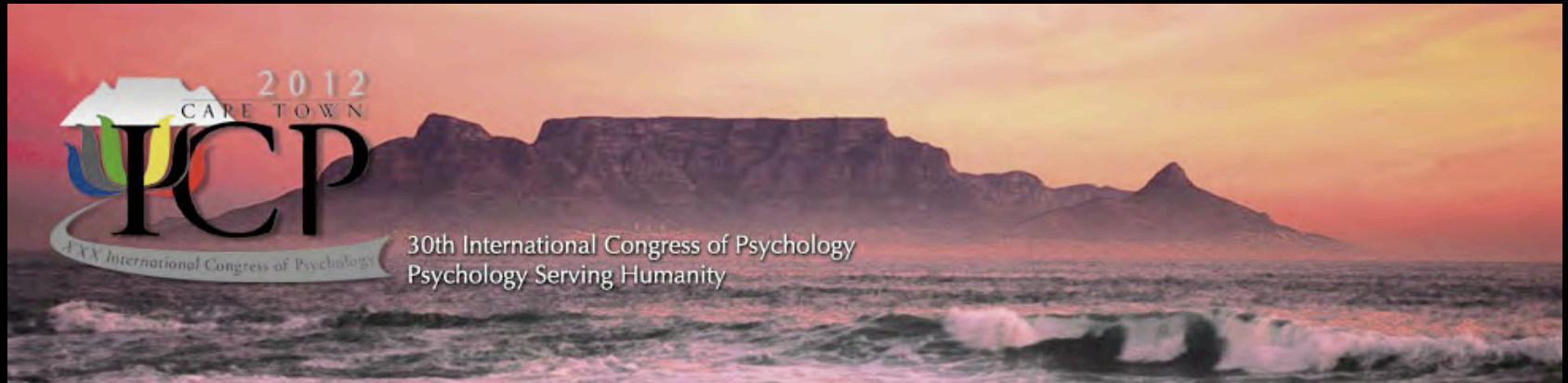




Public Interest Directorate

Applying Psychological Science, Benefiting Society

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Public Interest Mission

To apply the Science and Practice of Psychology to the Fundamental Problems of Human Welfare and Society Justice and the Promotion of Equitable and Just Treatments of All Segments of Society through Education, Training, and Public Policy.

Office on Aging



- *APA Family Caregiver Briefcase for Psychologists* and other professionals
<http://www.apa.org/pi/about/publications/caregivers/index.aspx>
- *Assessment of Older Adults with Diminished Capacity* – handbooks for psychologists, lawyers, and policymakers

Office on AIDS



COMMITTEE ON AIDS & PSYCHOLOGY (COPA)



**Combination Biomedical
and Behavioral
Approaches to Optimize
HIV Prevention**

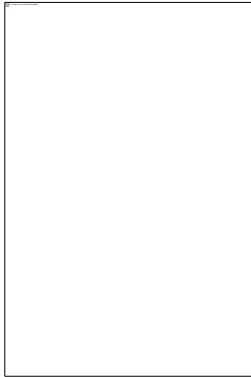
- Behavioral and Social Science Volunteer (BSSV) Program
- HIV Office for Psychology Education (HOPE) Program
- Committee on Psychology and AIDS

Office on Children, Youth and Families



- APA Presidential Task Force on Immigration
- Resolution on Child Abuse

Office on Disability Issues in Psychology



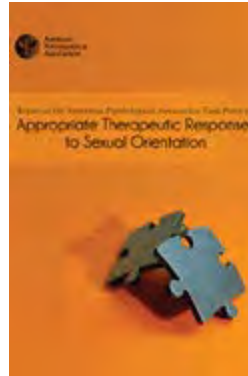
- Disability Mentoring Program
- Task Force on Guidelines for Assessment and Treatment of Persons With Disabilities
- *Resource Guide for Psychology Graduate Students With Disabilities*

Office of Ethnic Minority Affairs



- Promoting Psychological Research and Training on Health Disparities (ProDIGS) Initiative
- CEMRRAT Implementation Grants Funds

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Concerns Office



- Lesbian and Gay Parenting
- Transgender, Gender Identity, and Gender Expression Non-Discrimination
- Appropriate Therapeutic Responses to Sexual Orientation

