Special Institute: Monday, February 28
Two-Day Institute: Tuesday-Wednesday, March 1-2
Three-Day Conference: Thursday-Saturday, March 3-5
AGPA Connect provides participants from diverse clinical disciplines the opportunity to advance their knowledge, skills, and training in group psychotherapy and related fields. The AGPA Connect experience includes the development of new clinical approaches, refinement of therapeutic methods, exchange of clinical and empirical knowledge with colleagues, exposure to current research and theory, and the opportunity to participate in a multidisciplinary peer support network.

AGPA Connect is divided into three sections: the One-Day Special Institute (Monday, February 28) taught by prominent clinicians, the Two-Day Institute (Tuesday-Wednesday, March 1-2) devoted to small group teaching primarily in the experiential mode, the, and the Three-Day Conference (Thursday-Saturday, March 3-5) which offers a variety of formats, including limited registration workshops as well as open session panels on special topics and original scientific paper sessions.

Who Should Attend?
Mental health professionals who have an interest in and/or currently work with groups who wish to be kept abreast of new developments and to expand the scope of their clinical practices.

Why Should You Attend?
■ World-renowned faculty are available to instruct, challenge, and inspire you.
■ Earn over 35 continuing education credits in your affiliated discipline.
■ Learn valuable, proven strategies, and clinical techniques that can be used immediately.
■ Access a full menu of diversified offerings designed to sharpen your knowledge and skills.
■ Create cherished memories while strengthening your professional expertise.

What You Will Learn!
After participating, attendees will be able to:
1. Identify, review, and integrate basic group dynamic concepts into their group practice;
2. Compare the theoretical underpinnings of various schools of group therapy;
3. Conduct groups in a variety of settings with a broad range of populations;
4. Apply evidenced-based practices as they relate to group therapy.

How to Register!
An online registration form is available on the AGPA website, agpa.org. You may also register by mail, fax, phone, and email. To mail: complete the registration form on the back cover, and mail it along with your payment to American Group Psychotherapy Association, c/o SunTrust Lockbox, PO Box 117572, Atlanta, GA 30368-7572. Fax your form including credit card information to 212-297-2158. Phone registration is available by calling toll-free 877-668-AGPA (2472) or 212-297-2190. You may also email us at registration@agpa.org.

We are excited to welcome you to AGPA Connect 2022, “Uniting Through Groups: Pathways to Understanding and Inclusion”. As you know, AGPA Connect 2022 will be a virtual conference and will be held Feb 28-March 5, 2022. Although we deeply wish we could have met in person in Denver, we recognize the necessity of our conference being held in this way, for this year. We will have built on our learnings from last year’s meeting and we know we will have a spectacular meeting.

The theme of our meeting resonates deeply with our work as group therapists and at the organization level. AGPA Connect 2022 will indeed deepen our capacities to promote understanding and inclusion.

As we learned last year, it was amazing how much we found ourselves connecting with each other and the educational offerings over the week of programming—even in this virtual format. As you peruse the program, you will see a great depth and breadth of educational and experiential Institutes, Workshops, Open Sessions and Plenaries, as well as numerous opportunities to socialize with each other. We have continued to intensify our focus on topics of social justice and diversity, equity and inclusion with remarkable presenters and offerings. We trust that you will be nourished, both personally and professionally, through your experience in the meeting.

The AGPA Staff has done an incredible job of refining the use of the sophisticated platform from last year that will allow us to offer this rich virtual experience. Do not be daunted by the virtual nature. Nearly 1000 individuals attended AGPA Connect 2021 and their comments were overwhelmingly positive as to the richness of the experience. There will be considerable help in figuring out all that there is to do and how to access different features, and we will be sending updates about that. This will include great resources for technological help. Please be sure to carefully read the emails you receive to stay on top of it all. And if you need help figuring out how to navigate the many meeting options, check out the FAQ section on the AGPA website.

