

Practicing Clinical Sexual Medicine

Part 1: History of the Field and Best Practices for Assessment

When: May 27, 2026 3:00-5:00pm

Where: Live Webinar

How: [Registration Required](#)

Overview: Clinical sexual medicine is a rare specialty within the field of healthcare, with few providers receiving evidence-based training within this clinical area. However, many healthcare providers have patients with a wide variety of sexual health needs, yet feel at a loss with how to discuss these sensitive issues with competency and ease. This gap is particularly evident among behavioral health providers, who typically follow a biopsychosocial approach when treating health problems. Part 1 of this 2-part educational series addresses the history of clinical sexual medicine as a field, strides in this clinical area, and assessment tools to adequately and competently address the sexual health needs of patients in a comfortable, sensitive, and approachable manner.

Target Audience

This activity is designated for psychologists, psychiatrists, and social workers.

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be better able to:

- Identify the key developments in the field of clinical sexual medicine, including when and how the field began, pivotal leaders of the field, and challenges facing the field today
- Apply assessment questions and tools for obtaining a sexual history, and differentiate between which questions/tools are beneficial for a brief or comprehensive history.

Agenda

<u>Time</u>	<u>Presentation</u>
3:00 - 3:05 PM	Introduction to workshop, disclosures, objectives, and facilitator bio
3:05 - 3:10 PM	Reviewing the importance of sexual health
3:10 - 3:45 PM	Modern history of clinical sexual medicine
3:45 - 4:30 PM	Assessment procedures
4:30 - 5:00 PM	Practice taking a sexual history and audience questions & answers

Speaker

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