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CREDENTIALING

Licensed Psychologist in the State of Texas (#38638)	01/15/2021
American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) Board Certification in Clinical Neuropsychology (#10158)	10/29/2022
PSYPACT Authority to Practice Interjurisdictional Telepsychology Authorization & Temporary Authorization to Practice (#14247)	03/28/2023
FAA HIMS Trained Neuropsychologist	11/2023

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center , Houston, TX Postdoctoral Residency, Clinical Neuropsychology	2019 - 2021
VA North Texas Healthcare System , Dallas, TX Predoctoral Internship, Neuropsychology Emphasis	2018 – 2019
University of North Texas , Denton, TX Doctor of Philosophy, Clinical Psychology	2016 – 2019
University of North Texas , Denton, TX Master of Science, Clinical Psychology	2013 - 2015
University of Texas at Dallas , Richardson, TX Master of Science, Applied Cognition and Neuroscience	2011 - 2012
Texas A&M University , College Station, TX Bachelor of Science, Psychology	2007 – 2011

EMPLOYMENT & PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Clinical Employment

Neurocognitive Specialty Group Clinical Neuropsychologist / Dallas Clinic Director	2023 - Present
DR Associates of North Texas Clinical Neuropsychologist	2021 - 2023
PAM Rehabilitation Hospitals of Allen and Richardson Director of Neuropsychology Services	2021 - 2023

Research Appointments

Baylor College of Medicine, Department of Neurology Member of Dr. Zulfi Haneef lab	2022 - Present
Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center HSR&D Researcher (WOC Position)	2023 – Present

Teaching Appointments

University of Texas at Dallas Part-Time Instructor, Neuropsychology	Spring 2024, Spring 2025
University of North Texas Adjunct Professor	Spring 2022, Fall 2023

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Sullivan-Baca, E.,** Ellison, R.L., & Kim, S.H. (2024). Introductory editorial: Women as participants in neuropsychology research. *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*, 1-4.
- Sullivan-Baca, E.,** Tantillo, G., Zhou, R., Rehman, R., Lopez, M.R., & Haneef, Z. (2024). Comorbidities in Hispanic/Latino Veterans with Epilepsy. *Epilepsy & Behavior*, 157, 109871.
- Prieto, S., Bangen, K., Riegler, K., Kim, S., Mahmood, Z., Kaseda, E., Ellison, R., & **Sullivan-Baca, E.** (2024). Representation of Women in Neuropsychology Research Prior to the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Journal of Clinical and Experimental Neuropsychology*, 1-14.
- Tantillo Sepulveda, G.*, **Sullivan-Baca, E.* (co-first authors)**, Rehman, R. Lopez, M.R., and Haneef, Z. (2024). Healthcare utilization of Hispanic/Latino Veterans with Epilepsy: A National Population-Based Study. *Epilepsia*.
- Haneef, Z., Patel, K., Nguyen, A., Kayal, G., Martini, S.R., and **Sullivan-Baca, E.** (2024). Epilepsy Surgery Perceptions Among General Neurologists and Epilepsy Specialists: A Survey. *Clinical Neurology and Neurosurgery*. 108151.

6. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Rehman, R., Lorkiewicz, S., Van Cott, A., & Haneef, Z. (2024). Psychiatric Co-Morbidities in Women Veterans with Epilepsy. *Journal of Women's Health*. <https://doi.org/10.1089/jwh.2023.0495>.
7. Lorkiewicz, S.A., Modiano, Y.A., Miller, B.I., Van Cott, A., Haneef, Z., & **Sullivan-Baca, E.** (2023). The Neuropsychological Presentation of Women with Epilepsy: Clinical Considerations and Future Directions. *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*. 1-27.
8. Haneef, Z.* , **Sullivan-Baca, E.* (co-first authors)**, Rehman, R., Towne, A., Van Cott, A., Aatif, H. (2024). Impact of COVID-19 on Epilepsy Care within the Veterans Health Administration. *Federal Practitioner*.
9. Kaseda, E., Arentoft, A., Bangen, K., Mahmood, Z., Thomas, K., Kim, S.H. Tan, A., Prieto, S. Dawson, E., Riegler, K., **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Ellison, R. (2023). Parental, caregiving, and family leave during clinical neuropsychology postdoctoral training: Survey results, recommendations, and guidelines from the Women in Neuropsychology (WIN) committee and Education Advisory Committee (EAC). *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*. 1-15.
10. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Rehman, R., Lorkiewicz, S., Van Cott, A., & Haneef, Z. (2023). Utilization of Epilepsy Care among Women Veterans: A Population-Based Study. *Epilepsy Research*.
11. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Rehman, R., Towne, A.R., Haneef, Z. (2023). Psychiatric Co-Morbidity in Drug Resistant Epilepsy in Veterans. *Epilepsy & Behavior*.
12. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Modiano, Y.A., Carlew, A., McKenney, K. (2022). Pregnancy-Related Stroke through a Neuropsychology Lens. *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*, 1-20.
13. **Sullivan-Baca, E.***, Weitzner, D.* (co-first authors), Choudhury, T.K., Fadipe, M., Miller, B.I., Haneef, Z. (2022). Characterizing Differences in Psychiatric Profiles between Male and Female Veterans with Epilepsy and Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Seizures. *Epilepsy Research*, 106995.
14. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Modiano, Y. A., Choudhury, T. K., Tierney, S. M., & Kellogg, E. (2022). Promoting gender-informed mentorship in neuropsychology: Reflections and suggestions from early career women. *Journal of Clinical and Experimental Neuropsychology*, 1-11.
15. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Rehman, R., Haneef, Z. (2022). An Update on the Healthy Soldier Effect in U.S. Veterans. *Military Medicine*. DOI: 10.1093/milmed/asac151
16. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Modiano, Y.A., Miller, B.I., Fadipe, M., Van Cott, A.C., & Haneef, Z. (2022). Characterizing Women Veterans Receiving Seizure Care in the Veterans Affairs Healthcare System. *Epilepsy Research*, 180. [.org/10.1016/j.eplepsyres.2021.106849](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eplepsyres.2021.106849)
17. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Babicz, M.A., Choudhury, T.K., & Miller, B.I. (2021). The Relationship between Health Literacy and Comfort with Teleneuropsychology in a Veteran Sample. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*. Advance Online Publication. 10.1093/arclin/acab079
18. Webber, T.A., **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Modiano, Y.A., Taiwo, Z., Grabyan, J.M. (2021). Validity of Informant Report Interpretations: Role of Examinee Performance and Symptom Invalidity. *Psychological Assessment*. Advance Online Publication. <https://doi.org/10.1037/pas0001074>

19. Dahdah, M.N., Bennett, M., Prajapati, P., Parsons, T.D., **Sullivan, E.**, Driver, S., & Salisbury, D. (2020). Use of Virtual Reality Cognitive Training to Improve Executive and Complex Attentional Functions: can Virtual Reality Performance Predict Neurorehabilitation Outcomes? *International Journal of Rehabilitation*, 7(3).
20. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Naylor, K., Zartman, A., Ardolf, B., & Westhafer, J.G. (2020). Gender Differences in Veterans Referred for Neuropsychological Evaluation in an Outpatient Neuropsychology Consultation Service. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 35(5): 562-575.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/arclin/acia008>
21. Dubiel, R., Williams, B., **Sullivan, E.**, Callender, L., Bennett, M., & Driver, S. (2019). Prevalence of 25-hydroxyvitamin D Deficiency in the Acute Rehabilitation Population following Traumatic Brain Injury. *NeuroRehabilitation*, 45: 513-517.
22. Dahdah, M., Bennett, M., Prajapati, P., Parsons, T.D., **Sullivan, E.**, & Driver, S. (2017). Application of Virtual Environments in a Multi-Disciplinary Day Neurorehabilitation Program to Improve Executive Functioning Using the Stroop Task. *NeuroRehabilitation*, 41(4): 721-734.
23. **Sullivan, E.**, Contractor, A., Gerber, M., & Neumann, C.S. (2017). Examination of Polytrauma Typologies: A Latent Class Analysis Approach. *Psychiatry Research*, 255: 111-118.
Doi: 10.1016/j.psychres.2017.05.026.
24. **Sullivan, E.**, Shelley, J., Rainey, E., Bennett, M., Prajapati, P., Powers, M., Foreman, M., & Warren, A.M. (2017). The Association between Posttraumatic Stress Symptoms, Depression, and Length of Hospital Stay following Traumatic Injury. *General Hospital Psychiatry*, 46: 49-54.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.genhosppsych.2017.03.004>

BOOK CHAPTERS

1. **Sullivan-Baca, E.** & Ellison, R.L. (In Press). Introduction. In E. Sullivan-Baca & R. Ellison (Eds.), *Neuropsychology of Women: Considerations for Clinical Care & Research*, Springer Nature.
2. Modiano, Y.M. & **Sullivan-Baca, E.** (In Press). Epilepsy. In E. Sullivan-Baca & R. Ellison (Eds.), *Neuropsychology of Women: Considerations for Clinical Care & Research*, Springer Nature.
3. Modiano, Y.M. & **Sullivan-Baca, E.** (2024). Neuro-Psychiatric Comorbidities. In Z. Haneef (Ed.), *Epilepsy Fundamentals*, Springer Nature.
4. Parsons, T.D., Carlew, A.R., & **Sullivan, E.** (2015). A case for the development and use of virtual reality measures of assessment of executive function. In P. Cipresso and S. Serino (Eds.), *Virtual Reality – Technologies, Medical Applications and Challenges* (pp. 177-193), Nova Science Publishers, Hauppauge, NY.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS AT NATIONAL CONFERENCES

