

**Curriculum Vitae**  
**Sean M. Barnes, PhD**

**Current Position**

Clinical Research Psychologist  
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**PERSONAL STATEMENT**

I am a clinical research psychologist at the Rocky Mountain MIRECC for Veteran Suicide Prevention and Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at the University of Colorado School of Medicine. I am principal- or co-investigator for federally funded projects focusing on suicide risk assessment and prevention. My recent research aims to (1) evaluate a brief intervention protocol utilizing Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT) to maximize recovery following a suicidal crisis, (2) refine and evaluate an ACT group intervention for moral injury, (3) develop behavioral assessments of suicide risk to overcome the difficulties associated with the reliance on patient self-report, (4) explicate the cognitive and emotional processes involved in suicidal crises, and (5) increase Veteran treatment access and engagement through work with nontraditional therapies (e.g., web-based interventions). I publish in scientific journals and present locally, nationally, and internationally regarding suicide risk assessment and prevention, mental health, moral injury, and mindfulness and acceptance. In addition to direct clinical care, I train VA clinicians in ACT for Depression and suicide prevention as a VA ACT-D training consultant and consultant with the local and national VA Suicide Risk Management Consultation Program, respectively. I also supervise psychology postdoctoral fellows and interns, and provide workshops to clinicians outside the VA.

**EDUCATION**

2000 – 2004	B.A., Psychology	University Of Rochester, Rochester, New York
2005 – 2007	M.S., Clinical Psychology	Binghamton University, Binghamton, New York
2007 – 2011	Ph.D., Clinical Psychology	Binghamton University, Binghamton, New York
2010 – 2011	Predoctoral Internship, Clinical Psychology	Cincinnati VA Medical Center, Cincinnati, Ohio
2011 – 2013	Postdoctoral Fellowship, Advanced Clinical Research & Treatment	Denver VAMC (MIRECC), Denver, CO

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

2011 – 2014	Instructor, Department of Psychiatry, University of Colorado Denver School of Medicine
2014 – present	Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, University of Colorado Denver School of Medicine

**PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS**

2013 – Present	Clinical Research Psychologist, VA Eastern Colorado Health Care System, Denver VAMC, Rocky Mountain MIRECC, Denver, CO/Rocky Mountain Regional VAMC, Aurora, CO
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**Clinical Investigator (2013–Present).** Principal or Co-Investigator for multiple federally funded projects focusing on suicide risk assessment and prevention. Publish in scientific journals and present both locally and nationally regarding suicide risk assessment and prevention, mental health, and mindfulness and acceptance. Provide a full range of psycho-diagnostic and psychotherapeutic services, including: diagnostic interviews, psychological assessment, consultation to outpatient mental health, residential treatment, inpatient psychiatry and other medical providers regarding Veterans at high risk for suicide, and evidence-based psychotherapy. Supervise psychology postdoctoral fellows and interns.

**Acting Co-Director of the Rocky Mountain MIRECC Suicide Prevention Consultation Service (2016–2016).** Co-directed a suicide prevention consultation service for providers in the Eastern Colorado Healthcare System while one of the permanent co-directors was on maternity leave. Received and assigned consult requests, led team meetings, and provided supervision.

**HONORS, SPECIAL RECOGNITION, AND AWARDS**

2005 – 2009	Binghamton University Graduate Scholar Fellowship
2006	Graduate Student Employees' Union Professional Development Award
2008 – 2010	Mind and Life Summer Research Institute Fellow
2011	Binghamton University's Graduate Student Excellence Award in Research
2012	Invited on behalf of His Holiness the Dalai Lama to attend Mind and Life XXV, Contemplative Practice and Health: Laboratory findings and real world challenges

**MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

2010 – present Association for Contextual Behavioral Science, Member  
2011 – present American Association of Suicidology, Member  
2012 – present Military Suicide Research Consortium, Member  
2019 – present Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Member

### MAJOR COMMITTEE AND SERVICE RESPONSIBILITIES

2016 – 2018 American Association of Suicidology Early Career Task Force, Member  
2016 – 2017 VA Continuum of Care Review Subcommittee for Self-Directed Care, Member

### LICENSURE

2013 – Present Licensed clinical psychologist, State of Colorado

### REVIEW AND REFEREE WORK

Consulting Editor:

