



# Fact Sheet

## Executive Committee



**President (2018)**  
Patricia Dowds, PhD  
Member since 1999



**President-Elect (2018)**  
Alan Hack, PhD  
Member since 1995



**Secretary (2017-19)**  
Adriana DiMatteo, PsyD  
Member since 2010



**Treasurer (2018-20)**  
Julie Lehane, PhD  
Member since 2006



**Director of Professional Affairs**  
Jerry Grodin, PhD  
Member since 1991



**Parliamentarian (2018)**  
Rochelle Balter, PhD, JD  
Member since 1996



**APA Rep (2018-20)**  
June Feder, PhD  
Member since 1988



**Executive Director**  
Deborah Martinez  
Staff since 2017

## Mission & Vision

The mission of the New York State Psychological Association is to advance the science and practice of psychology as means of promoting human welfare.

## Committees & Divisions

There are a number of committees and divisions within the organization that represent the professional and political concerns of psychologists in New York State, including:

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| ABPP Committee                 | Academic Psychology          |
| Continuing Education Committee | Addictions                   |
| Disaster Resource Network      | Adult Development and Aging  |
| Ethical Practices Committee    | Cognitive Behavioral Therapy |
| Health Care Reform Task Force  | Culture, Race, and Ethnicity |
| Legislative Committee          | Forensic Psychology          |
| LGBTQ Task Force               | Group Psychology             |
| Psychotherapy Committee        | Neuropsychology Division     |
| Public Education Committee     | School Psychology            |
| Suicide Prevention Grant Task  | Women's Issues               |

## Membership Benefits

NYSPA members receive valuable professional and personal benefits including:

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| Assistance with billing questions | Credit card processing options |
| Health and dental insurance       | Free referral service          |
| Legal consultation                | Discounts on advertising       |
| Advertising for job vacancies     | Activities in advocacy         |

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