

About Our Doctors

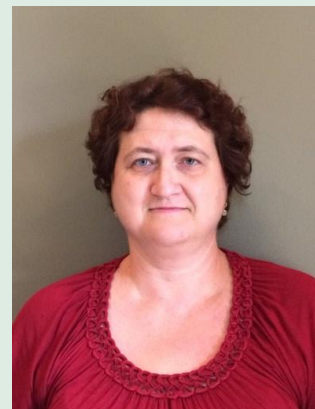
Timothy L. Carpenter, D.O.

Dr. Timothy Carpenter grew up in the Mississippi delta in Greenwood, Mississippi. After graduating from Ole Miss with a bachelor of science degree, he attended medical school at Kansas City University of Medicine and Biosciences. He completed an internal medicine-focused internship with Saint Louis University and his general psychiatry training at the University of California-Irvine Medical Center. Dr. Carpenter is board certified in psychiatry by ABPN and in addiction medicine by ABAM. He has experience treating all adult populations, including the geriatric population, in many settings (inpatient hospitals, partial hospitalization, intensive outpatient, outpatient, crisis stabilization units, urgent care, nursing homes, and skilled nursing facilities).



Yelena Chistyakova, M.D., Ph.D.

Yelena Chistyakova, M.D., Ph.D. is an adult psychiatrist who relocated to Montgomery in 2012 to join Alabama Psychiatric Services. Dr. Chistyakova worked as an internist in the Ukraine after she completed her studies at the Ukrainian Academy of Medicine and Dentistry in 1986. She completed two years of her fellowship at the Kharkov Endocrinology Research Institute and three years of research in psychosomatic medicine at the Kharkov Institute of Advanced Medical Training in the Ukraine and completed her doctorate degree there. After completing Ross University Medical School in 2005, she received adult psychiatry training at the University of Iowa Hospital and Clinic and continued work as an associate in the department of psychiatry at Carver Medical School in Iowa City, IA. She was the medical director of an inpatient eating disorder treatment program and partial hospitalization eating disorder treatment program before relocating to Montgomery to join APS.



Bryant K. Mahaffey, M.D.

Bryant K. Mahaffey, MD has been in the healthcare field since 2006, when he entered the University Of Alabama School Of Medicine at UAB in Birmingham, Alabama. He graduated medical school in 2010 and matched into the UAB Psychiatry Residency Program. During his residency, he fulfilled training in General Psychiatry and the administration of ECT. Upon completion of his residency in 2014, he obtained board certification with the American Board of Psychiatry & Neurology and began employment as staff psychiatrist for Decatur Morgan Hospital West. In the ensuing years, he has continued to develop professionally, assumed the role of Medical Director at Decatur West in 2016, and established an ECT service for patients in the Tennessee Valley. Now, he is excited to be a part of IBH and to have the opportunity to continue to grow as a practitioner.



Randall L. Rolen, M.D.

Randall grew up in upper east Tennessee the third child of an obstetrician and an educator. His involvement in healthcare started as a hospital orderly in 1983. After graduating from the regional medical school, Dr. Rolen trained in general and child psychiatry in Charlottesville, WV. He also spent a dozen years in Mobile, AL with Alabama Psychiatric Services and went back home a few years before their demise. He has been at the Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Johnson City, Tennessee for four years and felt the need to get back in the private world while he still has some “prime” left.

**Andrew D. Wilkerson, M.D.**

Dr. Wilkerson was born and raised in Alexandria, Louisiana. He was awarded his B.S. (summa cum laude) degree in Zoology at Louisiana Tech University, in Ruston, Louisiana in 1982. In 1988, he completed his medical degree at Tulane University School of Medicine in New Orleans, Louisiana. Dr. Wilkerson's post graduate training was completed while serving in the United States Navy. He completed an internship in Basic Medicine in 1989 at the Naval Hospital in Oakland, California. In 1992, he completed his residency training in psychiatry at the Naval Hospital in San Diego, California. Dr. Wilkerson has maintained certification in psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology since 1994. Dr. Wilkerson was with APS from 1998 to 2015, and after the APS closure joined IBH. He remains active in several professional organizations, including the American Psychiatric Association, American Medical Association and the Medical Association of the State of Alabama.