2013 – Present Consulting Editor *Psychology of Consciousness: Theory, Research, and Practice*

Ad hoc Reviewer:

*Journal of Abnormal Psychology*  
*Suicide and Life-Threatening Behaviors*  
*American Journal of Public Health*  
*Journal of Traumatic Stress*  
*Journal of Contextual Behavioral Science*  
*Mindfulness*

Grant Reviewer:

2017 – 2019 Reviewer on VA CSR&D Merit Scientific Review Panels  
2020 – Present Reviewer on VA RR&D Career Development Award Scientific Review Panel

### SELECTED LECTURES/PRESENTATIONS

#### Local

1. Monteith, L. L., **Barnes, S.M.**, Holliday, R., & Hoffmire, C. A. (2021, August). *ASCEND: A Pilot Study of a Population-Based Survey Measuring Self-Directed Violence among Veterans* [Virtual Presentation]. VA ECHCS Mental Health Grand Rounds, Aurora, CO.
2. Wortzel, H., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2021, March). *Therapeutic Risk Management of the Potentially Violent Patient*. Rocky Mountain Regional VAMC Mental Health Grand Rounds, Aurora, CO.
3. **Barnes, S. M.** (2018, April). *Transdiagnostic Treatment and Wellness Promotion Using Mindfulness and Values-Based Living*. Presented at the GRECC, MIRECC, COIN Grand Rounds, Denver, CO.
4. **Barnes, S.M.** (2016, August). *Supercharging the safety plan*. Presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Mental Health Community Summit, Denver, CO.
5. **Barnes, S. M.** (2016, June). *Fostering and Maintaining Hope Using a “Hope Box”*. Presented at a VA Grant Per Diem Provider Meeting, Denver, CO.
6. **Barnes, S. M.**, & Smith, G. (2016, April). *Supercharging the VA Safety Planning Process: Crisis management and beyond*. Presented at the Eastern Colorado Health Care System’s Mental Health Service All Staff Meeting, Denver, CO.

#### Regional

1. Borges, L. M., **Barnes, S. M.**, & Farnsworth, J. (2017, October). *Approaching shame from a contextual behavioral perspective*. Panel presented at the Rocky Mountain Association for Contextual and Behavioral Science Conference, Centennial, CO.
2. Sorensen, D., **Barnes, S. M.**, & Smith G. (2017, October). *ACT for suicide prevention*. Panel discussion presented at the Rocky Mountain Association for Contextual Behavioral Science Conference, Centennial, CO.

#### National

1. Borges, L. M., **Barnes, S. M.**, Norman, S., Nieuwsma, J., & Bahraini, N. H. (2021, May). *Responding to moral distress and moral injury in the time of COVID-19: Intervention and prevention for providers, veterans, and service members*. Symposium presented at the 2021 VA/DoD Suicide Prevention Conference, online.
2. McGarity, S., **Barnes, S. M.**, Holliday, R., & Gerard, G. (2021, April). *Challenging barriers to effective safety planning with Veterans: Considering context and clinical complexity*. Workshop presented at the 54th Annual Conference of the American Association of Suicidology, Orlando, FL/online.