Office on Socioeconomic Status



Report of the 2009 Presidential Task Force on Psychology's Contribution to End Homelessness



- Socioeconomic Status Related Cancer Disparities Program (SESRCDD)
- Resources for Inclusion of Social Class in Psychology Curricula
- Presidential Task Force on Psychology's Contribution to End Homelessness (TFPCEH)

Women's Programs Office



- APA Leadership Institute for Women in Psychology
- *Sexualization of Girls*
- Task Force on Trafficking of Women and Girls

Sexualized Products

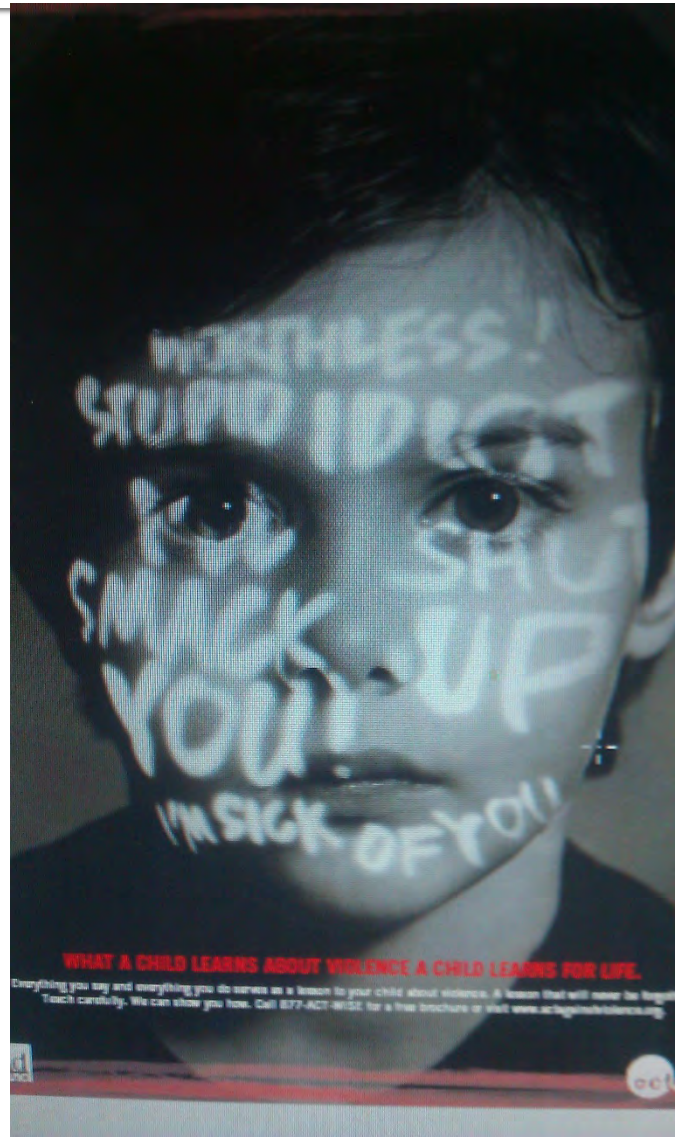


Violence Prevention Office

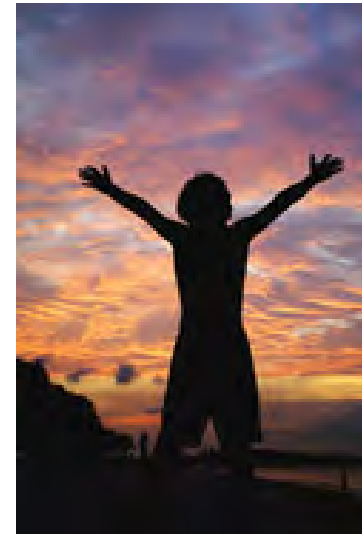


- ACT/Parents Raising Safe Kids Program
- *Working Group Report on Child Maltreatment Prevention in Community Health Centers*
- Effective Providers for Child Victims of Violence

