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This project is born from the desire to serve through psychotherapy not only the society in general, but specifically individuals in need of help and lacking economic resources for that purpose. It will be of assistance to the therapists, since it offers them the possibility to put to test their B.A. acquired knowledge and skills, and to work with patients (in many cases for the first time) with simpler conditions, which could help them with the certification process.

This project can be undertaken thanks to the support provided by the IMAB, that offers its headquarters space and group supervision under privileged conditions. The project is inspired in previous projects developed in different countries by B.A. societies, especially in Brazil and Argentina.

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PREFACE

This project is at its very first stage and because of that could be considered more suitable for a grant than an award but as it’s addressed to trainees and new graduated, we decide to share it humbly to be active part of the IIBA initiatives. Thanks in advance for the interest and the attention.

Abstract

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