3. Borges, L. M., Farnsworth J. K., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2020, October). *Acceptance and Commitment Therapy for Moral Injury (ACT-MI): Approaching moral pain through contextual behavioral science*. Center for Deployment Psychology webinar, online.
4. Borges, L. M. & **Barnes, S. M.** (2020, June). *Using Chain Analysis to Assess and Intervene on Suicidal Ideation and Behavior*. Department of Veterans Affairs, Employee Education System and Office of Mental Health and Suicide Prevention webinar presented online.
5. **Barnes, S. M.**, Stanley, B., Sullivan, S., Goodman, M., Primack, J., Maratazzo, B. M., Landes, S. J., & Bahraini N. H. (2019, August). *Promising suicide prevention interventions for indicated populations*. Two part breakout session presented at the 2019 VA/DoD Suicide Prevention Conference, Nashville, TN.
6. Borges, L. M., **Barnes, S. M.**, & Bahraini, N. H. (2019, August). *Practicing chain analysis: Using an old tool for new insights into your client's suicidal behavior*. Breakout session presented at the VA/DoD 2019 Suicide Prevention Conference, Nashville, TN.
7. Borges, L. M., Bahraini, N. H., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2019, August). *Moral injury in warzone veterans: A conceptual model, qualitative investigation, and interventional study*. Symposium presented at the 2019 VA/DoD Suicide Prevention Conference, Nashville, TN.
8. **Barnes, S. M.**, Borges, L. M., Smith, G. P., & Bahraini, N. H. (2019, April). *Evaluating the acceptability and feasibility of ACT for Life: A brief inpatient intervention to promote recovery from suicidal crises*. Paper presented at the 52nd annual meeting of the American Association of Suicidology (AAS), Denver, CO.
9. **Barnes, S. M.**, Bahraini, N. H., Borges, L. M., Gissen, M. R., Lawson, W. C., Reed, M. S., Forster, J. E. (2019, April). *Recovering from suicidal crises: Examining patient perspectives of clinically meaningful change*. Paper presented at the 52nd annual meeting of AAS, Denver, CO.
10. Borges, L. M. & **Barnes, S. M.** (2019, April). *Moral injury and suicide prevention: A conceptual model and case study*. In R. Holliday (chair), *Trauma and suicide among Veterans: Using data to inform conceptualization, assessment, and intervention among Veterans*. Panel presented at the 52nd annual meeting of AAS, Denver, CO.
11. Borges, L. M., Dorsey Holliman, B., Gissen, M. R., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2019, April). *From soldier to "savage": Veterans' perspectives about experiencing moral injury in war*. Paper presented at the 52nd annual meeting of AAS, Denver, CO.
12. Borges, L. M., Smith, G. P., Sorenson, D., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2019, April). *Using Acceptance and Commitment Therapy across the continuum of care to promote life and prevent suicide*. Panel presented at the 52nd annual meeting of AAS, Denver, CO.
13. **Barnes, S. M.** (2018, October). *Empowering Veterans to thrive even in the presence of a desire for death*. National Cyberseminar presented as part of the Veterans Affairs ACT Mini Lecture Series.
14. Poindexter, E. K., Nazem, S., **Barnes, S. M.**, & Wortzel, H. (2018, April). *Suicide risk assessment and management: What to do when there are symptoms and performance validity concerns*. Panel discussion presented at the 51<sup>st</sup> annual American Association of Suicidology Conference, Washington, DC.
15. **Barnes, S. M.**, Smith, G., Sorensen, D., & Weinstein, J. (2017, August). *ACT for Life: Discussing the use of Acceptance and Commitment Therapy for Suicide Prevention*. Panel discussion presented at DoD/VA Suicide Prevention Conference: #BeThere – it takes a community, Denver, CO.
16. **Barnes, S. M.**, Nazem, S., Borges, L., Forster, J., & Bahraini, N. H. (2017, August). *Developing an experimental procedure to assess suicide risk*. Paper presented at DoD/VA Suicide Prevention Conference: #BeThere – it takes a community, Denver, CO.
17. Betthauser, L., **Barnes, S. M.**, Cochran, K., McGarity, S., Albanese, B., Schmidt, B., & Brenner, L. A. (2017, August). *Exploring the acceptability of a computerized intervention for anxiety sensitivity in OEF/OIF Veterans with mTBI to potentially mitigate suicide risk*. Paper presented at DoD/VA Suicide Prevention Conference: #BeThere – it takes a community, Denver, CO.
18. Debeer, B., Haddock, L., Patel, A. B., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2017, April). *Enhancing screening and safety planning for suicide prevention in military and Veteran populations*. Panel discussion presented at the American Association of Suicidology 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.
19. Nazem, S., **Barnes, S. M.**, Betthauser, L., & Bahraini, N. H. (2017, April). *Swipe Right: Exploring the use of technological applications for innovative advances in suicide research, prevention, intervention and management*. Panel discussion presented at the American Association of Suicidology 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.
20. **Barnes, S. M.**, Monteith, L. L., Gerber, H. R., & Bahraini, N. H. (2016, April). *ACT for Life: Using Acceptance and Commitment Therapy to understand and prevent suicide*. Panel presented at the American Association of Suicidology 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.
21. **Barnes, S. M.**, Forster, J.E., & Bahraini, N. H. (2016, April). *Optimizing the use of implicit associations to predict suicidal behavior*. Paper presented at the American Association of Suicidology 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.
22. Gipson, P., Gladden, D., Kene, P., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2016, April). *Branding strategies for early career suicidologists: What's on your t-shirt?* Panel presented at the American Association of Suicidology 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.
23. **Barnes, S. M.**, Bahraini, N.H., Forster, J. E., Stearns-Yoder, K., Hostetter, T. A., Nock, M. K., Smith, G., Nagamoto, H. T. (2015, April). *Behaviorally assessing suicide risk among Veterans*. Paper presented at the American Association of Suicidology 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.

