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 Benet Clinical Assessment
  World Wide Web
**Mental Health Therapists**Clinical and counseling psychology, psychiatry, addiction and pain management  
Gainesville and Ocala, Florida

*Need a therapist?* There are many well-qualified therapists in the Gainesville-Ocala area due to the proximity of the J. Hillis Miller Health Center and Shands Teaching Hospital at the University of Florida and the clinical training programs they provide in psychology, psychiatry and related mental health care specialties. Below are therapists in private practice who provide a wide range of mental health services. Other resources are available through the University, the VA Medical Center, regional community mental health centers, and other community clinics and agencies listed on our Local Mental Health Resources handout below -- Dr. Benet

**Psychology**

Nancy C. Coleman, PhD  
Counseling Psychology  
Degree: PhD, 1991, Penn State University  
Area(s) of Interest: Counseling Psychology, Cross Cultural Psychology  
Member, American Psychological Association  
100 SW 75th St, Suite 204  
Gainesville, FL 32607  
(352) 332-1300

Rodney A. (Rod) Poetter, PhD  
Clinical Psychology  
Degree: PhD, 1977, Ohio University  
Area(s) of Interest: Forensic Psychology, Attention Deficit Disorder  
Member, American Psychological Association  
3002 SE 1st Ave, Bldg 200  
Ocala, FL 34471  
(352) 351-5522

**Psychiatry**

Timothy L. (Tim) Byrd, MD  
Psychiatry  
Residency: Psychiatry, Shands Hospital at the University of Florida 1979-82  
Specialty Board: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology  
2 SW 12th St  
Ocala, FL 32671  
(352) 629-4350  
Staff Privileges: Munroe and Ocala Regional Medical Centers

**Addiction**

Ernest J. Bordini, PhD  
Clinical Psychology  
Degree: PhD, 1988 University of Florida  
Area(s) of Interest: Clinical and Forensic Neuropsychology  
Member, American Psychological Association  
Clinical Psychology Associates of North Central Florida  
2121 NW 40th Ter, Suite B  
Gainesville, FL 32605  
(352) 336-2888

**Pain Management**

Elizabeth J. (Bess) Buckley, PhD  
Clinical Psychology  
Degree: PhD, 1996, Teachers College at Columbia University (NY)  
Area(s) of Interest: Pain & Pain Mgmt, Psychotherapy  
Member, American Psychological Association  
5300 SW 91st Terrace, Suite A  
Haile Psychiatry & Psychotherapy Group  
Haile Village Center  
Gainesville, FL 32608  
(352) 337-0551

Violet D. Poetter, PsyD  
Clinical Psychology  
Degree: PsyD, 1982, Florida Inst of Technology  
Area(s) of Interest: Pain & Pain Mgmt, Biofeedback  
Member, American Psychological Association  
3002 SE 1st Ave, Bldg 200  
Ocala, FL 34471  
(352) 351-5522

Joseph D. (Joe) Fishel, MD  
Child & Adolescent Psychiatry  
Residency: Family Practice, Ohio State University Hospital  
1982-83; Psychiatry, University of Hawaii 1984-86  
Fellowship: Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, University of  
Michigan Hospital 1986-88  
Specialty Board: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology  
2800 NE Silver Springs Blvd, Suite 204  
Ocala, FL 34470  
(352) 690-1700

Gary L. Kanter, MD  
Psychiatry  
Residency: Psychiatry, Strong Memorial Hospital at the  
University of Rochester (NY) 1980-83  
Specialty Board: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology  
100 SW 75th St, Suite 204  
Gainesville, FL 32607  
(352) 332-1300  
Staff Privileges: North Florida Regional Medical Center

#### Options

- **For other well-qualified therapists, see:**  
<http://www.webenet.com/doctors.htm>
- **For local mental health resources, see:**  
<http://www.webenet.com/localresources.htm>
- **For local services for the uninsured, see:**  
<http://www.webenet.com/aamc.htm>

#### Downloads

- **To print a PDF version of local therapists:**  
<http://www.webenet.com/therapists.pdf>
- **To print a PDF version of local Resources:**  
<http://www.webenet.com/localresources.pdf>

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- **Need more help or have questions?**  
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