We call our meeting AGPA Connect because being a part of AGPA is about the connections we experience. As we write this letter, we are formulating ways to ensure this aspect of Connect will be an integral part of your experience. There will be events for First-Time Attendees, New Members and New CGPs. Special Interest Groups (SIGs) are also a great way to meet others with similar interests, and we will be posting those opportunities periodically online. So keep checking your emails for information of the unfolding ways we will make this happen.

Many of us have been sustained for years through the connections we have made at AGPA Connect and we’re not going to let a pandemic get in our way. See you online soon!

Molyn Leszcz, MD, FRCPC, CGP, DFAGPA
AGPA President

Katie Steele, PhD, CGP, FAGPA
D. Thomas Stone, Jr, PhD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA
AGPA Connect Co-Chairs

What to look for inside...
We have an exciting line-up of speaker presentations:

■ Special Institute Presentation on Monday, February 28 where Kenneth Hardy, PhD will present “Group Therapy in a Time of Racial Reckoning and Unrest.”
■ Lisa Mahon, PhD, CGP, FAGPA will present the Opening Institute Plenary Address entitled, “The Odyssey of a Group Therapist: Discovering Oneself in the Presence of Others.”
■ Maria Yellow Horse Brave Heart, PhD and Josephine Chase, PhD, MSW will present the Mitchell Hochberg Memorial Public Education Event “Iwankapiya (Healing) - Historical Trauma and Unresolved Grief Intervention and Group Interpersonal Psychotherapy for American Indians.”
■ Daniel Siegel, MD will be the Conference Opening Plenary Speaker; his presentation will focus on the topic “IntraConnected: Integrating Identity and Broadening Belonging as MWe (Me + We = MWe).”
■ Gary Burlingame, PhD, CGP, DFAGPA will deliver the Anne and Ramon Alonso Presidential Plenary Address entitled, “The Future of Group Therapy is Bright!”
■ Robert Unger, LCSW, PhD, will be presenting the Louis R. Ormont Lecture. It is entitled, “The Elusive Technique of No-Technique in Group Psychotherapy.”

Just for fun, at the end of each day there is a time to get to know each other personally at our SIG meetings and social hours. You also won’t want to miss the Friday night party hosted by the Group Foundation for Advancing Mental Health.

Attendance is Affordable...
New Member Discount. If you are not currently an AGPA member and join at the time of registration, you will save more than the difference between the member and non-member registration fee. A membership application is on page 17 of this program. We hope you will join us as a member.

Students, Residents, Early Career Professionals, Retirees, and Clinicians and Chaplains working with Active Duty Military and Veterans Discounts. These populations are offered a 35% discount.

Agency/Institutional Multi-Person Registration Discount. A special discount is available to individuals from the same agency/institution. The first registration is at the full rate with additional registrations from the same agency at a 35% discount. In order to obtain a discount code for your institution, send a listing of the names of registrants on agency letterhead stating personnel are full-time or part-time employees whose sole source of income is from the agency to registration@agpa.org. The letter should also verify the agency or institution as a non-profit. (Other discounts are not applicable when using an agency/institutional discount.)

AGPA Connect Scholarships are also being offered by the Group Foundation for Advancing Mental Health. Details on Awards and Scholarships for attendees as well as application information can be found on our website.

Please consider a donation to the Scholarship Fund to support the scholarship program; you can include a gift on the website or on the registration form found on the last page of this program.
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Special Institute Presentation

Monday, February 28
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM and 2:30 PM – 5:30 PM (Eastern)
SI-1. Group Therapy in a Time of Racial Reckoning and Unrest
Instructor: Kenneth V. Hardy, PhD

A little over a year ago, the murders of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, and countless others sent shockwaves throughout this country and around the world. The mask of denial that too often shielded the prevalence of racial oppression in our society was aggressively removed, once again, exposing the ugliness of our unacknowledged racial history. While in a state of collective, individual, and institutional outrage, shame, and shock, with our racial consciousness allegedly elevated to an all-time high, we entered a self-proclaimed period of racial reckoning. This period has encouraged us all to consider the ways in which our lives are affected by race, not just as civilians but as professionals as well. Regardless of what our personal views are regarding race, as an organization and as practitioners, it is imperative that we, as group therapists, possess the will and skill to meet the race-related demands of our time.