24. Crowley, K. J., **Barnes, S. M.**, Homaifar, B. Y., & Smith, G. P. (2015, April). *Safety planning with suicidal patients: Understanding the process and "supercharging" therapeutic outcomes*. Workshop presented at the American Association of Suicidology 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
25. **Barnes, S. M.**, & Monteith, L. L. (2015, January). *Using problem solving techniques in suicide prevention*. Workshop presented at the VA/DoD Suicide Prevention Conference, Dallas, TX.

### International

1. **Barnes, S. M.**, Borges, L. M., Smith, G. P., Sorensen, D., & Bahraini, N. H. (2021, June). *ACT for Life: Experiential training on a contextual behavioral approach to suicidal ideation and behavior*. Eight-hour pre-conference training presented at the 19th annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science (ACBS), Warsaw, Poland/online.
2. Weinstein, J., Kroska, E., **Barnes, S. M.**, Strosahl, K., & Walser, R. D. (2021, June). *Integrating CBS principles into suicide prevention and intervention*. Panel discussion presented at the 19th annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science (ACBS), Warsaw, Poland/online.
3. Borges, L. M., Farnsworth, J. K., Walser, R. D., Drescher, K. D. & **Barnes, S. M.** (2020, July). *Creating a process-based moral injury intervention: Acceptance and Commitment Therapy for Moral Injury (ACT-MI)*. In K. Lear (Chair), *Therapeutic processes of change: How do psychological flexibility variables relate to important treatment outcomes?* Symposium presented at the 18th annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science (ACBS), online.
4. **Barnes, S. M.**, Borges, L. M., Smith, G., Walser, R. D., Forster, J., Hostetter, T. A., & Bahraini, N. H. (2020, July). *ACT for Life: Increasing psychological flexibility to decrease the impact of suicidal thoughts and urges*. In K. Lear (Chair), *Therapeutic processes of change: How do psychological flexibility variables relate to important treatment outcomes?* Symposium presented at the 18th annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science (ACBS), online.
5. **Barnes, S. M.**, Borges, L. M., Bahraini, N. H., & Walser, R. (2019, November). *ACT for Life: Using Acceptance and Commitment Therapy to prevent suicide and build meaningful lives*. Ticketed workshop at the 53<sup>rd</sup> convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Atlanta, GA.
6. Borges, L. M., Walser, R., Nieuwsma, J. A., Luoma, J., **Barnes, S. M.**, (2019, June). *Perspectives on a process-based approach to moral injury: Targetting the pathways maintaining suffering*. Panel discussion presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science, Dublin, Ireland.
7. **Barnes, S. M.**, Borges, L. M., Smith, G., Sorensen, D., & Walser, R. (2019, June). *Empowering clients to thrive despite their desire for death: A workshop on ACT for suicide*. Workshop presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science, Dublin, Ireland.
8. **Barnes, S. M.** (2019, January). *ACT for Life: a brief intervention for maximizing recovery after suicidal crises*. International Cyberseminar presented as part of the VA HSR&D Spotlight on Suicide Prevention Series.
9. **Barnes, S. M.**, Sorensen, D., Smith, G., Borges, L. M., & Walser, R. (2018, July). *Empowering clients to thrive despite their desire for death: A workshop on ACT for suicide*. Workshop presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science, Montreal, Québec, Canada.
10. Borges, L. M., Dorsey Holliman, B., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2018, July). *A conceptual model of moral injury and a qualitative exploration of standard moral injury treatment*. In L. M. Borges (Chair), *A functional contextual approach to moral injury: Conceptualization, treatment, and implementation considerations*. Paper presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science, Montreal, Québec, Canada.
11. **Barnes, S. M.**, Forster, J. E., Monteith, L. L., & Bahraini, N. H. (2016, November). *Improving suicide risk assessment among psychiatrically hospitalized Veterans with PTSD*. Paper presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting, Dallas, TX.
12. **Barnes, S. M.**, & Bahraini, N. H. (2016, June). *Using Acceptance and Commitment Therapy to Understand and Prevent Suicide*. In **Barnes, S. M.** (Chair), *Utilizing Acceptance and Commitment Therapy to understand and prevent suicide*. 14th Annual World Conference of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science, Seattle, WA.
13. **Barnes, S. M.**, Bahraini, N. H., & Smith, G. (2016, June). *Using ACT to facilitate recovery from suicidal crises*. In **Barnes, S. M.** (Chair), *Utilizing Acceptance and Commitment Therapy to understand and prevent suicide*. 14th Annual World Conference of the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science, Seattle, WA.
14. **Barnes, S. M.**, Monteith, L., Brenner, L., Forster, J., Hernandez, T. D., & Bahraini, N. H. (2016, June). *Does Mental Noting Decrease Cognitive Fusion with Suicide-Related Thoughts?* Paper presentation at the Association for Contextual Behavioral Science World Conference, Seattle, WA.

