

## Nicole Prause's Malicious Reporting Pattern

Nicole Prause has shown a consistent and troubling pattern of filing groundless, malicious complaints, and publicly claiming she has filed complaints when she has not done so. Below is an incomplete list of such complaints and false claims. (Out of fear of reprisal we have omitted numerous additional individuals & organizations, and there must surely be more we don't know about.) The baseless complaints Prause actually lodged were generally dismissed as nuisance filings. However, a few led to time-consuming investigations that were ultimately dismissed or produced little in the way of substantive results. Note: Prause regularly claims "whistleblower status" to keep her activities under the radar. So, there are likely other, non-public complaints in addition to those listed here.

**Staci Sprout LICSW** - (see this section: [Prause files groundless complaints with Washington State against therapist Staci Sprout \(and numerous other incidents of defamation & harassment\)](#))

- Reported to Washington State's Department of Health, twice.
- Reported to National Association of Social Workers.
- [July, 2019: Staci Sprout, LICSW affidavit: Donald Hilton defamation lawsuit against Nicole R Prause & Liberos LLC.](#)

**Fight the New Drug** – Reported to Utah's Division of Child and Family Services

- [December, 2016: Prause reports Fight the New Drug to the State of Utah \(tweets over 50 times about FTND\)](#)

**Rory Reid PhD** – Appears to have been reported to UCLA (and perhaps to the California Psychology Board)

- [December, 2014: Prause employs an alias to attack & defame UCLA colleague Rory Reid, PhD \(on a porn-recovery forum\). Concurrently, UCLA decides not to renew Prause's contract.](#)
- [September 2016: Prause attacks and libels former UCLA colleague Rory C. Reid PhD. 2 years earlier "TellTheTruth" posted the exact same claims & documents on a porn recovery site frequented by Prause's many sock puppets](#)

**Linda Hatch PhD** - ([July, 2019: Linda Hatch, PhD affidavit: Donald Hilton defamation lawsuit against Nicole R Prause & Liberos LLC.](#))

- Reported to CA Psych Board
- Reported to the APA
- Prause also sent a bogus cease & desist letter: [Prause silencing people with fake "no contact" demands and spurious cease & desist letters \(Linda Hatch, Rob Weiss, Gabe Deem, Gary Wilson, Marnia Robinson, Alex Rhodes, etc.\)](#)

**Bradley Green PhD** - ([July, 2019: Bradley Green, PhD affidavit: Donald Hilton defamation lawsuit against Nicole R Prause & Liberos LLC.](#))

- Reported to University of Southern Mississippi
- Reported to journal where one of his papers appeared (*Sexual Addiction & Compulsivity*)

**Jason Carroll PhD** – Reported to Brigham Young University

**Geoff Goodman PhD** – Reported to Long Island University

- [July, 2019: Geoff Goodman, PhD affidavit: Donald Hilton defamation lawsuit against Nicole R Prause & Liberos LLC.](#)

### **The Reward Foundation**

- Reported to Scottish Charity Regulator - [2015 & 2016: Prause violates COPE's code of conduct to harass Gary Wilson and a Scottish charity](#)
- Reported to collective where the charity is domiciled (The Melting Pot) - [The exploits of "Janey Wilson" \(a Prause alias\)](#)
- [July, 2018: In emails, in the ICD-11 comments section, and on Wikipedia, Prause and her sockpuppets falsely claim that Wilson received 9,000 pounds from The Reward Foundation](#)

### **[Alexander Rhodes](#) of Nofap**

- [Claimed publicly to have been reported to the FBI.](#) An FOIA request [shows the FBI had no such report.](#)
- Prause falsely claimed to have a restraining order against Alex Rhodes: [Rhodes files a defamation lawsuit against Nicole Prause / Liberos LLC.](#)

### **Gabe Deem, founder of [RebootNation](#):**

- [Prause \(falsely\) tells TIME Magazine that Gabe Deem impersonated a doctor to write a formal critique of her study \(letter to the editor\) in an academic journal \(and the letter was traced to Gabe's computer\)](#)

**Exodus Cry** - ([July, 2019: Laila Haddad affidavit: Donald Hilton defamation lawsuit against Nicole R Prause & Liberos LLC.](#))

- Reported to the Missouri Attorney General for having a fraudulent mission statement for their 501c3 - [February, 2019: Prause falsely accuses Exodus Cry of fraud. Asks Twitter followers to report the non-profit to the Missouri attorney general \(for spurious reasons\). Appears to have edited the CEO's Wikipedia page](#)

**John Adler MD** – Reported to Stanford University

- [November, 2015: Cureus Journal founder John Adler MD blogs about Prause & David Ley harassment](#)
- [July, 2019: John Adler, MD affidavit: Donald Hilton defamation lawsuit against Nicole R Prause & Liberos LLC.](#)

