

# Curriculum Vitae

Larry J. Benoit, Ph.D.

## PERSONAL DATA

Date and                      March 7, 1947  
Place of Birth                Rayne, Louisiana  
Marital Status               Married, three children

## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

**Larry J. Benoit, Ph.D., P.C.**  
Lafayette Psychology Center  
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Lafayette, LA 70501  
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## EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

1980-1984                  University of North Texas  
                                  Denton, TX  
                                  Degree: Ph.D.  
                                  Major: Clinical Psychology  
                                  Concentration in Behavioral Medicine/Health Psychology

1972-1977                  University of North Texas  
                                  Denton, TX  
                                  Degree: M.A.  
                                  Major: Clinical Psychology

1968-1970                  University of Louisiana at Lafayette  
                                  Lafayette, LA  
                                  Degree: B.S.  
                                  Major: Psychology

1965-1968                  Northeast Louisiana State University  
                                  Monroe, LA  
                                  Major: Psychology

## **PROFESSIONAL AND CLINICAL EXPERIENCES**

**May, 1986 - Present**      **Larry J. Benoit, Ph.D., P.C.**  
**Lafayette Psychology Center**  
905 Jefferson St., Ste. 410  
Lafayette, LA 70501

Private outpatient psychotherapy practice in association with Maureen Brennan, Ph.D. Activities consist of management of this multi-therapist practice, individual, group, and family psychotherapy; psychological assessment; expert testimony; disability determinations; sanity evaluations; and hospital consultation.

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**August, 2004 - October, 2009**      **Acadiana Addiction Center**  
3008 W. Pinhook Rd.  
Lafayette, LA 70508

Consulting Clinical Psychologist to this 24-bed residential treatment program for alcoholism, drug abuse and other addictive disorder. Provided psychological evaluations of dual diagnosis patients and complex cases.

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**May, 1989 - May, 2009**      **Lafayette City Police Dept.**  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Consulting Clinical Psychologist charged with personnel evaluations and psychological assessment of police officers applying for employment, promotion, or re-assignment and trauma/crisis de-briefing of officers involved in critical incidents.

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**November, 2004 - July, 2007**      **Oceans Behavioral Hospital of Lafayette**  
Lafayette, LA 70501

Consulting Clinical Psychologist to this acute care geropsychiatric facility.

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**Oct, 1999 - Oct, 2000**      **Lafayette Parish Sheriff's Dept.**  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Consulting Clinical Psychologist charged with personnel evaluations and psychological assessment of police officers applying for employment, promotion, or re-assignment and trauma/crisis de-briefing and fitness-for-duty evaluations of officers involved in critical incidents.

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**Sept, 1998 - Sept, 1999**      **Acadian Ambulance**  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Consulting Clinical Psychologist charged with fitness-for-duty evaluations.

**Jul, 1995 - Jan, 1998**      **Creative Breakthroughs, Inc.**  
Minneapolis, MN

Certified Lead instructor for this business consulting firm, providing workshops, seminars. and individual consultation to businesses throughout the nation.

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**Dec, 1991 - Dec, 1996**      **Senior Care Center**  
Doctor's Hospital of Opelousas  
P.O. Box 607  
Arnaudville, LA 70512

Consulting Clinical Psychologist for this acute care geropsychiatric facility, providing psychological and neuropsychological evaluations for all patients admitted to both the 32-bed inpatient unit and the 15-patient partial unit, participating in interdisciplinary treatment team planning, and providing inpatient individual psychotherapy.

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**Aug, 1995 - Dec, 1996**      **Comprehensive Outpatient Services of Acadiana**  
315 S. College, Suite 215  
Lafayette, LA 70503

Consulting Clinical Psychologist for this outpatient rehabilitation agency, providing Individual psychotherapy, psychological and neuropsychological evaluation for this.

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**July, 1988 - Jan, 1993**      **Gulf Coast Teaching Family Services, Inc.**  
515 S. College, Suite 260  
Lafayette, LA 70503

Consulting Clinical Psychologist with this rehabilitation agency specializing in services to neurologically and developmentally impaired adults.

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**Apr, 1992 - Mar, 1993**      **Div MR/DD**  
P.O. Box 3117  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-3117

Consulting Clinical Psychologist for the Office of Human Services, Division of Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities. Duties involved evaluations and treatment of **Gary W. classmembers** to insure compliance with court ordered treatment for these neurologically impaired and developmentally disabled individuals.

**May, 1991 - June, 1992      Emotional Health Center for Women**  
Women's and Children's Hospital  
4600 Ambassador Caffery Pkwy  
Lafayette, LA 70508

Consulting Clinical Psychologist for this 24-bed acute psychiatric unit exclusively for treatment of women, providing psychological evaluations, inpatient individual psychotherapy and follow-up outpatient psychotherapy as needed.

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**Jan., 1991 - May, 1991      University of Southwestern Louisiana**  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Psychology instructor. Taught applied psychology at the graduate level.

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**Dec, 1989 - July, 1990      Rehabcare Unit**  
Hamilton Medical Center Hospital  
2810 Ambassador Caffery Pkwy  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Consulting neuropsychologist with the neurology rehabilitation unit of this general hospital, providing psychological and neuropsychological evaluation of neurologically impaired adults and working with a multi-disciplinary team to formulate remediation plans for all patients.

