Tisman, LCSW	37 E 28 th Street St. 408 New York, NY 10017	917-848-5474	danieltisman@gmail.com		
Marilyn Varsa, LMHC	1735 York Avenue, #33B New York, NY 10128	212-861-1168	mvarsa@aol.com		Aetna, Beacon/Value Options
Matthew Whaley, LCSW	NY Office 37 E 28 th Street St. 408 New York, NY 10017 NJ Office 42A Main St. Bradley Beach, NJ 07720	646-234-6515	eMatthewWhaley@yahoo.com		

Adjunct Faculty

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Sabina Galli, MA, LCSW	39W 32nd St, #1500 New York, NY 10001	646-416-0482	sabinagalli@gmail.com		

Non-Faculty Therapists

Name	Office	Phone #	E-mail	Comments	In-Network Insurance
Nancy Andino	Union City, NJ and Video conference	347-875-7003	nyandino@gmail.com		In network insurance: BCBS; Cigna; Emblem; United Health Care
Johanna Berrett (GAP)			jfbchuck@aol.com		
Leah Block, LCSW, CASAC	523 Townline Road, #9 Hauppauge, NY 11788	516-241-6465	Leahblock09@gmailcom		

Name	Office	Phone #	E-mail	Comments	In-Network Insurance
John Bottone, LMHC	33 Walt Whitman Road, #301 Huntington Station, NY 11746	631-680-3609	Jbottone2@gmail.com www.Johnbottone.com		
Dan Bloom, JD, LCSW	W 15 th Street, NYC	212-674-0404	dan@djbloom.com	www.nydowntowntherapist.com affiliated with NYIGT, AAGT, and EAGT	
Nancy Bristol, LCSW	200 East Dudley Ave Westfield, NJ 07090 5 West 20th Street 5th Fl. NY NY 10011	908-232-7274	nancy@ndbristol.com		
Nina Chaifetz	1133 Broadway at 26 th Street NYC and White Plains, NY	917-553-0091	nina@ninachaifetz.com	My full fee is \$250 and I do offer some sliding scale. At the moment, I am only in NYC on Tuesdays.	
Michael Cotayo, LCSW	37 East 28 th Street, Suite 408 New York, NY 10016	347-678-6287	joviallcsw@gmail.com	Monday, Tuesday & Friday. Adults, children, couples. Specialties: HIV/AIDS, trauma, PTSD, sexual abuse. Addiction, grief, Borderline Personality Disorder.	CIGNA, BC/BS, Medicare, Emblem Health
Judy Choix, LMHC	5 W 86th St., #1B New York NY 10024	917-215-1629	judychoix@icloud.com fullgestalt.com for more information	Sliding scale for GC students. Founder of the Full Gestalt. Practice combines talk therapy with various forms of energy work. Certified in Integral Somatic Psychotherapy, Biodynamic Cranial Sacral Therapy, and yoga. Years of training in other modalities such as Reiki, Polarity Therapy, homeopathy, aromatherapy, and herbal healing. Work integrates body, mind, and Spirit reconnecting disenfranchised parts with the whole so individuals can live fuller more authentic lives.	Out of network
Nancy Goldstein, LCSW	12 Deering Street E. Setauket, NY 11733	631-941-4704	Nancygoldstein1@gmail.com		
Liza Johnson, LMFT	Huntington, NY 11743	631-804-2128	Ljohnson7@aol.com		
Susan Jurkowski	36 W. 25th St, 10th Floor (between 5th & 6th Aves)	516-244-5263	sijurkowski@hotmail.com	Individual, couples, & group therapy, Dreamwork	
Marilyn Kurzyna, LCSW	37 E 28 th Street, Suite 408, New York, NY 10016	917-331-0083	mlkcsw@yahoo.com	EFT/Meridian Tapping. Grief and mourning, trauma, the emotional stresses of infertility, work related issues, focus and anxiety. I bring my artistic sensitivities to the work and provide art materials, music, movement, talk.	Aetna, Oxford, BC/BS, MHN. Cigna and United Health
Tom Lorio, LCSW	113 University Place Room 919, 9th Floor. NY, NY 10003	914 564 1824.	Tomlorio3rd@gmail.com	\$120-\$160, sliding scale available (usually \$100) Out of Network only. Office hours: Mon-Thurs and Sat http://www.tomloriotherapy.com/	
Marcia Luskin, LMHC	19 West 34 th Street, Penthouse Level	917-746-6199		Works on sliding scale of \$100-150 and will discuss reduction of fee if needed for students	
Arleen Maiorano (GAP)	36 West 25th Street 10th fl., NY 10010 416 5th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11215	718-768-9885	ajmd416@aol.com	Certified in Imago Relationship Therapy and in EMDR	