This presentation will examine the sociocultural and ethical imperatives of what it means to be a group therapist in a time of racial reckoning and unrest. Specific strategies for developing a racial lens and becoming a racially attuned group therapist will be provided.

Dr. Kenneth V. Hardy is a Clinical and Organizational Consultant at the Eikenberg Institute for Relationships in New York, NY, where he also serves as a Director. He provides Racially Focused Trauma Informed training, executive coaching, and consultation to a diverse network of individuals and organizations throughout the United States and abroad. He is a former Professor of Family Therapy at both Drexel University in Philadelphia, and Syracuse University in New York, and has also served as the Director of Children, Families, and Trauma at the Ackerman Institute for the Family in New York, NY.

The Two-Day Institute is designed for clinical professionals who meet the requirements of at least a Master’s degree in a mental health profession and who have clinical psychotherapy experience. However, many sections of the Institute welcome psychiatric residents and graduate students in mental health degree programs as well as mental health workers who work in a range of human service settings. Please register for a section consistent with your experience.

The Institute is scheduled over two full days: Tuesday and Wednesday, March 1-2, 11:30 AM – 7:00 PM (Eastern), with a lunch break from 2:30-4:00 Eastern. Registration will only be accepted for the full two days and registrants will be expected to attend both days, including the Institute Opening Plenary Session on Tuesday. Continuing Education credit will not be awarded for partial attendance. Devoted to small group experiential teaching, these two-day groups are led by carefully selected experienced instructors. The secure environment of these small groups allows for rich cognitive and emotional learning about group processes and oneself as well as an opportunity for personal and professional renewal. The Institute consists of two sections:

- **Process Group Experience (PGE) Sections:** These small groups provide participants an environment in which to obtain, expand, and retain their skills in conducting group therapy. The group psychotherapy skills gained are important in conducting any group, regardless of its theoretical orientation, time parameter or patient population. PGE sections are essential training and benefit the participants, both personally and professionally. A portion of each PGE will be didactic. A maximum of 10 registrants will be accepted per group.

- **Specific Interest Sections:** These sections offer intensive learning about specific theories and approaches in group treatment. Registrants can pursue current interests in greater depth or learn ways of integrating new approaches and methods into their private practice, clinic, or agency work. Most of the Specific Interest Sections have extensive experiential components. Registration maximum (14-18 registrants) has been set by each instructor.

**Observation and Evaluation:** Institute sections will be observed by Institute Committee members. Registrants will be asked to complete evaluation questionnaires, designed to aid us in determining to provide high quality meetings, upon conclusion of their attendance at events.

Continuing Education for Two-Day Institute Sections: 13.0 credits/1.3 units
Below are the listings of the two types of Institutes: Process Group Experiences (PGE) and Specific Interest Sections. The PGE participants acquire general therapy skills relevant to leading groups by participating in a process-oriented group. Specific Interest Sections offer participants a chance to explore a particular theme in greater depth or to learn a new theoretical approach. For Specific Interest Sections, previous participation in a PGE is recommended but not required. Members agree to attend the entire group, to participate actively, and to respect the privacy of the other members. After attending an Institute, participants will be able to identify various aspects of group process and dynamics. These groups provide an important opportunity for experiential learning and growth. Please Note: Dual relationships can hinder learning and could impact the experience for you and others. Those with dual relationships should consider NOT registering for the same Institute.

**PROCESS GROUP EXPERIENCE (PGE) SECTIONS**

**I-A. GENERAL PROCESS GROUP EXPERIENCE**

**Entry Level**

Less than 4 years of group psychotherapy leadership experience

**Instructors:**
- Paul Berkelhammer, MA, LMHC, CP, CGP
- Barbara Illfeld, MSN, RNCS, CGP-R, FAGPA
- CANCELLED
- Michele Ribeiro, EdD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA
- Neal Spivack, PhD, CGP, FAGPA
- Claudia Arlo, LCSW-R, CGP, FAGPA
- Esther Stone, MSW, CGP, DLFAAGPA