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**Dec, 1989 - May, 1990      The Residential Treatment Center**  
2904 Bedford Road  
Bedford, TX 76021

Psychological consultation and staff training provided to this private psychiatric facility.

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**Jan., 1988 - Oct., 1989      Cypress Hospital**  
302 Dulles Blvd.  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Consulting Clinical Psychologist to the Alcohol and Drug Unit of this private psychiatric hospital. Provided psychological assessment of all admissions.

**April, 1984 - May, 1986**     **Center for Clinical & Family Psychology**  
224 St. Landry  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Private outpatient psychotherapy practice in association with Lyle LeCorgne, Ph.D. and M. Douglas de Mahy, Ph.D.

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**Nov., 1983 - May, 1986**     **Cypress Hospital**  
302 Dulles Blvd.  
Lafayette, LA 70506

Senior Clinician and Program Director of the Adult Psychiatric Unit and the Psychiatric Intensive Care Unit of this 116-bed private psychiatric hospital. An HCA facility.

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**Aug., 1982 - Nov., 1983**     **VA Medical Center**  
4800 Memorial Dr.  
Waco, TX 76711

Clinical Psychology Internship under the supervision of David Hardt, Ph.D. and James Madden, Ph.D.

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**Apr., 1983 - Nov., 1983**     **Robinson Developmental Center**  
Robinson, TX

Program Consultant under the supervision of Sander Martin, Ph.D., to this residential center for neurologically and developmentally impaired adults. (Part-time; 8 hrs. per week.)

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**Sept., 1979 - Nov., 1983**     **Synergon, Inc.**  
Krum, TX

Founder and director of this private, non-profit professional corporation. Clinical duties, including individual, group, and family psychotherapy, performed under the supervision of Eugenia M. Bodenhamer, Ph.D.

**Jan., 1982 - Aug., 1982 Human Resources Development Center**  
Richland College  
12800 Abrams Rd.  
Dallas, TX 75243

Individual and family psychotherapy under the supervision of Dan Perkins, Ph.D.

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**Sept., 1976 - Sept., 1979 Tarrant County Mental Health/Mental Retardation**  
1319 Summit Ave.  
Ft. Worth, TX 76102

Supervising Associate Psychologist for the Clinical Division of Psychological Services under the supervision of E.G. Bleker, Ph.D.

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**Sept., 1974 - Sept., 1976 Dallas County Mental Health/Mental Retardation**  
2700 Stemmons  
Dallas, TX 75207

Registered Therapist/Behavior Evaluator for this rehabilitation center for neurologically and developmentally impaired adults.

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**Jan., 1975 - May, 1975 Mountain View College**  
4849 W. Illinois  
Dallas, TX 75211

Part-time psychology instructor under the supervision of William Mogleston, Ph.D.

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**June, 1971 - June, 1972 Womac Army Medical Center**  
2817 Reilly Rd.  
Fort Bragg, NC 28310

Social Work/Drug Rehabilitation Specialist while in the U.S. Army, under the supervision of Jack Stein, M.D.

## **PUBLISHED ARTICLES**

Benoit, L.J. & Harrell, E.H. Biofeedback and control of skin cell proliferation in psoriasis. *Psychological Reports*, 1980, **46**, 831-839.

Benoit, L.J. Enkephalin hydrolysing activity in alcoholism and related changes in mood and ability to perform a biofeedback/relaxation task in chronic alcoholics. *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 1984, **45/07-B**, 2351-2498.

Stevens, L.C., Baldwin, A.C., Christensen, C., Lawlis, G.F., Benoit, L.J., Koch, M., Bivens, C., & Iranmanesh, A. Effects of stress management training for symptoms of diabetes mellitus. *Diabetes*, 1984, 33 (Supplement I), 99A.

## **CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE**

April, 1978 Certification by the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation in the discipline of psychology.

October, 1978 Certification by the Texas State Board of Examiners of Psychologists as a ***Psychological Associate***.

March, 1980 Licensure by the Texas Department of Human Resources as a ***Child-Care Administrator***.

December, 1987 Licensure by the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists as a ***Clinical Psychologist***. (#541)

January, 1989 Listed in the **National Register of Health Service Psychologists**. (#36478)

June, 1995 Board certification as **Diplomate in Forensic Examination** by the American Board of Forensic Examiners with specialties in *Psychology, Sexual Abuse, Post-Traumatic Stress, and Neuropsychology* (#4399)

September, 1995 Certified as **Lead Instructor** for *Rapid Change Technologies*, a business consulting firm providing staff training to major corporations throughout the U.S.

March, 1996 Board certification as **Diplomate in Forensic Medicine** by the American Board of Forensic Medicine (#741)

April, 1997 Awarded **Diplomate in Forensic Neuropsychology** by the American Board of Psychological Specialties

February, 2003 Listed in **Louisiana Registry** as a **Clinical Sexual Offender Treatment Provider**.

**HOSPITAL STAFF PRIVILEGES**

Lafayette General Regional Medical Center

**PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

American Psychological Association - Member

Louisiana Psychological Association - Member

Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Clinical Member