

Ashley Jansen

APRN, DNP, PMHNP-BC

Education & Training:

Ashley Jansen earned her Associate of Science in Nursing (ASN) from the University of South Dakota (USD). Her interest in Native American healthcare began early on in her education, when she completed some of her USD nursing clinicals at Rosebud Indian Health. She went on to receive a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) with a minor in Interdisciplinary Sciences from the University of South Dakota. She completed her Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) through Rush University. While in graduate school, Ashley completed clinical experiences at Avera inpatient and outpatient psychiatric facilities, and at the Sioux Falls Veterans Administration Healthcare System. Her graduate project included designing, implementing, and reviewing a new psychotherapy referral process for an outpatient clinic.



Ashley is a board certified Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP-BC) by the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC). Ashley is licensed as a registered nurse in South Dakota and Minnesota. She is licensed as a nurse practitioner in South Dakota, North Dakota, and Nebraska. Ashley has also earned her Clinical Trauma Professional certification by the International Association of Trauma Professionals (IATP). She currently has her Certified Clinical Trauma Professional training at a level 1, but intends to progress to a level 2.

Experience:

Ms. Jansen had an interest in technology as well as healthcare from the beginning of her nursing education. While earning her associate degree in nursing, she worked as a Technology Fellow for the Center of Teaching and Learning at the University of South Dakota. Her nursing career began with Avera as a float nurse to various specialty clinics. She later accepted a full time position as a clinic nurse at an Avera outpatient psychiatric clinic. After receiving her doctorate degree in nursing, Ashley began her role as a psychiatric nurse practitioner with Avel eCare in December 2017. Ashley uses telemedicine to connect her clients and provide them with mental health services. She has worked with clients of a variety of ages and needs, including children with ADHD to adults with schizophrenia and elderly clients with dementia. Ashley is passionate about providing safe and supportive mental health treatments.