

Free Associations

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NOTABLE QUOTE: “Your mind will answer most questions if you learn to relax and wait for the answer.”

-William Burroughs

CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE PSP BOARD OF DIRECTORS



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Individuals responsible for administering the financial system at the institute or program are qualified by education and/or experience to carry out their fiduciary responsibilities.

Bookkeeping services are provided by experienced staff and the person responsible for providing and explaining financial statements to the board is qualified by education and experience to provide these services

Psychoanalytic Terms & Concepts by Moore & Fine

INHIBITION

A restriction of an area of ego functioning. It may be normal or may denote the presence of some pathological process, in which case it may be a symptom as well. Inhibitions can range from specific to general and can involve any ego function. Examples are sexual performance, eating, locomotion, and work. Inhibitions

may be the results of a need for self-punishment or may be directly linked to unacceptable wishes. Some inhibitions are conceived to be the result of an impoverishment of available energy in the ego due to extensive utilization of energy elsewhere, as in the maintenance of defenses or in the work of mourning.

PSP SOCIETY MEMBERS: ANNUAL SOCIETY MEETING ON MAY 11TH. CONTACT MARIE HARTKE TO REGISTER FOR THIS ZOOM MEETING

THERAPISTS NEEDED

Philadelphia Consultation Center (PCC), the training arm of PSP, is looking to hire fee-for-service therapists. If you are a licensed clinician (LSW, LCSW, LPC, LMFT) who is interested in working with clients on Medicaid insurance while receiving free modern analytic supervision, this

may be the job for you! Please reach out to PCC's assistant coordinator, April Gagne, at info@pcctherapy.com for more information. To learn more about PCC check out our website at: www.pcctherapy.com