1. Bart, T.A., Zhou, R., **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Haneef, Z. (February 2025). Area Deprivation Influences Neurology Care in Veterans with Post-Traumatic Epilepsy. 53rd Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychology Society, New Orleans, LA

2. Bart, T.A., Nghiem, D.M., Carlew, A.R., Wisdom, N.M., Collins, R.L., & **Sullivan-Baca, E.** (Upcoming, November 2024). Equivalence of in-person and remotely administered performance validity tests: evidence from a forensic sample. National Academy of Neuropsychology (NAN) Annual Conference, Austin, TX.
3. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Rehman, R., Miller, B.I., Haneef, Z. (February 2023). Significant Psychiatric Burden Exists in Women Veterans with Drug-Resistant Epilepsy. In **Sullivan-Baca, E.** & Ellison, R.L. (co-chairs) *Current Directions in Women's Neuropsychology Research*. Symposium presented at the 2023 International Neuropsychological Society 51st Annual North American Meeting, San Diego, CA.
4. **Sullivan-Baca, E.** (August 2022). Reflections and Suggestions for Gender-Informed Mentorship from Early Career Women in Neuropsychology. Presented as part of Symposium 2.0 WIN/JCEN Sneak Peek Into the Special Issue on Mentoring in Neuropsychology. American Psychological Association Conference. Aug 3-6.
5. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Modiano, Y.A., Miller, B.I., Haneef, Z. (February 2022). Elevated Clinical Conditions, Psychiatric Comorbidities, and Suicidality Present in Women Veterans with PNES versus Epilepsy. 50th Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society. Virtual Conference, Feb 2-4.
6. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Modiano, Y.A., Miller, B.I., Van Cott, A., & Haneef, Z. (December 2021). Psychiatric Factors and Trauma Types Differentiate PNES from ES in a Female Veteran Sample. American Epilepsy Society 2021 Meeting. Chicago, IL, Dec 3-7.
7. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Taiwo, Z., Grabyan, J.M., Webber, T.A. (February 2021). Validity of Collateral Informant Report in the Context of Patient Performance Validity Test and Symptom Validity Test Failure. 49th Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society. Virtual Conference, Feb 2-6.
8. Tierney, S.M, Webber, T.A., Cerbone, B., **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Grabyan, J.M., & Collins, R.L. (February 2020). Examining the Miller Forensic Assessment of Symptoms Test (M-FAST): Utility and Validity within a Diverse Clinical Setting. 48th Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society. Denver, CO, Feb 5 – 8, *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 26, s1.
9. **Sullivan-Baca, E.**, Naylor, K., Zartman, A., Ardolf, B. & Westhafer, J.G. (August, 2019). Gender Differences in Veterans Referred for Neuropsychological Evaluation in an Outpatient Neuropsychology Consultation Service. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 34(6), 864.
10. **Sullivan, E.**, Suris, A., & Neumann, C.S. (February 2019). Associations between Post-Trauma Psychological Symptoms and Neurocognitive Test Performance in a Mixed Veteran and Civilian Female Sample. 47th Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, New York, NY, Feb 20 – 23, *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 25, s1.
11. Dahdah, M., Bennett, M., Prajapati, P., Parsons, T.D., **Sullivan, E.**, Driver, S., & Salisbury, D. (June, 2018). The Impact of Virtual Reality on Executive Functioning Training and the Association with Neurorehabilitation Outcomes. 4th Federal Interagency Conference on Traumatic Brain Injury. Washington, D.C.
12. **Sullivan, E.** & Neumann, C.S. (February 2018). Assessing the Relationship between PTSD Symptoms and Attention in a Trauma-Impacted Female Sample. International Neuropsychological

Society abstracts from the 46th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, Feb 14 – 17, *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 24, s1.

13. Dahdah, M.N., Bennett, M., Prajapati, P., Parsons, T.D., **Sullivan, E.**, & Driver, S. (March, 2017). Application of Virtual Environments in a Multi-Disciplinary Day Neurorehabilitation Program to Improve Executive Functioning Using the Stroop task. Accepted Abstracts from the International Brain Injury Association's 12 World Congress on Brain Injury, New Orleans, LA, Mar 29 – Apr 1, *Brain Injury*, 31, 6-7.

14. Woolsey, A., Callender, L., **Sullivan, E.**, Bennett, M., & Driver, S. (March, 2017). Health Literacy Staff Awareness Assessment at Baylor Institute for Rehabilitation. Evidence Based Practice and Research Conference. Baylor Hospital, Dallas, TX.

