

DR GERALD CHEW

**FORENSIC PSYCHIATRIST | BHB, MBCHB(AUCKLAND), JD, MBA
(HEALTH MANAGEMENT), GAICD, MFMH, FRANZCP, CERT. FORENSIC**

MINDSENSE
CENTRE OF PSYCHIATRY

Overview

Dr Gerald Chew is a prominent forensic psychiatrist based in Sydney, currently serving as a Senior Staff Specialist with the Justice Health and Forensic Mental Health Network. With extensive roles in the organization, he has been the Deputy Clinical Director at Forensic and Long Bay Hospitals and Clinical Director of Custodial Mental Health, overseeing state-wide mental health services for correctional centres. His academic pursuits are equally commendable, having demonstrated his teaching skills through roles at universities including the University of Auckland, University of Otago, UNSW, and UWS. Dr Chew holds impressive credentials such as an MBA in Health Management, a Master of Forensic Mental Health, a Juris Doctor degree, and advanced training in forensic psychiatry.

In addition to his clinical and academic responsibilities, Dr Chew contributes significantly to medico-legal consultancy in criminal and civil cases. His commitment extends to numerous professional memberships, including the Foundation Member of the Faculty of Forensic Psychiatry, RANZCP, and the Australasian Sleep Association. His educational background is decorated with multiple awards and honours, highlighting his leadership and research excellence in fields spanning from medicine to health management. Dr Chew is deeply dedicated to the holistic care of patients, emphasizing strong communication and teamwork skills in his multifaceted professional roles.

Special Areas of Expertise

- Historical Child Abuse

Current Positions

- Senior Staff Specialist, Justice Health and Forensic Mental Health Network
- Senior Visiting Medical Officer (VMO) (2008-Current), Compulsory Drug Treatment Program, Parklea
- Senior VMO, Drug Court Program (2012-Current)
- Senior VMO, Court Reports (2010-Current)
- VMO (2012-Current), The Sydney Clinic, Bronte
- Medico-Legal Consultant (2009-Current), Criminal and Civil cases

Qualifications, Accreditations and Awards

- WorkCover NSW
- SIRA - Permanent Impairment Assessor
- AMA 4th Edition
- AMA 5th Edition
- MFMH (2012)
- Cert. Forensic Psych UNSW (2011)
- FRANZCP, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists (2008)

Consulting Areas

- Sydney, NSW
- Telehealth
- MindSense Assessment