

## ADVANCEMENT OF THE PROFESSION - David Adler, MD



Dr. David Adler graduated Summa cum Laude and Pi Beta Kappa from the University of Rochester and completed his medical education at Yale University where he was a member of the Alpha Omega Society. He completed is residency at The Massachusetts Mental Health Center where he served as chief resident in Community Psychiatry.

Forty- seven years ago, he began his career at Tufts Medical School where he has remained. Dr Adler currently serves as Senior Psychiatrist at Tufts Medical Center and Professor of Psychiatry and Medicine at Tufts Medical School. He is also the Director of the Mental Health Services Research Group at Tufts as well as the Senior Research Scientist at the Center or Health Solutions.

Dr. Adler has served Tufts Medical School, Tufts Medical Center and the Bay Cove Community for his entire career. He has excelled as a teacher, researcher and clinician. He has concentrated his research on Medical Outcomes in depression and its treatment in the primary care setting as well as the impact of psychiatric disorders in the workplace. Dr. Adler has been a teacher to medical students at every level, residents and clinicians in the community.

Dr Adler as also served as a reviewer or fourteen professional journals, including the New England Journal of Medicine, the Journal of the American Medical Association and the Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases. He is the recipient of numerous awards including 25 Year, Distinguished Service Award at Bay Cove Human Services, and 25 Year Tufts University School of Medicine Distinguished Service Award, as well as the Department of Psychiatry Excellence in Teaching Award.

Dr Adler has managed to balance and excel in many areas. After 47 years he still remains a key element at Tufts Medical Center and at the Bay Cove Human Services. He demonstrated that when one commits one's professional life to serve an institution and community, extraordinary things can happen. The Massachusetts Psychiatric Society is pleased to honor Dr. David Adler with the 2023 Advancement of the Profession Award