## TEACHING RECORD

### **Administrative Positions:**

2013-present                      Denver VA Medical Center/Rocky Mountain Regional VA Medical Center, Rocky Mountain Mental Illness Research Education and Clinical Center for Veteran Suicide Prevention

2013-present Member, Postdoctoral Fellowship Training Faculty

2013-present Eastern Colorado Health Care System  
Member, Predoctoral Psychology Internship Training Faculty

2013-2019 Denver VA Medical Center, Rocky Mountain MIRECC  
Member, Postdoctoral Fellowship Training Committee

**Presentations & Seminars:**

2013-present Lecturer, Behavioral and Mental Health Seminar Series, Pre-doctoral Psychology Internship Program. Topics included: 1) Safety Planning; and 2) Understanding and Preventing Suicide Using an Acceptance and Commitment Therapy Framework.

2019 Guest Lecturer, *Therapeutic Risk Management: Chain Analysis of Suicidal Ideation and Behavior*, University of Colorado School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry, Aurora, CO

- Presented on chain analysis to a class of medical residents in the department of psychiatry with Dr. Lauren Borges, Dr. Bridget Matarazzo, and Dr. Hal Wortzel.

2020 Guest Lecturer, *Using Chain Analysis and Safety Planning to Assess and Intervene on Suicidal Ideation and Behavior*, University of Colorado School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry, Aurora, CO.

- Presented on chain analysis and safety planning to a class of medical residents online in the department of psychiatry with Dr. Lauren Borges and Dr. Ryan Holliday.

**Clinical & Research Supervision:**

2014–Present Clinical supervision to psychology pre-doctoral interns and postdoctoral fellows for a range of clinical services, including psychodiagnostic assessment, evidence-based psychotherapy, suicide risk assessment and consultation. Research supervision and mentorship to fellows.

**GRANT SUPPORT**

**Ongoing Research Support:**

April 2021 – March 2025 Principal Investigator (30% effort). VA Office of Rehabilitation Research and Development. ACT for Life: Testing the efficacy of a brief intervention to maximize recovery after suicidal crises. Amount Awarded \$1,200,000

July 2018 – Sept. 2021 Co-Investigator (15% effort). VA Office of Mental Health and Suicide Prevention. Assessing Social and Community Environments with National Data (ASCEND) for Veteran Suicide Prevention. Amount Awarded \$4,382,030

Sept. 2018 – Aug. 2021 Co-Principal Investigator (20% effort). VA Office of Rehabilitation Research and Development. Thriving in the midst of moral pain: the acceptability and feasibility of ACT for Moral Injury (ACT-MI) among warzone Veterans. Amount Awarded \$572,499

July 2017 – June 2022 Principal Investigator (35% effort). VA Office of Clinical Science Research and Development. Toward optimizing behavioral markers of suicide risk. Amount Awarded \$495,361 (in no cost extension)

**Completed Projects:**

April 2017–March 2021 Co-Investigator. Military Suicide Research Consortium. Efficacy of a computerized cognitive behavioral treatment for insomnia: Increasing access to insomnia treatment to decrease suicide risk. Amount Awarded \$1,155,292

