

Student Organization for the Advocacy of Psychology (SOAP) Past Activities

- Presentation: 10 STEPS to Public Policy Advocacy, Center for Psychological Studies, NSU
- Presentation: Becoming Involved With Advocacy, Farquhar, NSU
- Medicine and Culture: Stirring the Melting Pot Conference, Florida International University
- APA and Professional Involvement Colloquia, CPS, NSU
- 5th County-Wide Conference Mental Illness, NAMI, Broward Chapter, Henderson Mental Health Center
- Advocacy for Prescription Privileges: Where are we going and how can we get there? Colloquia, CPS, NSU
- Mental Health Awareness and Destigmatization: A Discussion and Dinner, Student Union, NSU
- Legislative Advocacy: Psychologists Tell their Stories, Colloquia, CPS, NSU
- Forwarding Psychology through Community and Legislative Advocacy, Farquhar, NSU
- Legislative and Community Advocacy: Graduate Students Tell their Stories" Colloquia, CPS, NSU
- Advocacy Dinner Series: Not a Symptom but a Person: A Discussion with Mental Health Consumers
- American Association of Suicidology Annual Conference: Working Together to Save Lives, Miami, Florida
- Custody Evaluations: The Uses of a Psychologist within the Court System" Colloquia, CPS, NSU
- Legislative Day Trip, Tallahassee, Florida
- Domestic Violence and Advocacy for Abused Women, Colloquia, CPS, NSU

Legislative Initiatives Endorsed and Advocated

- Paul Wellstone Mental Health Equitable Treatment Act, (S 486)
- Campus Care and Counseling Act, (HR 3593)
- Keeping Families Together Act, (S. 1704, HR 3243)
- Child Healthcare Crisis Relief, (S 1223, HR 1359)
- Youth Suicide Early Intervention and Prevention Expansion Act of 2004, (S 2175)
- Family Opportunity Act, (S 622, HR 1811)
- Mentally Ill Offender and Crime Reduction Act of 2004 (S 1994)
- Rock the Vote Campaign
- Traumatic Brain Injury Act (???)
- Medicaid Restructuring (what's the formal name or #)

Community Outreach Participation

- National Depression Screening Day 2003, Florida International University
- Child Health Care Fair, NSU
- Presentation: Eating Disorders, Phi Sigma Sigma, NSU
- Taker Back the Night (TBTN), NSU
- Child Health Fair, NSU
- NAMI fundraising tabling event, CPS, NSU
- Suicide: Preventable Tragedy, Alvin Sherman Library, Research, and Information Technology Ctr., NSU
- NMHA of Broward County
- NAMI, Broward Chapter
- NAMI fundraising drive, CPS, NSU
- Health, Education, and Career Fair, NSU Miami Beach Campus
- National Depression Screening Day 2004, NSU & Florida International University
- Adopt a Location, Tri-county area

Community and Legislative Education

- Presentation: Becoming Involved With Advocacy, Farquhar, NSU
- Medicine and Culture: Stirring the Melting Pot Conference, Florida International University
- SOAP information meeting, CPS, NSU
- APA and Professional Involvement Colloquia, CPS, NSU
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- Advocacy Dinner Series: Not a Symptom but a Person: A Discussion with Mental Health Consumers
- A Day of Teachers Health Fair, NSU
- American Association of Suicidology Annual Conference: Working Together to Save Lives, Miami, Florida
- Custody Evaluations: The Uses of a Psychologist within the Court System" Colloquia, CPS, NSU
- Legislative Day Trip, Tallahassee, Florida
- South Florida State Hospital, Member tour
- Domestic Violence and Advocacy for Abused Women, Colloquia, CPS, NSU
- Professional Issues and Advocacy Mentoring Program
- Advocacy Dinner Series: Phenomenological Approach to Understanding Meaning in Therapy
- 6th County-Wide Conference Mental Illness, NAMI, Broward Chapter, Henderson Mental Health Center
- Third Quarterly Advocacy Dinner Series: Not a Symptom but a Person: A Discussion with Mental Health Consumers