**Intermediate Level**

4-9 years of group psychotherapy leadership experience

**Instructors:**
- Paul Cox, MD, CGP
- Jennifer Joseph, PsyD, CGP
- Paul LePhuoc, PhD, CGP
- Marcia Nickow, PsyD, CADC, CGP

**Advanced Level**

10+ years of group psychotherapy leadership experience

**Instructors:**
- Cynthia Miller Aron, MSW, CGP, FAGPA
- Elaine Cooper, LCSW, PhD, CGP, DFGAPA
- Greg MacColl, LCSW, CGP, FAGPA

**I-B. PROCESS GROUP EXPERIENCE SECTION WITH MIXED LEVELS OF EXPERIENCE**

**Instructors:**
- Rita Drapkin, PhD, CGP
- Leonardo (Leo) Leiderman, PsyD, ABPP, FAACP, CGP, FAGPA
- Jamie Moran, PsyD, CGP
- Matthew Tomatz, MA, LPC, LAC, CGP

**I-C. PROCESS GROUP EXPERIENCE SECTION FOR SENIOR LEVEL THERAPISTS**

Limited to prior AGPA Institute instructors or registrants who have participated in four or more AGPA Institutes.

**Instructor:**
- Shari Baron, MSN, CNS, CGP, LFAGPA

**I-D. TWO-YEAR CONTINUOUS SECTION**

Registration for this section assumes attendance at two consecutive AGPA Connect Meetings.

**Instructors:**
- Michael Frank, MA, LMFT, CGP, LFAGPA
- Paul Kaye, PhD, CGP, FAGPA and Gaea Logan, LPC-S, CGP, FAGPA

**I-E. National Institute Instructor Designate**

Registration for this section is available to approved 2021 NID applicants.

**Instructor:**
- Alexis Abernethy, PhD, CGP, FAGPA

**SPECIFIC INTEREST SECTIONS**

**II. Acceptance, Attunement, and Emotional Receptivity: Welcoming the Whole Self in Group**

Jeffrey Hudson, MD, LPC, CGP, FAGPA

**III. Racialized Trauma in Black, Indigenous, and Therapists of Color**

Kavita Avula, PsyD, CGP
- Marcus Hummings, PsyD, CGP

**IV. Becoming Who We Are in Groups: A Jungian Approach to Group Psychotherapy**

Justin Hecht, PhD, CGP, FAGPA

**V. Existential Factors in Group Psychotherapy: Learning to Thrive During a Pandemic**

Maryetta Andrews-Sachs, MA, LCSW, CGP, FAGPA
- Farooq Mohyuddin, MD, CGP, FAGPA

**VI. Cultivating the Internal Secure Base in Group Psychotherapy**

Aaron Black, PhD, CGP, FAGPA

**VII. Managing Love and Hate in a World of Social Crisis**

Ronnie Levine, PhD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA

**VIII. A Relational Group Journey to Flatland and Beyond: Experiencing the Impact of the Online Environment on the Inclusion and Exclusion of Different Self States in the Individual and the Group**

Sharon Sagi Berg, MA, CGP; Ido Peleg, MD, CGP

**IX. Understanding Each Other:**

Jeanne Bunker, LCSW, CGP, FAGPA

**X. Handle with Care:**

Karsten Kueppenbender, MD, CGP
- Mendel Horowitz, MS, CGP

**XI. Living Out Loud: Attuning the Leader’s Voice**

Marie Sergent, PhD, CGP

**XII. Permission Granted: Transforming Prohibition into Power**

Alyson Stone, PhD, CGP

**XIII. Love Thwarted/Love Bites: Enactments of the Sadistic-Masochistic Configurations Within the Group**

Judith Schaefer, LCSW, CGP, FAGPA
- Gil Spielberg, PhD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA

