

SHAY ADDISON

PSYCHOLOGIST

PERSONAL PROFILE

Shay has been a working psychologist for more than 20 years. She provides forensic treatment and evaluations and expert testimony to **assist courts, tribunals, government agencies and other legal decision-makers.**

Shay Addison is a Director of the Forensic Clinical Psychology Centre. Shay has worked since the mid-90s within both custodial and community settings in Australia and the UK. Her resourcefulness and bright and engaging nature enabled her to take advantage of a diverse range of professional opportunities, including being involved in university projects and research and presenting at international conferences.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Registered with the Psychology Board of Australia (01401689)
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PAST EDUCATION

BOND UNIVERSITY

Postgraduate Diploma of Professional Psychology 1996

UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND

Bachelor of Arts (Psychology Double Major) 1993

POSITIONS HELD

GENERAL MANAGER PRINCIPAL PSYCHOLOGIST

Forensic + Clinical Psychology Centre / FPC-YPC, 2007-Now

The **Forensic + Clinical Psychology Centre (FPC)** is a service that provides expert psychological assessment and treatment in understanding, treating and providing guidance with psychological problems in the community, institutional, medico-legal and forensic contexts.

PSYCHOLOGIST POLY GRAPH EXAMINER YOUTH OFFENDING SERVICE OFFICER LECTURER / TUTOR

Griffith University , 2008

University of Newcastle (England), 2003 - 2006

Sunderland Youth Offending Service (England), 2001-2003

Eslington, Gateshead Local Education Authority (England), 2001-2003

Queensland Corrective Services, Australia 1996-2000

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Sexual offending risk assessment
- Internet-based sexual offending, Child Exploitation Material
- Violence risk assessment
- Pre-sentence & mitigation assessments
- Assessment & treatment with special populations, including personality disorders, psychopathy
- Sexual deviancy and paraphilia assessment
- Forensic family assessments, including the risk of harm & capacity to protect
- Domestic violence
- Tribunals



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