

Researcher Profile

Name: Dr. Nikki Lim-Ashworth

Present Appointment:

- Senior Clinical Psychologist
- Research Fellow

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Adjunct Appointment:

1 January 2019 – Current

Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.

Designation: Clinical Practice Facilitator

Research Areas:

- Child and adolescent mental health including ADHD, emotion regulation, and systemic factors in child functioning
- Efficacy of psychological intervention for children and adolescents
- Gaming application for mental health

Teaching Areas:

- Working with developmental population

Awards/Honours (Post-PhD):

- National Medical Research Council Research Training Fellowship, 2013 – 2016, Doctorate in Clinical Psychology, University College London

Career History:

- Senior Clinical Psychologist & Research Fellow, Developmental Psychiatry, Institute of Mental Health (December 2016 to Current)
- Research Psychologist, Developmental Psychiatry, Institute of Mental Health (December 2008 to Aug 2013)

Administrative Leadership: NA

Professional/Consulting Activities:

- Ad-hoc reviewer, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Mental Health (August 2016 to Current)

Major Publications:

Tor HT, Ooi CP, **Lim-Ashworth NS**, Wei JKE, Jahmunah V, Oh SL, Acharya UR, Fung DSS. Automated detection of conduct disorder and attention deficit hyperactivity disorder using decomposition and nonlinear techniques with EEG signals (2021). Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine, Mar;200:105941. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cmpb.2021.105941>

Lim, C. G., **Lim-Ashworth, N. S.**, & Fung, D. S. (2020). Updates in technology-based interventions for attention deficit hyperactivity disorder. *Current Opinion in Psychiatry*, 33, 577-585. <https://doi.org/10.1097/ycp.0000000000000643>

Thng, C., **Lim-Ashworth, N.**, Poh, B., & Lim, C. G. (2020). Recent developments in the intervention of specific phobia among adults: a rapid review. *F1000Research*, 9, F1000 Faculty Rev-195. <https://doi.org/10.12688/f1000research.20082.1>

Fung, D., & **Lim-Ashworth, N.** (2019). A Journey to the East: Child Psychiatry in Asia. *Journal of child & adolescent psychiatry*, 30, 134–135. <https://doi.org/10.5765/jkacap.190029>

Raine A, Ang RP, Choy O, Hibbeln JR, Ho RM, Lim CG, **Lim-Ashworth NSJ**, Ling S, Liu JCJ, Ooi YP, Tan YR, Fung DSS (2018). Omega-3 and social skills interventions for reactive aggression and childhood externalizing behavior problems: a randomized, stratified, double-blind, placebo-controlled, factorial trial. *Psychological Medicine*, 49, 335 - 344. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0033291718000983>