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Dr. Shay is a staff psychiatrist at the Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic, Boston since 1987, where his only patients have been combat veterans with severe psychological injuries. Between September 1, 2004 and August 31, 2005, he was Chair of Ethics, Leadership, and Personnel Policy in the Office of the US Army Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, and earlier was Visiting Scholar-at-Large at the US Naval War College (2001) and performed the Commandant of the Marine Corps Trust Study (1999-2000). He is the author of *Achilles in Vietnam: Combat Trauma and the Undoing of Character* (1994) and of *Odysseus in America: Combat Trauma and the Trials of Homecoming* (2002). The latter has a Foreword authored jointly by U.S. Senators John McCain and Max Cleland. He was recently invited, on temporary loan from the VA, to assist the Congressional Research Service to identify issues and options for Congress regarding the transition from war service to civilian life by physically and psychologically injured veterans. He is a MacArthur Fellow for 2008-2012.