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**Present position:**

- Director of the Institute of Psychiatry of the Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, Ukraine (since 2019).
- President of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association (since 2024).
- Honorary Member of the World Psychiatric Association (since 2023).
- Country Director of International Technology Transfer Center Ukraine (since 2020).
- Member of the Board of Directors of the International Consortium of Universities for Drug Demand Reduction (ICUDDR) (since 2019).
- Founder and Head of the Ukraine National Chapter of the International Society of Substance Use Prevention and Treatment Professionals (ISSUP) (since 2019).
- Expert on Mental Health of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine (since 2021)

**Education and Certification**

2011 – P. Shupik National Medical Academy of Postgraduate Education, Kyiv, Ukraine, Dr. Med. Sci "Clinical – social study of assisting the elderly with impaired mental health".

2003 – Ukrainian Research Institute for Social and Forensic Psychiatry and Drug Abuse, Kyiv, Ukraine, PhD in Medicine «System rehabilitation of patients with dementia in Alzheimer's disease in hospital and community-acquired conditions».

1991-1992 – Internship “Psychiatry”, M. Gorky Donetsk State Medical Institute, Donetsk, Ukraine.

1985-1991 – M. Gorky Donetsk State Medical Institute, Donetsk, Ukraine.

### **Professional experience**

Since 2019 – Director of the Institute of Psychiatry, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, Ukraine.

2012-2019 – Director of the Ukrainian Research Institute for Social and Forensic Psychiatry and Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health of Ukraine, Kyiv, Ukraine.

2008-2012 – Director of Hospital, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine.

2007-2008 – Deputy Director of Hospital, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine.

2005-2007 – Head of Organizational Consultative Department, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine.

2001-2005 – Psychiatrist, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine.

1992-2001 – Psychiatrist, Regional Clinical Psychiatric Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine.

Since 2021 – Expert on Mental Health of the Ministry Health of Ukraine.

2020, 2021 – Consultant to the World Health Organization, Ukraine office.

Since 2020 – Country Director of International Technology Transfer Center Ukraine.

2017-2020 – Country Director of International President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief, Addiction Technology Transfer Center – Ukraine and Central Asia.

2012-2017 – Chief Psychiatrist and Addiction Psychiatrist of Ministry Health of Ukraine.

2005-2009 – Chief Psychiatrist of Ministry of Health of Ukraine.

2003-2012 – Chief Psychiatrist of the Donetsk Regional State Administration, Department of Healthcare, Donetsk, Ukraine.

### **Membership of professional bodies**

Since 2024 – President of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association.

2019 – Member of the Board of Directors of the International Consortium of Universities for Drug Demand Reduction

2019 – Head of the Ukraine National Chapter of the International Society of Substance Use Prevention and Treatment Professionals

2011-2012 – Head of Donetsk Regional Branch of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association, Donetsk, Ukraine

Since 1998 – present Member of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association

### **Clinical experience:**

More than 30-year practical experience in mental healthcare and services as a psychiatrist.

### **Teaching experience:**

Since 2019 – Professor, Faculty of Medicine. Supervised three PhD students who defended their PhD theses.

2005-2014 – Professor's assistant and professor at the Department of Family Medicine, P. Shupik National Medical Academy of Postgraduate Education, Kyiv, Ukraine.

### **Research experience:**

2024-2028 – Principal Investigator of the GH Project: NIHR155974 – Developing And Integrating mobile community mental health Services In Ukraine (DAISI Ukraine).

2025-2026 – Principal Investigator of the research project «Implementation study of the effectiveness of interventions within the framework of the group course “Self-Help Plus” (SH+) for the prevention of the development of mental disorders among Ukrainian students with symptoms of stress of mild and moderate severity». Grant support by WHO.

2025-2026 – Organizer and participant of the project «Veteran Mental Health Center of Excellence».

2025-2026 – Organizer and participant of the project «MindGuard Program».

2023-2024 – Principal Investigator of the research project «Innovative model of mental health of students in war and post-war periods». Grant support from the National Research Foundation of Ukraine within the framework of the competition "Science for the reconstruction of Ukraine in war and post-war periods».

2022-2023 – Principal Investigator of the project "Research on the implementation of the online course "Introduction to Evidence-Based Prevention" (INEP): Feasibility study at universities in Ukraine, Peru and the Czech Republic".

2020-2021 – Principal Investigator of the research project «MASC: Mental health care: Adverse Sequelae of COVID-19» in Ukraine.

2020-2021 – Principal Investigator of the research project "Investigate the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the mental health of medical workers and develop a comprehensive model for overcoming its negative consequences using modern information and communication technologies".

2002 – leader of the research project in Donetsk region, Ukraine, World Health Organization epidemiological study "Mental Health in the World in 2000".

9 Annual Conferences of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association were organized, including the WPA European Regional Congress (July, 7-9, 2021, Kyiv, Ukraine) and the IX Annual Ukrainian Psychiatric Association International Conference, “The Price of Peace in Our Time” (February, 24-25, 2023, Warsaw, Poland).

### **Member of the Editorial Boards of international scientific journals:**

«Addiktologie» - <https://adiktologie-journal.eu/editorial-board/>

### **Member of the Advisory Boards of *The Lancet Psychiatry***

<https://www.thelancet.com/lanpsy/international-advisory-board>

***Lancet Psychiatry Insight Profile:***

[https://www.thelancet.com/journals/lanpsy/article/PIIS2215-0366\(22\)00345-5/fulltext](https://www.thelancet.com/journals/lanpsy/article/PIIS2215-0366(22)00345-5/fulltext)

**Author of more than 163 scientific works**, including monographs and training manuals.  
39 scientific works published in the journals indexed in Scopus/Web of Science.