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Jackie Major, LCSW	520 West Broadway Port Jefferson, NY 11777 535 Broad Hollow Rd. #14 Huntington Station, NY11746	631-291-5800	Jmajor2@optonline.net www.jackiemajor.com		
Rick Manista	244 Saddle River Road, Saddle Brook, NJ 349 Indian Trail Drive, Franklin Lakes, NJ	(862) 228-1250	Dr.rick.manista@gmail.com		
Robert Mauksch	1123 Broadway, #1115, NY NY 10010	917 714 5219	Rmauksch@gmail.com	www.robertmauksch.com	
Daphne Moked	1133 Broadway NY NY 10010	631-317-1497	daphnemoked@gmail.com		
Jim Mulry (GAP)	36 West 25th St, 10th floor, NY NY10010	212-683-8488.	JJMulry@aol.com	Work with individuals and with couples as well as supervise therapists privately	
Charles Myzwinski	NYC & Brooklyn	718-622-0355	cmyskis@aol.com		Oxford, UBH, Aetna, BCBS, Cigna
Andrea Quatrale, LCSW	7 Landings Lane E. Patchogue, NY 11772	631-241-6292	aqLCSW@verizon.net www.andreaquatrale.com		
Connie Newman	W 25 th Street and Scarsdale, NY	212-989-7514	connienewman1@aol.com		
Ruth Samuel, M.S., M.Ed., LMFT	118 West 78 th St, NYC 194 Jefferson Tenafly, NJ 07670	201-406-4733 201-871-4601	ruthsamuel125@gmail.com		
Gladys Santapau, LCSW	119 West 57th Street, Suite 1100 NY, NY 10019	917-821-9433		Wed & Fri evening; some Mondays. Sliding scale for GCPT students. Works with depression, PTSD, ADHD, relationship issues, trauma.	1199 National Benefit Fund, Value Options/HIP
Zelda Schemaille, LMHC	8 15 th Street Sea Cliff, NY 11579 6 Grace Avenue, #301 Great Neck, NY	516-759-4004 516-385-0394	azsche@aol.com www.psychologytoday.com		
Richard Shrobe (GAP)	36 West 25 th St, 10 Fl.	212-685-7099	Rshrobe@gmail.com	Fees: \$120-150. No student discounts. Zen Buddhist teacher. More info from Ken.	
Amy Socolow, LCSW	113 University Place, 9 Fl., New York, NY	917-922-1504	amysocolow@gmail.com		Aetna

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Patricia Tucker, LCSW (GAP)			ptucker451@aol.com		
Peter Turkl	118 West 78 th St, NYC 194 Jefferson Tenafly, NJ 07670	201-871-2304. 201-960-7304	peterturkl1@gmail.com	Incorporate coaching and therapy to serve business executives and provide extensive Gestalt experience to working with couples and teens	
Karin Weidenmueller, LMHC	770 Westminster Road, Brooklyn, NY 11230 18 E. 16th St, #503, New York, NY 10003	917-903-4789	karintherapist@earthlink.net www.karinweidenmueller.com	Specialties: Adults, Couples, Trauma, EMDR, Addiction, Relationship issues/Attachment, Spirituality	Out of network
Alan Whiteman (GAP)	467 Central Park West, # 5B New York, NY 10025		allanwny@aol.com		
Vivien Wolsk, Ph.D.	73 Perry Street, NYC	212-929-7159	vivwolsk@aol.com		
Lee Zevy, LCSW	171 W 23 rd Street New York, NY	212-691-5649	lzevy@verizon.net	Borderline Personality Disorder (DBT), Addiction Recovery, Personality Disorders, LGBT Issues. Sliding scale is a possibility during daytime hours	