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Dr. Pirelli is **Board Certified in Forensic Psychology** (ABPP) and a **Fellow** of the American Academy of Forensic Psychology (AAFP). He received his Ph.D. from The Graduate Center at John Jay College of Criminal Justice. He is a Licensed Psychologist in three (3) states: New Jersey (#4975), New York (#019418), and Pennsylvania (#018980). His experience includes working in numerous inpatient and outpatient settings, including hospitals, psychiatric centers, and correctional facilities. Specifically, he trained and worked in 13 settings *prior* to entering full-time private practice: 4 hospital/inpatient, 4 outpatient, 3 forensic/inpatient, and 2 prisons. He has since worked in many additional settings for cases at the **county, state and federal levels**, and has conducted evaluations in matters from **all 21 NJ counties**, in addition to numerous states (e.g., NJ, NY, PA, RI, & CA). Namely, he has conducted ~1,500 evaluations and has testified over 115 times.

Dr. Pirelli leads the group practice, **Pirelli Clinical and Forensic Psychology, LLC** ([www.gpirelli.com](http://www.gpirelli.com)), and conducts evaluations in criminal, civil, and administrative matters, including but not limited to:

**Criminal:** (a) Risk Assessment, Diversion, and Mitigation Evaluations (Pre-Trial & Sentencing); (b) Criminal Competencies (e.g., Fitness to Proceed, *Miranda* waiver); (c) Insanity, Dim. Capacity/Mens Rea (Mental State at time of Offense/Crim Responsibility)

**Civil:** (a) Personal Injury & Medical Malpractice; (b) Employment Harassment/Discrimination/Wrongful Termination; (c) Civil Commitment; (d) Civil Capacities (e.g., Guardianship)

**Other:** (a) Firearm Evaluations (FID cards/carry permits, gun forfeiture/reinstatement/"Red Flag" TERPO/FERPO) (b) Mental Health Expungements; (c) Pre-Employment & Fitness-for-Duty; (d) Diagnostic/Treatment Evaluations; (e) Violence, Sexual, and Fire-setting Risk Assessment; (f) Voluntariness of Confessions and Interrogation-Related

Dr. Pirelli has taught over 40 post-doctoral, graduate, and undergraduate courses at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Fairleigh Dickinson University, and Montclair State University. In addition, he was the Editor of the state journal, the *New Jersey Psychologist*, and has been on the editorial board and a reviewer for leading journals in the field.

Dr. Pirelli maintains an active clinical-forensic research program. He has given many professional conference presentations, invited talks, trainings and CE/CLE workshops, and has numerous publications, including **three (3) books with Oxford University Press**: *The Ethical Practice of Forensic Psychology: A Casebook* (2017), *The Behavioral Science of Firearms: A Mental Health Perspective on Guns, Suicide, and Violence* (2018), and *Firearms and Clinical Practice: A Handbook for Medical and Mental Health Professionals* (2023), as well as chapters in books such as the *Handbook of Forensic Psychology (4<sup>th</sup> Edition)*, *Violent Offenders: Understanding and Assessment*, and *Psychology in the Courtroom*.

Of note, he was awarded the **2024 Lawrence S. Wrightsman Book Award** by AP-LS/Div. 41 of APA, for his book, *Firearms and Clinical Practice*. In addition, his research has been cited in amicus briefs to the **United States Supreme Court** and the **New York Court of Appeals**, as well as in the **United States Department of Justice (DOJ) President's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice** final report (2020).