

New Jersey Society for Clinical Social Work  
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## 'What Are Some Appropriate Treatments for Opioid Addiction?'

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*Free to Members, \$60.00 for Non-Members*

**Date:** Sunday, March 15, 2020

**Time:** 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

*at Mountainside UMC Hackensack Hospital (in the private dining room)  
1 Bay Ave. Montclair, NJ 07042*

Dr. Seitler will describe the phenomenon of Opioid addiction now sweeping the United States. Where once it appeared to be confined solely to poorer neighborhoods resulting in less attention being paid to it, the moment opioid addiction emerged full blown into the so-called “middle class,” suddenly everyone was in an uproar (society, education, the physical health industry, government, big pHARMa, and mental health).

This presentation will define and briefly examine the history and present status of opioid addiction, with an eye toward considering appropriate treatment approaches to this serious physiological and psychological dilemma.

**Objectives**—After the conclusion of this presentation, audience members will be able to:

- 1-define addiction
- 2-Define opioid
- 3-List 6 physiological and psychological effects of opioid addictions
- 4-Describe some iatrogenic contributions to the history of opioid addiction
- 5-Describe some benefits of psychoanalytic intervention

Burton N. Seitler, Ph.D. is a Psychoanalyst/Clinical Psychologist. He is the Founding Editor of *JASPER* (the Journal for the Advancement of Scientific Psychoanalytic Empirical Research) *International*. He was the former Director of the Counseling and Psychotherapy center in Ridgewood and Oakland, NJ; the former Director of the Child and Adolescence Psychotherapy Studies program at the New Jersey Institute for Training in Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy (NJI); the current Chair of the NJI Training Board. Dr. Seitler is also on the Board of Directors of the International Society for Ethical Psychology and Psychiatry and is on the Editorial Board of the Ethical Human Psychology and Psychiatry journal. In addition, he is a Research Associate of the Psychohistory Forum and a Faculty member of the Gordon Derner Postdoctoral program at Adelphi University. He has presented and published over 100 scientific papers locally, as well as internationally on—psychosis, paranoia, suicide, ADHD, autism, resilience, myopia, neuroscience, forced hospitalization, the DSM, ethnic humor, and a number of other topics. He is the recipient of the Gradiva Award for 2019 for an article he wrote for *JASPER*.

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**Location: Private Dining Room:            HUMC Mountainside Hospital,  
    1 Bay Avenue  
    Montclair, NJ**

**Directions** to Mountainside UMC Hackensack Hospital can be found at:

<http://www.mountainsidehosp.com/patient-information/directions/>

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