

Practitioners and the PPD/TMS Peer Network

The PPD/TMS Peer Network (PTPN) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit comprised of individuals who have used the TMS approach to overcome chronic pain. Without the involvement of TMS practitioners, the PTPN would not be able to help those suffering from psychophysiological disorders. Even in the PTPN's early stages, when it was only a Wiki, TMS practitioners were an integral part of the organization. The community of TMS patients, seeking support from their peers, accounts for only one part of the PTPN. It is the combination of TMS practitioners and TMS patients that makes the PPD/TMS Peer Network a unique organization.



Get Involved with the Peer Network

PTPN Newsletter

Each month, the PTPN sends out a newsletter informing the TMS community of any upcoming events or educational opportunities. The newsletter also contains original content specifically for practitioners. This includes Q&A with an Expert responses, essays, and interviews conducted by the PTPN with TMS practitioners. Past newsletters can be found at go.tmswiki.org/newsletter.

To subscribe to the newsletter check the box on the back of this page and fill out the email field.

Peer Supervision Teleconference

Every other month the PTPN organizes a Peer Supervision Teleconference. These meetings are designed as a way for practitioners to discuss their experiences treating patients with TMS. Each session features a guest speaker, who discusses his/her experience with TMS. Past speakers have included TMS psychologist Arlene Feinblatt, TMS psychologist and PPDA board member Frances Sommer Anderson, and Mark Lumley, a professor at Wayne State University and lead author of the article *Pain and Emotion: A Biopsychosocial Review of Recent Research*.

Find a Practitioner List

The PTPN hosts a comprehensive and up-to-date directory of TMS physicians, therapists, and other practitioners. With this list, the PTPN aims to provide as much high-quality information as possible that might help a potential patient make an informed choice between different TMS practitioners.

To be added to the list, fill out the Professional Survey Response form on the back of this brochure and mail it to the address at the bottom of this page.

TMS Therapists Mailing List

The PTPN hosts a mailing list for TMS practitioners. Initially for TMS therapists (hence the name), this list is now open to all TMS practitioners. The list gives practitioners a venue to discuss TMS symptoms, treatment, and specific cases with other experienced practitioners, while also developing professional relationships.

SURVEY RESPONSE QUESTIONS

Please mail to

The PPD/TMS Peer Network PO Box 1422 Brookline, MA 02446

Name _____

Office Address _____
Street _____ *City* _____ *State* _____ *Zip Code* _____

Phone Number _____ Email _____

Degrees/Licenses Held _____

Number of years in practice _____ Number of years in practice with patients who have TMS _____

Number of patients you have seen who have had TMS _____

What is your association to the TMS community? _____

Have you ever suffered from TMS? _____

Are you able to conduct therapy sessions over the phone or via Skype? _____

What insurance plans do you currently accept? _____

Do you have a sliding scale of payment for people who are not covered by insurance? _____

What have you done to educate yourself about TMS, and what plans do you have for further education about TMS? _____

As we are going to post your answers online, feel free to write some text to introduce yourself:

Check here if you would like to receive our monthly newsletter (email address required)

Check here if you would like to sign up for our TMS Therapist mailing list (email address required)

Email Address (if not listed above) _____