15. Sullivan, E., Adinoff, B., Cullum, M., Walker, R., & Neumann, C. (February, 2017). Assessing Impulsivity in Cocaine Users utilizing Hot and Cool Measures of Executive Functioning. International Neuropsychological Society abstracts from the 45th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, Feb 1-4, *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 23, s1.

16. Sullivan, E. & Neumann, C. (February, 2017). Trauma and Executive Functioning: An Examination of the Relationship between Trauma and Stroop Task Performance using a Large Web-Based Sample. International Neuropsychological Society abstracts from the 45th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, Feb 1-4, *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 23, s1.

17. Sullivan, E. & Neumann, C. (February, 2016). Assessing the Effect of Trauma and PTSD symptoms on Executive Functioning in a General Population Sample. International Neuropsychological Society abstracts from the 44th Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, Feb 3-6, *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 22.

18. Sullivan, E., Barnett, M., Dumas, B., Sligar, K., & Parsons, T.D. (February, 2015). The Effect of Distractions on Geriatric and College-Aged Samples within a Virtual Apartment Stroop Task. International Neuropsychological Society abstracts from the 43rd Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 21, s1.

19. Carlew, A. R., **Sullivan, E.**, Magtoto, J., & Parsons, T.D. (November, 2014). The virtual reality classroom: a novel assessment of attention in neurodevelopmental disorders. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 29, 567-567.

20. Sullivan, E., Carlew, A. R., Magtoto, J., & Parsons, T.D. (November, 2014). Virtual reality Stroop task for investigating the dual competition framework theory. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 29, 566-566.

OTHER NATIONAL CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Symposium Chair (2025): *The Intersection of Pregnancy, Menopause, and Other Hormonal Factors with Women's Cognitive Health*. Symposium at the 2025 International Neuropsychological Society 53rd Annual North American Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

Invited Speaker (2024): *Advocacy, Leadership, and Social Determinants of Health*. Trainee Track Presentation at the 2024 National Academy of Neuropsychology Annual Conference, Austin, TX.

Symposium Chair (2023): *Current Directions in Women's Neuropsychology Research*. Symposium presented at the 2023 American Psychological Association Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.

Symposium Chair (2023): *Current Directions in Women's Neuropsychology Research*. Symposium presented at the 2023 International Neuropsychological Society 51st Annual North American Meeting, San Diego, CA.

PRESENTATIONS FOR DIDACTICS OR CONTINUING EDUCATION

“Health Literacy and Teleneuropsychology: Lessons from 2020 and Applications to Today’s Practice.”

VA Teleneuropsychology Community of Practice Quarterly Meeting (2024)

“Pregnancy-Related Stroke: What Neuropsychologists Should Know.”

UT Southwestern Medical Center Neuropsychology Training Program Didactics (2022)

UT Southwestern Medical Center PM&R Training Program Didactics (2023)

“Lessons from Women’s Neuropsychology Research and Applications for Clinical Practice.”

University of California San Diego/San Diego VA Clinical Neuropsychology Seminar (2023)

UT Southwestern Medical Center Neuropsychology Training Program Didactics (2023)

Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center Neuropsychology Training Program Didactics (2023)

EDITORIAL ACTIVITY

Co-Guest Editor

The Clinical Neuropsychologist, Special Issue

“Women as Participants in Neuropsychological Research”

Volume 38, Issue 6. August 2024.

Co-Editor (In Progress: Expected Publication Spring 2025)

Neuropsychology of Women: Considerations for Clinical Care & Research (Book)

Springer Nature

Co-Guest Editor (In Progress: Expected Publication 2025)

Journal of Clinical and Experimental Neuropsychology, Special Issue

“The Influence of Pregnancy, Hormones, and Menopause on Neuropsychological Functioning.”

HONORS & AWARDS

AACN/APPCN ABPP Scholarship

2023

Scholarship to cover Practice Sample and Oral Exam ABPP fees

Chief Administrative Resident

2020 – 2021

Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center Neuropsychology Residency

Outstanding Dissertation Award

2018

University of North Texas, Department of Psychology

Frank Collins Memorial Scholarship 2017
University of North Texas, Department of Psychology
Award recognizing graduate student research achievement

Graduate Assistant Tuition Scholarship (GATS) 2013
University of North Texas
Full-tuition scholarship awarded to select graduate students

MEMBERSHIP & LEADERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Psychological Association (APA)
Member

The Society for Clinical Neuropsychology (APA Division 40) Women in Neuropsychology (WIN)
Committee Member (2022 – 2024)
Chair (2025 - 2026)

American Academy of Clinical Neuropsychology (AACN)
Member

National Academy of Neuropsychology (NAN)
Member

International Neuropsychological Society (INS)
Member

DFW Neuropsychological Association (DNA)
Founding Member
Former President (2023)
Board of Directors Member (2024 - 2025)

Dallas Psychological Association (DPA)
Treasurer (2023 – 2025)