

## Book Alert

**Faulkner, S. (Ed.). (2021). *Drum Circles for Specific Populations: An Introduction to Drum Circles for Therapeutic and Educational Outcomes*. Jessica Kingsley Publishers.**

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In 2019, Heather Fletcher reviewed Simon Faulkner's (2018) self-published book on drum circles (Faulkner, 2018; Fletcher, 2019). Republished by Jessica Kingsley Publishers, as *Drum Circles for Specific Population Groups*, the new book has over 30 pages of new material, including an expanded introduction and three new short introductory chapters about cognitive reflection, somatic approaches, and group dynamics. Chapters by contributing authors have also been revised.

Fletcher's endorsement, published on the book cover, states:

Shines a light on the many applications and benefits of drum circle work, in the light of evidence-based, ethical and safe practice. A must read for anyone working in this field.

## References

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## Link to Publisher's Webpage

<https://uk.jkp.com/collections/author-simon-faulkner-pid-209057/products/drum-circles-for-specific-population-groups>

