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Joseph J. Cooper, MD, FANPA serves as Psychiatry Residency Training Director, Director of the Behavioral Neurology & Neuropsychiatry Fellowship, Vice Chair of Education in Psychiatry, and Associate Professor of Clinical Psychiatry at the University of Illinois at Chicago.

He serves as Co-Chair of the National Neuroscience Curriculum Initiative (NNCI) and is the Chair of the AADPRT Neuroscience Education Committee 2026-2029. He previously served on the AADPRT Neuroscience and Neuropsychiatry Curriculum Task Force (2011-2012). He is a fellow of the American Neuropsychiatric Association and Co-Chair of the Advocacy Committee of the International Society for ECT and Neurostimulation.

His interests include the integration of neuroscience perspectives and neuropsychiatric skills into general psychiatric education, disorders at the interface of psychiatry and neurology, and the use of electroconvulsive therapy to treat neuropsychiatric conditions.