**XIV. Reconnecting Masculinity: Reworking the Terms of Manhood**

David Joseph Dumais, LCSW, CGP
- Craig Haen, PhD, RDT, CGP, LCAT, FAGPA

**XV. Rupture and Repair in Relational Group Psychotherapy**

Martha Gilmore, PhD, CGP, LFAGPA
- Haim Weinberg, PhD, CGP, FAGPA

**XVI. Social Identities, Power and Privilege: How Difference is Essential for Group Cohesion**

Paul Gitterman, LCSW, MSC, CGP

**XVII. Pathways to Deep Connection and Neurobiological Change**

Elizabeth Olson, PsyD, LCSW, CGP

**XVIII. Neuroscience to the Rescue: Deepening Online Group Experiences using Polyvagal Theory**

Lorraine Wodiska, PhD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA

**XIX. Finding Our Center of Health: Coupling Modern Analysis with Relational Life**

Ginger Sullivan, MA, LPC, CGP, FAGPA

**XX. Interpersonal Dynamics for Referent Leadership in Organizations**

Christine Carpenter, MA, PsyD, CGP
- Daryl Pure, PhD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA

**XXI. Group Psychotherapy Supervision and Clinical Consultation**

Annie Weiss, LCSW, CGP, FAGPA

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Sue Barnum, MA, LPCC, TEP, CGP-R
- Shelley Firestone, MD, CP, PAT, CGP, FAGPA
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Thursday, March 3
Conference Opening Plenary Session
IntraConnected: Integrating Identity and Broadening Belonging as MWe (Me + We = MWe)
Featured Speaker: Daniel J. Siegel, MD

In this presentation, we’ll examine the notion of “connection” and its correlation with mental health. When we feel disconnected from our inner life, we suffer; when we are disconnected relationally—from people and nature—we can become anxious, depressed, despondent. What is this powerful “connection” actually made of, what is it, and how can we take the science of connection and inform the practice of psychotherapy? In many ways, the experience of a separate, solo-self may underly the many challenges we face, from racism and social injustice to environmental destruction. The field of mental health can play a pivotal role in how we help our human family move toward a new way of living on Earth by addressing the modern cultural excessive focus on individuality in the separate sense of self. These questions and their personal, professional, and public implications will focus our discussion on the nature of both interconnection—the links between parts of a system—and intracconnection—the wholeness of the system.
EVENT FORMATS

COURSES: These courses are designed to cover a variety of topics in-depth. One-Day Courses meet in two sections for one full day. Participants must attend all sessions in order to receive continuing education credits. Course manuals are available for purchase in advance in the AGPA online store. Continuing Education: One-Day: 5.0 credits/.5 units

HALF-DAY OPEN SESSIONS: These meetings will be presented in a variety of formats, including panels, papers and demonstrations. Audience participation and exchange with the presenters is encouraged. Continuing Education: 2.5 credits/.25 units

ONE-HOUR OPEN SESSIONS: These presentations and discussions will be presented on specialized areas of interest for the group therapist on Friday afternoon. Continuing Education: 1.0 credit/.1 unit

ASA LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMING:
Sponsored by the Affiliate Society Assembly (ASA) and the Organization/Consulting SIG this programming is intended for those who would like to enhance group leadership skills and knowledge across a wide range of roles, not only as group therapy leaders but also as leaders in agencies, government, business, industry non-profit and educational organizations, or perhaps their own family or community. The Leadership Development Program enables members to develop a skill set that may not have been taught in traditional graduate schools or elsewhere that focused primarily on mental health groups. The aim is to offer and translate the clinical therapeutic leadership skills of group psychotherapy to the different forms of leadership in a wide range of social and business organizations with the intention of promoting effective, constructive and humane leadership.

As a subtheme of the Connect 2022, “Uniting Through Groups: Pathways to Understanding and Inclusion,” this year the theme for the Leadership Development Program will be “Enhancing Diverse Leadership.” This include topics around the unique experiences and challenges of leaders that carry minority status within organizations. Additionally, group psychotherapists and organizational consultants are specifically poised to institute progressive change towards diversity, inclusivity, and equity. Our skill sets can enable the powerful and necessary conversations around these sensitive issues.

