

Philip A. Barbetta, LCSW, CSW, NASW, ACSW

Philip Barbetta has over twenty six years experience working in the field of addiction recovery. He is a well sought after therapist who combines psychoanalytical, behavioral and cognitive modalities within his practice. He uses a unique and successful therapeutic model to aid and guide his alcoholic, sexually addictive/compulsive and food addicted clients towards recovery and subsequent highly functional and successful lives.

Philip has lectured numerously on the behavioral and pathological dynamics of the addictive and dysfunctional system. He is an author, educator, and guest speaker.

Collaborator and Program Developer: ‘Couples in Recovery’, The Meadows Model. This model deals with sexually addicted couples. It is a framework for patterns and steps for the enhancement of a healthy relationship during the recovery process. It includes both partners in the full recovery spectrum of the relationship. The Meadows Model is specifically designed using the Twelve Step focus of recovery.

National Designer and Facilitator: Retreats and workshops for both women’s and men’s issues; ‘AA’ Matt Talbot groups and retreats, Al-Anon groups and retreats; couples and relational issues pertaining to the recovering population; gay and lesbian identity issues.

Facilitator and Founder: “An Invitation”. This company provides an International Workshop/Retreat modality for members of the recovering community. It provides experiences for the recovering population, as well as the professional therapist/care giver. It also provides EAP training and peer consultation for professionals.

Training and Supervision: “An Invitation” that has develops after-care programs in conjunction with the rehab experience, meeting the needs of the recovery person in the private sector.

Referral Consultant: to the Carrier Foundation, after-care population; The Pride Institute; Sierra Tucson, Guest House, Carron Foundation, Chit-Chat, The Meadows, and Hazelton Foundation.

Principal Presenter: Workshop on Aloneness to Loneliness: A Recovery Journey for the New Jersey Task Force for Women and Alcohol, Ocean City, New Jersey, Guest House, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota.

Key Speaker: for National Association for Children of Alcoholics, NACOA Convention, Meadowlands, New Jersey.

Lecturer: Addictive Issues and Eating Disorders, Monmouth University, Long Branch, New Jersey

1979-1980

Facilitated and Established: individual and group therapy experience Re: Alcoholism in the workplace, Bellevue Hospital, NYC

1976-1979

Director and Administrator: Community Mental Health Clinic/Training facility, Institute of Religion and Health, New York, New York

1972-1976

Administrator and Facilitator: Educational Planning Office, Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, New York.

Philip as earned and holds the following degrees, licenses, and certifications:

- *B.A.*, St. Bonaventure University, Olean, New York
- *Master of Divinity*, Saint Bonaventure University, Olean, New York
- *Master of Theology* St. Bonaventure University, Olean, New York
- *Medical Social Worker*, Yeshiva University, New York, New York
- *Clinical Social Worker*, New York Social Work Certification
- *Clinical Social Worker*, New Jersey License
- *National Association of Social Workers*, National Accreditation
- *Academy of Certified Social Workers* National Accreditation, Social Work
- *ATOD*, Certified Alcohol, Tobacco, Drug Association

Advanced Training, Post Graduate Experiences:

Alcoholism, sexual addiction/compulsivity, eating disorder.

Psychoanalytical Training: Post Graduate Training In Modalities of Individual, Relational, and Group experiences. Institute Of Religion and Health.

PUBLICATIONS

LONELINESS TO ALONENESS; A POWER-FILLED CHOICE, Counselors Continuing Education Series.

SPIRITUALITY IN ADDICTION. An Invitation, Inc.

THE AL-ANON PARTNER. An Invitation, Inc.

CAN I BE SEXUAL AND INTIMATE? An Invitation, Inc.

NOW, MAKE THAT COMMITMENT: A SEXUAL ADDICT'S DILEMMA. An Invitation, Inc.

DO YOU QUALIFY? A SEXUAL ADDIT'S FOURTH STEP, An Invitation, Inc.