

### **Upcoming Events**

- ✓ Friday Nov 15th 6:00 – 8:00 pm Meet the Board! Happy Hour at The Snug 2301 Fillmore, SF,CA 94115
- ✓ Friday Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 7:00 – 9:00pm Holiday Party Harborview 4 Embarcadero, SF,CA 94111

#### **Past Events**

- ✓ Sat June 8th SOCIAL EVENT: Pop-Up Meet-Up @ the DeYoung's Bouquets to Art!
- ✓ Fri July 12<sup>th</sup> SOCIAL EVENT: Past President's Dinner
- Sat Sept 28th Board Retreat
- ✓ Sat Oct 7th
  CE EVENT:
  Introduction to
  Compassion
  Focused Therapy

Nov 3 2019

Dear SFPA Members,

Happy Sunday and welcome to the second installment of the newsletter! In the coming year, we hope to use this newsletter to keep SFPA members apprised about upcoming social and professional events, advertise CE opportunities in the community, introduce new members, highlight Board activities.

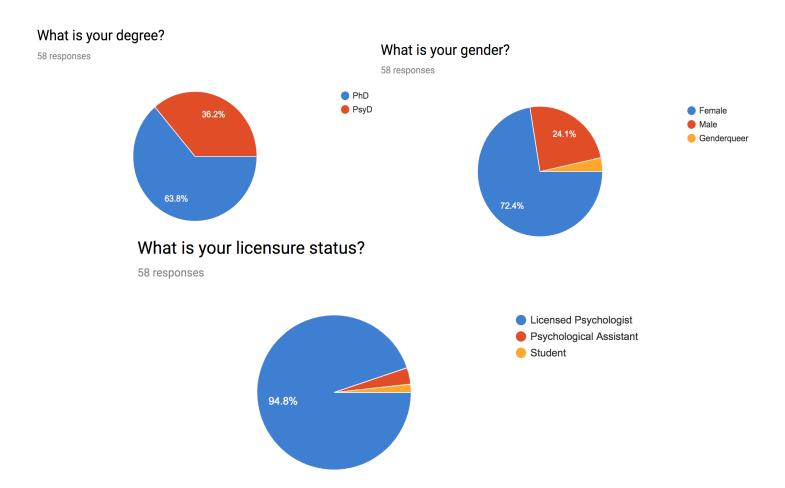
A few months ago, we conducted a membership survey to sample current members. The purpose of the survey was to gather some basic professional information from our 200+ members, as well as to do a needs assessment in order to inform future event planning and workshops. I am pleased to report that n = 58 members responded to the survey, which represents nearly 30% of the SFPA membership. A summary of the survey is presented on the following page. A big thank you to all of you who indicated that you would like to be involved in presenting workshops on your topics of expertise as well as those who indicated that you may be interested in joining our board. We will be reaching out to you shortly to learn more. Another action item from feedback that we received included adding more events to the calendar. It's our hope to host at least one social or CE event per month in the upcoming year.

One event we would like to especially highlight is the annual Holiday party, which will be held at the Harborview Restaurant at 4 Embarcadero Center on Friday December 6<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm. We would like to warmly welcome you all to come celebrate the holidays with us. A buffet dinner and one drink will be included. Please RSVP by signing on to the SFPA website.

As always, if you have ideas for future events or if you would like to get involved with SFPA in a leadership role, please reach out to our current president, Khashi Farhadi Langroudi, PsyD or our president elect, Akiko Kaji, PhD.

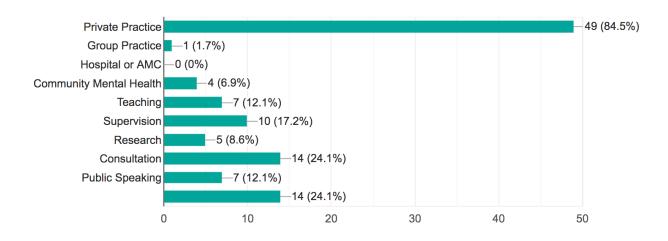
Warmly, J. Allison He, PhD, SFPA Board Secretary

## 2019 MEMBER SURVEY

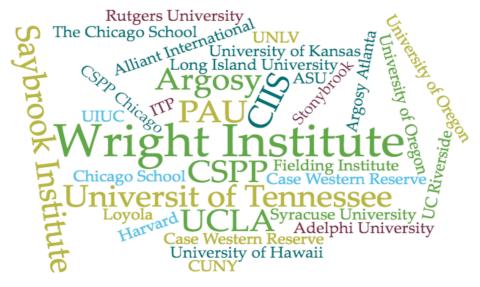


# What are your primary professional activities? Select all that apply

58 responses

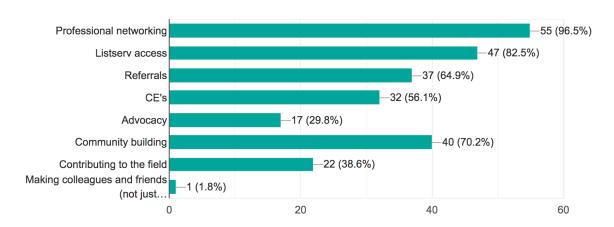


## 2019 Survey Continued: Word Cloud Generated from Alma Maters



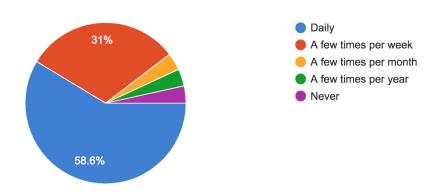
### Please check all the reasons why you joined SFPA

57 responses



## How often do you check the SFPA forums / listserv postings?

58 responses



Thanks for reading this edition of the newsletter. We hope to see you at the Holiday Party!

Sincerely, 2019 SFPA Executive Board