**CUREUS journal** – Reported to PubMed Central

- [April 11, 2018: Prause falsely claims medical journal \*Cureus\* engages in fraud and is predatory \(John Adler is editor of \*Cureus\*\)](#)
- [July, 2019: John Adler, MD affidavit: Donald Hilton defamation lawsuit against Nicole R Prause & Liberos LLC.](#)

**Don Hilton, MD** - Reported to his university, the Texas Medical Board, and academic journals

- [July, 2019: Donald Hilton amends defamation lawsuit to include affidavits from 9 other victims of Prause, Texas Board of Medical Examiners complaint, incorrectly accusing Dr. Hilton of falsifying his credentials.](#)

**Keren Landman, MD** - Prause asked *VICE* magazine to terminate expert Dr. Landman for [writing an article](#) supporting Prop 60

- [November, 2016: Prause asks \*VICE\* magazine to fire infectious disease specialist Keren Landman, MD for supporting Prop 60 \(condoms in porn\).](#)
- Much more to this story here: [In 2015 the Free Speech Coalition offers Prause assistance: she accepts and immediately attacks Prop 60 \(condoms in porn\).](#)

**Most of the 7 physicians who co-authored this same paper** – were reported to their state medical boards for simply being on the paper (more about Prause's unrelenting insanity related to the paper: [Prause's efforts to have Behavioral Sciences review paper \(\*Park et al., 2016\*\) retracted](#))

**Gary Wilson, who co-authored that same paper** (massive documentation on this page - [Prause's efforts to have Behavioral Sciences review paper \(\*Park et al., 2016\*\) retracted](#))

- Prause claimed publicly and repeatedly to have reported Wilson to the FBI twice ([FOIA request shows FBI had no such report](#))
- [Reported to the Oregon Psychology Board](#) by an “anonymous” party for practicing psychology without a license. (Dismissed without further action.)
- Claimed publicly Wilson was reported to the police (LAPD and UCLA PD) since 2013 (No evidence of such reports for years. Eventually Prause filed an LAPD report in 2018, which Wilson wasn't even informed of...until Prause persuaded a gullible school newspaper editor to publish it in 2019 [swiftly removed by university officials] See [March 17, 2019: Article by University of Wisconsin-Lacrosse student newspaper \(The Racquet\) posts false police report by Nicole Prause.](#))
- (Apparently) [reported Wilson to the ISSM \(International Society for Sexual Medicine\)](#), which canceled his keynote address scheduled for March, 2018 in Lisbon without giving a reason. Then Prause began a social media campaign saying someone had been

"removed for an actual good reason from a conference," and claiming (again) that Gary had misrepresented his credentials ([he hadn't](#)). Although it came too late to seek reversal of the ISSM's decision, Gary soon received his [Oregon Psychology Board exoneration](#) (see above), so she may also have told the ISSM earlier that he had been "reported for practicing psychology without a license" among other untruths to persuade the ISSM to cancel him.

- Reported Gary's site [yourbrainonporn.com](#) 3 times for copyright violations using [groundless DMCA take-down requests](#) in attempt to remove documentation of her activities from his site.

**MDPI** - The parent company of the journal that published the review Wilson co-authored with Navy physicians (massive documentation on this page: [Prause's efforts to have Behavioral Sciences review paper \(Park et al., 2016\) retracted](#)).

- Reported to COPE (journal ethics review board)
- Reported to PubMed Central
- Reported to the FTC

Note: In 2019 MDPI posted two official statements related to the unethical behavior by Nicole Prause (such actions appear to be without precedent):

- [June, 2019: MDPI \(the parent company of the journal Behavioral Sciences\) publishes an editorial about Nicole Prause's unethical behavior surrounding her unsuccessful attempts to have Park et al., 2016 retracted.](#)
- [June, 2019: MDPI's official response to the MDPI Wikipedia page fiasco \(it had been edited by several Nicole Prause sockpuppets\)](#)

**D.J. Burr** – Reported to Washington State's Department of Health, twice.

- [April, 2019: Prause harasses and threatens therapist D.J. Burr, then maliciously reports him to the State of Washington Department of Health](#)

Finally, Prause has also repeatedly, publicly urged members of the public, via social media, to report professionals and professional organizations, both to psychology boards, to the FTC and to the Attorney General. Sections of Prause page with documentation:

- [Summer 2014: Prause urges patients to report sex addiction therapists to state boards.](#)
- [2015 & 2016: Prause falsely accuses sex addiction therapists of reparative therapy](#)
- [October, 2016: Prause falsely states that SASH and IITAP "board members and practitioners are openly sexist and assaultive to scientists"](#)
- [January 29, 2018: Prause threatens therapists who would diagnose sexual behavior addicts using the upcoming "Compulsive sexual behavior disorder" diagnosis in the ICD-11](#)