Apr. 2016 – Dec. 2018 Principal Investigator. VA Office of Rehabilitation Research and Development. ACT for Life: a Brief Intervention for Maximizing Recovery After Suicidal Crises

Amount Awarded \$199,978

- Oct. 2016 – Sep. 2018 Co-Investigator. VA Office of Suicide Prevention. Efficacy of a computerized cognitive behavioral treatment for insomnia in OEF/OIF Veterans: Improving rural Veteran access to evidence-based treatment to reduce suicide risk.  
Amount Awarded \$497,387
- March 2014-April 2015 Co-Principal Investigator. VA COIN Subaward. Pilot study of a values-based intervention for medication adherence among depressed Veterans hospitalized for acute coronary syndrome.  
Amount Awarded \$21,063
- July 2012 – Sept. 2014 Principal Investigator. Military Suicide Research Consortium. Behaviorally Assessing Suicide Risk.  
Amount Awarded: \$46,328
- Oct. 2012- Sept. 2013 Co-Investigator. VA Office of Mental Health. Home-Based Mental Health Evaluation (HOME): A model for assisting suicidal Veterans with the transition from inpatient to outpatient settings.  
Amount Awarded \$ 297,518
- 2008-2009 Co-Principal Investigator. EVoS Institute for Advanced Studies. Explicating the Mechanisms of Action in Mindfulness-Based Cognitive Therapy.  
Amount Awarded \$1,900
- 2008-2009 Principal Investigator. Mind & Life Institute. Identifying the mechanisms of action in Mindfulness-Based Cognitive Therapy.  
Amount Awarded \$15,000
- 2003-2004 Principal Investigator. University of Rochester Family Research Roundtable. The role of mindfulness in romantic relationship satisfaction and responses to relationship stress.  
Amount Awarded \$500

## BIBLIOGRAPHY

### Peer-reviewed Journals:

1. **Barnes, S.M.**, Brown, K.W., Krusemark, E., Campbell, W.K., & Rogge, R.D. (2007). The role of mindfulness in romantic relationship satisfaction and responses to relationship stress. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 33, 1-19.
2. Lynn, S.J., Boycheva, E., & **Barnes, S.M.** (2008). To assess or not assess hypnotic suggestibility? That is the question. *American Journal of Clinical Hypnosis*, 51, 161-165.
3. **Barnes, S.M.**, Lynn, S.J., & Pekala, R.J. (2009). Not all group hypnotic suggestibility scales are created equal: Individual differences in behavioral and subjective responses. *Journal of Consciousness and Cognition*, 18, 255-265.
4. Lynn, S.J., **Barnes, S.M.**, Deming, A., Accardi, M. (2010). Hypnosis, rumination, and depression: Catalyzing attention and mindfulness-based treatments. *International Journal of Clinical and Experimental Hypnosis*, 58, 202-221.
5. **Barnes, S.M.**, & Lynn, S.J. (2010). Mindfulness skills and depressive symptoms: A longitudinal study. *Imagination, Cognition, and Personality*, 30, 77-91.
6. McKittrick, S.A. & **Barnes, S.M.** (2012). Assessment of critical thinking: An evolutionary approach. *The Journal of Assessment and Institutional Effectiveness*, 2, 1-29.
7. Brenner, L.A., & **Barnes, S.M.** (2012). Facilitating treatment engagement during high-risk transition periods: A potential suicide prevention strategy. *American Journal of Public Health*, 102, S12-S14.
8. **Barnes, S.M.**, Walter, K.H., & Chard, K.M. (2012). Does a history of a mild traumatic brain injury increase suicide risk in Veterans with PTSD? *Rehabilitation Psychology*, 57, 18-26.
9. Walter, K.H., **Barnes, S.M.**, & Chard, K.M. (2012). The influence of MDD on residential treatment outcome among Veterans with PTSD and a history of TBI. *Journal of Traumatic Stress*, 25, 426-432.
10. Russell, L., Devore, M.D., **Barnes, S.M.**, Forster, J.E., Hostetter, T.A., Montgomery, A.E., Casey, R.J., Kane, V., & Brenner, L.A. (2013). Challenges associated with screening for traumatic brain injury among Veterans seeking homeless services. *American Journal of Public Health*, 103, S211-212.
11. Matarazzo, B.B., **Barnes, S.M.**, Pease, J.L., Russell, L.M., Hanson, J.E., Soberay, K.A., & Gutierrez, P.M. (2014). Suicide risk among lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender military personnel and Veterans: What does the literature tell us? *Suicide and Life Threatening Behavior*, 44, 200-217. doi: 10.1111/sltb.12073.
12. Walter, K.H., Dickstein, B.D., **Barnes, S.M.**, & Chard, K.M. (2014). CPT v. CPT-C: Comparing effectiveness among veterans in a residential PTSD/TBI treatment program. *Journal of Traumatic Stress*, 27, 438-445. doi: 10.1002/jts.21934