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Anna Graybeal, PhD, CGP, SEP | N/L |
| 6         | Your Professional Will: The Ethical Care of Your Practice and Yourself  
Ann Steiner, PhD, MFT, CGP, FAGPA | N/L |
| 7         | Understanding and Connecting Through Bodily and Verbal Languages  
Bojun Hu, PhD; Lizhu Zhao, MA | N/L |
| 8         | Exploring Group Therapy Process Through Individual Art, Movement and Written Words Experience  
Daniella Bassis, PsyD; Orit Even Shoshan Reshef, PsyD; Idit Tevet-Cytryn, PsyD | N/L |
| 9         | GROUP - A Modern Analytic Video Training Series  
John Caffaro, PhD, CGP, FAGPA; Eliot Zeisel, PhD, CGP, DAFAGPA | N/L |
| 10        | Soul Siblings and Black Women Magic: The Need and Power of Black Women Groups at Predominantly White Institutions  
Kimberly Burdine, PhD; Analesa Clarke, PhD, CGP | N/L |
| 11        | Embracing Today: Present Centered Group Therapy for Survivors of Trauma  
Daniel Gross, LCISW; Barbara Niles, PhD; Analesa Clarke, PhD, CGP; William Unger, PhD; Melissa Wattenberg, PhD | N/L |
| 12        | Interpersonal Neurobiology, Courage and High-Performing Teams  
Rachel Stephens, PsyD, LCP; Carolyn Waterfall, MS, LPC, CGP | N/L |

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John Caffaro, PhD, CGP, FAGPA; Sophia Chang-Caffaro, PsyD, CGP; Elizabeth Olson, PsyD, LCSW, CGP | N/L |
| 305       | Using Group Process for Diverse Contexts  
Michele Ribeiro, EdD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA; Joanna Kyei, PsyD; Anne McEneaney, PhD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA; Henry Nsubuga, Msc. IPHC, MA Counseling; Matthew Tomatz, MA, LPC, LAC, CGP | N/L |

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Shemika Brooks, PsyD, CGP; Nathasha Hohn, PhD, CGP; Shelby Weltz, PsyD | N/L |
| 14        | Using our Emotions as Leaders to Understand and Guide our Groups  
Dave Kaplowitz, LMFT, CGP | 4+ |
| 15        | Using Team-Building Activities to Advance the Goals of Group Therapy  
Barney Strauss, MSW, MA, CGP, FAGPA | N/L |
| 16        | Writing and Its Multiple Uses in Psychotherapy Settings  
Dominick Grundy, PhD, CGP, FAGPA | N/L |

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Nate Page, PhD, LP, CGP | N/L |
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Robert Klein, PhD, ABPP, CGP, DLFAGPA; Suzanne Phillips, PsyD, ABPP, CGP, FAGPA | N/L |
| 19        | Coping with Aging in Ourselves and Our Clients: The Importance of Understanding and Acceptance  
Ken Schwartz, MD, FRCPC, Shayne Vitemb, MA, LMFT, CGP | 10+ |
| 20        | Group Based Approaches to Parental Reactivity and Transformation: The Parent Circle Model  
David Flink, PhD, CGP | N/L |

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Gary Burlingame, PhD, CGP, DFAGPA                                                                 | N/L              |
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Director: Mikhail Bogomaz, PsyD, CGP, ABPP; Faculty: Shola Cole, PsyD, CGP; Karen Cone-Uemura, PhD, CGP; Teyva Zukor, PhD, LCP, CGP (Part I is a pre-requisite.) | N/L              |
| **12:00- 2:30 PM & 3:45-6:15 PM** | 21a      | Longing to Belong: Exploring Barriers to Connection and Closeness  
Alien Sheps, MSW, FCGPA, CGP; Joan-Dianne Smith, MSW, CGP, FCGPA               | 10+              |
| **12:00- 2:30 PM & 3:45-6:15 PM** | 22a      | Therapists as Racial Beings: Leading Groups with People of Color Across the Lifespan  
Robin Dean, PsyD, MSEd; Kathleen Isaac, PhD; Colette McLean, LCSW; Archandria Owens, PhD; Rachelle Rene, PhD, BCB, HSM | N/L              |
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Bill Roller, MA, LFAGPA; Yong Xu, MD, CGP     | N/L              |
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