## General Consultation and Peer Support

**Meets Virtually**  
Bimonthly on  
First and Third  
Mondays  
4:00 - 5:00 PM  

Led by Anne Devaughn, LCSW-C, a Pro Bono Counseling volunteer since 2009  
Open to Pro Bono Counseling Volunteers  
If interested, email AnneDevaughn@aol.com to be added to Zoom invitation list.

## Trauma Consultation

**Meets Virtually**  
Monthly on the  
Third Thursday  
each month  
7:00 - 8:00 PM  

Led by Bethan McGarry, LCSW-C, a Pro Bono Counseling volunteer since 2022  
Open to Pro Bono Counseling Volunteers - Limited spaces available due to demand.  
If interested, email PBC Outreach Coordinator YSwain@ProBonoCounseling.org to inquire about availability.

## Working with Interpreters in Therapy

**Meets Virtually**  
Monthly  
Fourth Thursday  
of each month  
12:00 - 1:00 PM  

Led by Donna Batkis, LCSW-C, a Pro Bono Counseling volunteer since 2011  
Open to Pro Bono Counseling Volunteers - Limited spaces available due to demand.  
If interested, email PBC Outreach Coordinator YSwaine@ProBonoCounseling.org to inquire about availability.

## Supervisor Support Consultation Group

**Meets Virtually**  
Monthly First  
Friday of each month  
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  

Led by Harriet Mauer, LCSW  
Open to Pro Bono Counseling Supervising Volunteers - Limited spaces available due to demand.  
If interested, email PBC Outreach Coordinator YSwaine@ProBonoCounseling.org to inquire about availability.
Bios:

Donna Batkis, LCSW-C

With over 40 years of experience advocating for the empowerment of marginalized peoples and communities, Donna’s career has taken her to NYC, Seattle, Denver, Mexico, Argentina, the US Southern Border and Baltimore. She is bilingual and has worked with immigrants and refugees (forced migrants) for the past 30 years. Recognized for her expertise in mental health diagnosis and treatment, she is often called to Immigration court to serve as Federally Qualified Expert Witness in the areas of Trauma, Torture, Gender Based Violence, Child Abuse, Intimate Partner Violence and Human Trafficking. Donna holds a BA in English from Notre Dame in South Bend Indiana, a Master of Pastoral Ministry from Seattle University, a Master of Science in Social Welfare from Columbia University in NYC and completed the Irving B. Harris Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Infant Mental Health and Child Development at the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center School of Medicine. She holds a position as adjunct faculty for the University of Maryland School of Social Work and is an ardent advocate for Social Justice. In addition to what is listed above, Donna is skilled at using interpreters to assist in evaluations and therapy. She also ran a Support Group for the Interpreters at Johns Hopkins to help them cope with the COVID-19 crisis and the highly stressful work of medical interpretation. She has been an active volunteer with Pro Bono Counseling since 2011.

Bethan McGarry, LCSW-C

Bethan McGarry (she/they) is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, enthusiastic Baltimore City resident, and committed lifelong learner. Bethan has worked in settings from elementary school to in-patient psychiatry unit, and through in-depth experience in crisis care feels strongly that trauma-informed and person-centered connection is a vital path to healing at both an individual and a structural level. Bethan is committed to providing unconditional regard and a growth mindset in their therapeutic partnership, and enjoys supporting adolescents, adults, couples, and families in navigating life transitions and periods of adjustment. They strive to provide culturally responsive care to a wide range of individuals seeking counseling support. Bethan is committed to anti-racist, anti-oppressive, and LGBTQ-affirming care and brings both a systems-analysis and spiritual lens to therapeutic work. Bethan enjoys YA fiction, crossword puzzles, and coffee shops within walking distance, and has been gratefully involved with PBC since fall 2022 as a volunteer clinician, trauma consult group participant, and now peer group co-facilitator.
Bios:

Harriet Mauer, LCSW

Harriet Mauer, LCSW in New York, is a retired social worker with significant clinical and supervisory experience. She has over 50 years of rich experience supervising clinicians and providing therapy to children, adolescents, young adults, and families through Good Shepherd Services in New York City (NYC), which is a youth development agency serving over 30,000 youth and families in NYC annually. Later, as the Director of Social Services Residential Services, she participated in various advisory groups pertaining to workforce and life-skill development, youth aging-out of foster care challenges, and trauma-related issues. In this role, she was a certified instructor for masters-level social work student interns. She has provided clinical supervision to approximately 1000 clinicians and clinician supervisors throughout her career. Most recently, over the past 12 years since retiring, she continues to do some clinical supervision and mentoring of social work interns, clinical providers and clinical supervisors/administrative staff. Harriet shared, “I am interested in volunteering with PBC [through leading a consultation group] because I value its mission and target populations. Additionally, while I have had many varied tasks and roles over my career, clinical supervision is one of the primary areas that I most enjoy and feel a meaningful level of competence to support and enable competency and empowerment in other social workers.”