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Dr Surya Tipirneni

Psychiatry

MBBS, MD, FRANZCP

 Languages: Hindi, Telugu



Melbourne - South Yarra, Bundoora

Court experience

Working with children

Executive summary

Dr. Surya Tipirneni is an experienced Consultant Psychiatrist with over two decades of clinical practice in both public and private sectors. He currently serves as the Chair of Psychiatry and Senior Consultant Psychiatrist at Northpark Private Hospital, where he has been practising since 2004.

Dr. Tipirneni specialises in the assessment and management of complex psychiatric presentations, including mood disorders, psychosis, anxiety disorders, personality disorders, addictions, and adult ADHD with comorbidities. He has extensive expertise in

consultation-liaison psychiatry and medico-legal assessments, including work with WorkCover, TAC, DVA, Comcare, and personal injury cases. He has also provided expert witness testimony in legal proceedings.

He is a GEPIC and SIRA-certified Independent Medical Examiner (IME) and has held leadership roles including Chair of Psychiatry (2022–ongoing) and member of the Medical Advisory Committee for Psychiatry since 2018.

Prior to his current roles, Dr. Tipirneni served as Senior Psychiatrist and Director of Psychiatric Rehabilitation at Northern AMHS, North Western Mental Health (2002–2013)

Special interests

Adult Psychiatry | Mood Disorders | Bipolar Disorder | Workplace Trauma | Anxiety Disorders (PTSD, OCD and ADHD)

Accreditations

- American Medical Association Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment, 4th Ed.
- Guide to the Evaluation of Psychiatric Impairment for Clinicians
- NSW SIRA Worker Compensation Permanent Impairment Assessor
- Psychiatric Impairment Rating Scale

Qualifications

- Fellowship of the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists
- Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, Andhra Medical College, India
- Doctor of Medicine in Psychiatry, PGIMER Chandigarh, India

Experience

- Chair of Psychiatry at Northpark Private Hospital, VIC
- Director of Clinical Services at Northern Area Mental Health Service, VIC
- Director of Psychiatric Rehabilitation, Northern Area Mental Health Service, VIC
- Senior Psychiatrist, Darebin CMHC, Northern Area Mental Health Center

Professional associations

- Fellow of Royal College of Psychiatrists Australia and New Zealand
- Member of Section of Adult Psychiatry, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists
- Member of Section of Intellectual Disability Psychiatry, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists
- Member of Section of Neurostimulation, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists



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