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A reflection on 25 years of establishing mental health programs in humanitarian emergencies

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Dr. Lynne Jones is a child and adolescent psychiatrist, writer, researcher, and relief worker. Jones has been engaged in assessing mental health needs and establishing and running mental health services in disaster, conflict, and post-conflict settings since 1990 around the world. **Outside the Asylum: A Memoir of War, Disaster and Humanitarian Psychiatry,** her latest book, was published in the US in 2018 and explores her experience as a practicing psychiatrist in war and disaster zones for 25 years and the changing world of international relief.

Until August of 2011, Dr. Jones was the senior technical advisor in mental health for International Medical Corps. She is a course director for the program on Mental Health in Complex Emergencies at the International Institute for Humanitarian Affairs, Fordham University, and consults to the World Health Organization. She has a PhD in social psychology and political science.