ACT/Parents Raising Safe Kids Program

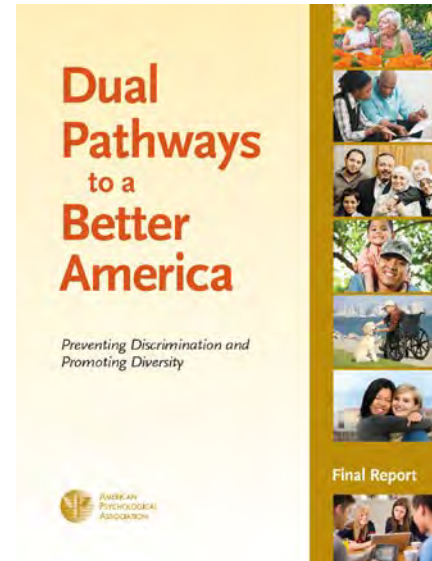
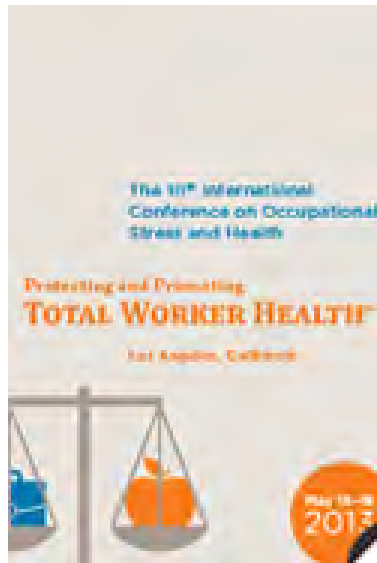


Minority Fellowship Program



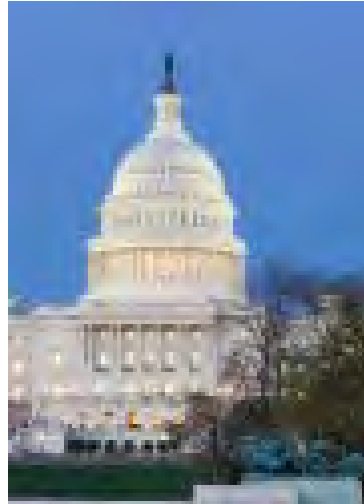
- Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services — predoctoral and postdoctoral support
- Psychology Summer Institute — for advanced predoctoral students and early career psychologists

Public Interest Executive Office



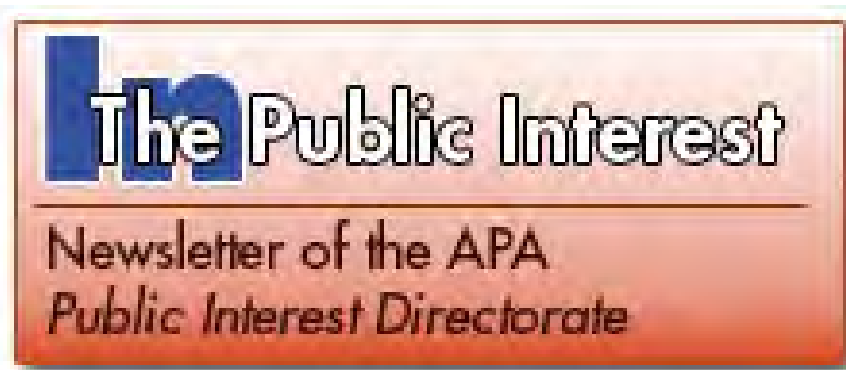
- 10th Work, Stress, and Health Conference, Los Angeles, CA
May 16-19, 2013 , APA, NIOSH, SOHP
- Presidential Task Force on Preventing Discrimination and Promoting Diversity
- Health Disparities Initiative

Public Interest Government Relations Office



- Policy and advocacy initiatives focusing on issues including aging; children, youth, and families; individuals with disabilities; ethnic minority affairs; health reform; HIV/AIDS; lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender concerns; service members, veterans, and their families; socioeconomic status; trauma, violence, and abuse; women; and work, stress, and health
- APA Congressional Fellowship Program
- Public Interest Graduate Student Policy Internship
- Take Action! Get Involved! Go to <http://capwiz.com/apapolicy/home>

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