
Dr Paul Loughlin

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Consultant Psychiatrist

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I prepare reports for personal injury, work related stress, post-traumatic stress disorder, fitness to work, mental capacity issues, Lasting Power of Attorney and Testamentary Capacity. Reports comply with Woolf specifications. I have attended Bond Solon and APIL Courses on medico-legal report writing and have attended a Bond Solon Court Room Skills Course. My last medicolegal training course attended was the Specialist Info Medico-Legal Advanced Course, including court room skills in December 2019 in London. I am booked to attend the Mediation Foundation Course in Taunton for 5 days in September 2020. I have been on the GMC specialists register for General Adult and Older Adult Psychiatry since 2001. I worked as a full time NHS consultant psychiatrist for Berkshire Healthcare NHS Trust from August 2001 until November 2015 when I went into full-time independent psychiatric practice. I have held private practising privileges at the Cardinal Clinic in Windsor since 2002. I work mainly in the field of affective disorders, anxiety disorders, neuropsychiatry and cognitive disorders. I have been in medico-legal practice since 2000.

SPECIALIST AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- OCD
 - PTSD
 - AFFECTIVE DISORDERS
 - ANXIETY DISORDERS
 - PARKINSON S DISEASE
 - BIPOLAR DISORDER
 - GENERAL ADULT PSYCHIATRY
 - PSYCHIATRIST
 - SOMATOFORM DISORDERS
 - VASCULAR DEMENTIAS
 - PHOBIC TRAVEL DISORDER
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- NEUROPSYCHIATRY
- OLDER ADULT PSYCHIATRY
- MILD COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT
- OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH REPORTS
- GENETIC TESTING
- ALZHEIMERS DISEASE
- MAJOR DEPRESSION
- COGNITIVE DISORDERS
- LEWY BODY DISEASE
- MENTAL CAPACITY ASSESSMENTS
- CAPACITY TO CONDUCT PROCEEDINGS
- TESTAMENTARY CAPACITY ASSESSMENTS

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

- 1992** M.B, B.S., Medical College of St Bartholomew's Hospital, University of London
- 1997** M.R.C.Psych, Royal College of Psychiatrists, London
- 2001** Certificate in Healthcare Management, Open University

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

2002 - Present Private Consultant Psychiatrist

I see private patients in Windsor, Virginia Water and Guildford. I have admitting rights to the Cardinal Clinic in Windsor and practising privileges at Princess Margaret BMI Hospital, Windsor. I hold Approved Clinician status and can undertake Mental Health Act Assessments as a Section 12 Approved Doctor. I am trained to conduct consultant appraisals for revalidation. I routinely provide occupational health reports for employers and insurance companies. I offer patients cognitive performance assessments in collaboration Cambridge Brain Sciences. The assessments are scientifically validated and completed via a web-based platform. The assessments can track changes in cognitive function over time. I offer patients the option of having a genetic testing which can help optimise medication treatment decisions. The testing identifies genetic markers, which can indicate the treatments that are likely to work and those that are more likely to lead to side effects.

2001 - 2015 Consultant Psychiatrist Berkshire Healthcare NHS

SPECIALIST AREAS

General Adult Psychiatry: Affective Disorders (Major Depression and Bipolar Disorder), PTSD, OCD, Phobic Travel Disorder, Anxiety Disorders and Somatoform Disorders. Older

Adult Psychiatry: Mild Cognitive Impairment, Alzheimer's Disease, Vascular Dementias, Lewy Body Disease and Parkinson's Disease.

RESEARCH

I led the development and opening of the Berkshire Memory and Cognition Research Centre based at the University of Reading in 2014. I was a principal investigator in several research studies when working in my NHS post.

POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

08/1992 – 01/1993	H.O. Surgery & Orthopaedics, Royal Hampshire County Hospital, Winchester
02/1993 – 07/1993	H.O. General Medicine with Cardiology, Horton Hospital, Banbury
08/1993 – 01/1994	S.H.O. Accident and Emergency Medicine, Whipps Cross Hospital London E11
02/1994 – 07/1994	S.H.O. General Adult Psychiatry Q.E. II Hospital, Welwyn Garden City
08/1994 – 01/1995	S.H.O. in Medicine St. Mary's, Queen Mary's, Kings College Hospitals London
02/1995 – 07/1995	S.H.O. Elderly and Acute Medicine, Charing Cross Hospital London W6
08/1995 – 01/1996	S.H.O. Old Age Psychiatry, St. Charles' Hospital, London W10
02/1996 – 07/1996	S.H.O. General Adult Psychiatry, Q.E. II Hospital, Welwyn Garden City
08/1996 – 01/1997	Registrar General Adult Psychiatry, West London Healthcare NHS Trust
02/1997 – 07/1997	Registrar Forensic Psychiatry, West London Healthcare NHS Trust
08/1997 – 03/1998	Specialist Registrar Liaison Psychiatry John Radcliffe Hospital Oxford
04/1998 – 03/1999	Specialist Registrar in Old Age Psychiatry South Bucks NHS Trust
04/1999 – 03/2000	Specialist Registrar in Old Age Psychiatry, Fair Mile Hospital, Wallingford
04/2000–12/2000	Specialist Registrar/ Lecturer in Adult Psychiatry Warneford Hospital and University of Oxford Department of Psychiatry

12/2000–08/2001	Specialist Registrar in Adult Psychiatry, Fair Mile Hospital, Wallingford
08/2001–11/2015	Consultant Psychiatrist for Older Adults, Berkshire Healthcare NHS Trust

PUBLICATIONS

1. Efficacy, safety and tolerability of combined administration of lithium and selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors: a review of the current evidence. Hawley CJ, Loughlin PJ, Quick SJ, Gale T, Sivakumaran T, Hayes J, McPhee S; International Clinical Psychopharmacology, 15, 197-206, (2000)
2. A Double-Blind Randomized Placebo-Controlled Withdrawal Trial Comparing Memantine and Antipsychotics for the Long-Term Treatment of Function and Neuropsychiatric Symptoms in People With Alzheimer's Disease (MAIN-AD). Ballard, Clive; Thomas, Alan; Gerry, Stephen; Yu, Ly-Mee; Aarsland, Dag; Merritt, Claire; Corbett, Anne; Davison, Christopher; Sharma, Narendra; Khan, Zunera; Creese, Byron; Loughlin, Paul; Bannister, Carol; Burns, Alistair; Win, Soe Nyunt; Walker, Zuzana; MAIN-AD investigators. Journal Of The American Medical Directors Association, 2014.
3. Use of Flutemetamol F 18–Labeled Positron Emission Tomography and Other Biomarkers to Assess Risk of Clinical Progression in Patients With Amnesic Mild Cognitive Impairment
David A. Wolk, MD; Carl Sadowsky, MD; Beth Safirstein, MD; Juha O. Rinne, MD; Ranjan Duara, MD; Richard Perry, MD; Marc Agronin, MD; Jose Gamez, MD; Jiong Shi, MD; Adrian Ivanoiu, MD; Lennart Minthon, MD; Zuzana Walker, MD; Steen Hasselbalch, MD; Clive Holmes, MD; Marwan Sabbagh, MD; Marilyn Albert, MD; Adam Fleisher, MD; Paul Loughlin, MD; Eric Triau, MD; Kirk Frey, MD; Peter Høgh, MD; Andrea Bozoki, MD; Roger Bullock, MD; Eric Salmon, MD; Gillian Farrar, PhD; Christopher J. Buckley, PhD; Michelle Zanette, MS; Paul F. Sherwin, MD; Andrea Cherubini, PhD; Fraser Inglis, MD