13. **Barnes, S.M.**, Russell, L.M., Hostetter, T.A., Forster, J.E., Devore, M.D., & Brenner, L.A. (2015). Characteristics of traumatic brain injuries sustained among Veterans seeking homeless services. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved, 26*,92-105.
14. Osman, A., Lamis, D.A., Bagge, C.L., Freedenthal, S., & **Barnes, S.M.** (2016). The Mindful Attention Awareness Scale: Further examination of dimensionality, reliability, and concurrent validity estimates. *Journal of Personality Assessment, 98*, 189-199. doi: 10.1080/00223891.2015.1095761
15. **Barnes, S.M.**, Bahraini, N.H., Forster, J.E., Stearns-Yoder, K., Hostetter, T.A., Smith, G., Nagamoto, H.T., & Nock, M.K. (2016). Moving beyond self-report: Implicit associations about death/life prospectively predict suicidal behavior among Veterans. *Suicide and Life Threatening Behavior, 47*, 67-77. doi: 10.1111/sltb.12265
16. **Barnes, S.M.**, Monteith, L.L., Gerard, G. R., Hoffberg, A.S., Homaifar, B.Y., & Brenner, L.A. (2017). Problem Solving Therapy for Suicide Prevention in Veterans with Traumatic Brain Injury, *Rehabilitation Psychology*. Advanced online publication. doi: 10.1037/rep0000154
17. Brenner, L.A., Hostetter, T.A., **Barnes, S.M.**, Stearns-Yoder, K.A., & Foster, J.E. (2017). Traumatic brain injury, psychiatric diagnoses, and suicide risk among veterans seeking services related to homelessness. *Brain Injury, 31*, 1731-1735. doi: 10.1080/02699052.2017.1376758
18. Poindexter, E. K., Nazem, S., **Barnes, S. M.**, Hostetter, T., & Smith, P. N. (2018). Veteran Participation in Intensive Suicide Research Protocols: Evaluating Iatrogenic Effects Across Three Studies. *Suicide and Life-Threatening Behavior, 49*, 303-309. doi: 10.1111/sltb.12444
19. **Barnes, S.M.**, Monteith, L.L., Forster, J.E., Borges, L.M., Nazem, S., Stearns-Yoder, K., & Bahraini, N.H. (2018). Developing predictive models to enhance clinician prediction of suicide attempts among Veterans with and without PTSD. *Suicide and Life Threatening Behavior*. doi: 10.1111/sltb.12511
20. Borges, L. M., Bahraini, N. H., Holliman, B. D., Gissen, M. R., Lawson, W. C., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2019). Veterans' perspectives on discussing moral injury in the context of evidence-based psychotherapies for PTSD and other VA treatment. *Journal of Clinical Psychology*. doi:10.1002/jclp.22887
21. Borges, L. M., **Barnes, S. M.**, Farnsworth, J. K., Bahraini, N. H., & Brenner, L. A. (2020). A commentary on moral injury among healthcare providers during the Covid-19 pandemic. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*. doi:10.1037/tra0000698
22. Borges, L. M., **Barnes, S. M.**, Farnsworth, J. K., Drescher, K. D., & Walser, R. D. (2020). A contextual behavioral approach for responding to moral dilemmas in the age of COVID-19. *Journal of Contextual Behavioral Science, 17*, 95-101. doi:10.1016/j.jcbs.2020.06.006
23. Betthausen, L. M., Albanese, B. J., Cochran, K. L., McGarity, S., Schneider, A. L., Schmidt, N. B., Brenner, L. A., & **Barnes, S. M.** (2020). Acceptability of cognitive anxiety sensitivity treatment among veterans with mTBI. *Rehabilitation Psychology*. Advance online publication. doi:10.1037/rep0000365
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