

Research in Clinical Practice

We are concerned with the existence of a practice supported by research.

Therefore, we collaborate with national studies whose goal is to better evaluate the impact of intervention in promoting the well-being of the clients.

In addition to these collaborations, we have been focusing on the elaboration of Case Studies, shared in wider communities, as a way to contribute to the reflection and the design of intervention strategies that fit a large number of cases.

Additionally, we developed other studies subordinated to key elements of the therapeutic process, as motivation for therapy, therapeutic goals, among others.

Collaboration in National Studies

Sistema individualizado de Avaliação do Progresso do Cliente [Individualized Customer Progress Assessment System]**

Know more about this project in: Célia Sales, Paula Alves, Chris Evans, Robert Elliott & on Behalf of Ipha Group (2014). The individualised Patient-Progress System: A decade of International collaborative networking.

[*Counseling and*](#)

[*Psychotherapy research: linking research with*](#)
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BINOCULAR: Visões do Processo em Psicoterapia [BINOCULAR: Views of the Process in Psychotherapy]

[Know more about the study in the oficial website.](#)

Other studies

For more information, check the following document "Psychological support: a practice based on science" [\[available here\]](#).

Case Studies

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