# SIKHA BHARDWAJ (PSYCHOLOGIST)

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## **Objective**

Compassionate and experienced psychologist with two years of expertise in supporting adults in dealing with mental health concerns ranging from stress, anxiety, depression, panic attacks, grief, trauma, work-life balance, and relationship challenges to depression and related concerns. I am seeking an opportunity to expand clinical skills, and contribute to comprehensive mental health care.

#### **Education**

#### National Forensic Sciences University

MSc Clinical Psychology

2021-2023 — First Class with Distinction

## University of Delhi

Ba(hons) applied psychology 2018-2021 — First Class

## Army Public School

All India Senior Secondary Examination 2017-2018 — **92%** 

## Army Public School

All India Secondary School Examination 2015-2016 — **86%** 

#### Skills

- Active Listening
- Mental Health
- Interpersonal skills
- Counseling
- Empathy
- Patient Assessment
- Observational skills

### **Certificates**

Cognitive Behaviour Therapy

Acceptance and Commitment Therapy

## **Experience**

#### Soulful Mind, New Delhi

Intern

- Gained foundational knowledge of psychological disorders through structured learning and observation.
- Participated in sessions on psychological assessments, clinical skills, ethics in practice, and the fundamentals of
- Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT).

Actively engaged in case discussions, Mental Status Examinations (MSE), and case history documentation to develop clinical expertise.

## Prayas Juvenile Centre, New Delhi

- Assisted in case studies of juvenile girls under expert guidance, focusing on understanding their psychological and behavioral challenges.
- Designed and facilitated play-based activities to promote emotional expression and engagement.
- Administered a range of psychological assessments, including IQ tests (MOCA, ACE), personality evaluations, and

court-mandated assessments such as child custody evaluations.

#### Max Super speciality Hospital, Patparganj

- Worked extensively with children with special needs, focusing on their unique developmental and psychological requirements.
- Conducted detailed case studies and Mental Status Examinations (MSE) to assess and document behavioral and cognitive profiles.
- Independently facilitated therapy sessions, demonstrating autonomy and clinical expertise.
- Administered a wide range of academic, cognitive, and IQ assessments, including MISIC, WISC, Learning Disability
- evaluations, ASTER, SFBT, GDS, BGT, and the Stanford-Binet Test.
- Performed projective and anxiety assessments, such as TAT, Sentence Completion Test, and Anxiety Inventories,

to gain deeper insights into emotional and psychological states.

#### **Empowering Minds**

- Conducted engaging mental health awareness sessions for children, fostering resilience and emotional well-being.
- Designed and led a workshop for rural women, equipping them with effective parenting strategies and mental health self-care techniques.
- Facilitated an interactive session on the psychological effects of bullying, utilizing roleplay activities to enhance understanding and participation.

#### **Psyquench**

- Gained in-depth knowledge of Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT) techniques and their practical applications.
- Developed skills in case formulation, therapy planning, and conducting structured CBT sessions.
- Conducted supervised sessions, ensuring adherence to evidence-based protocols and client-centered approaches.

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- Conducted 80+ therapy sessions, providing evidence-based interventions for individuals facing anxiety, panic attacks, relationship challenges, work-life stress, trauma, and grief.
- Facilitated emotional healing and resilience-building through personalized therapeutic approaches.
- Helped clients develop effective coping strategies to enhance mental well-being and overall life satisfaction.

Languages Spoken

•English (Proficiency) •Hindi (Proficiency)