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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2004 – 2007 **Director of Behavioral Health**
2001 – 2004 Consultant
Ossining Open Door Health Center
- Responsible for clinical and administrative supervision of mental health staff.
 - Programmatic and financial oversight of the H.I.V. program
 - Implementation of a grant identifying the social, emotional and behavioral problems of children in a primary care setting.
- 2002 – 2004 **Associate Administrative Director**
Behavioral Health Center at Westchester Medical Center
- Assist the Vice President with overall hospital operations, managerial and financial, of a 101-bed licensed New York State Office of Mental Health facility.
- 1997 – 2004 **Program Director – Ambulatory Care Services**
Behavioral Health Center at Westchester Medical Center
- Provide clinical and administrative leadership for all Outpatient Department clinics and programs, including satellite service locations.
 - Serve as primary liaison to Westchester County and local government service organizations, for profit and non-profit health corporations, and consumer advocacy groups.
 - Direct grant development initiatives and fund raising efforts.
 - Supervise social work staff of Behavioral Health Ambulatory Programs.
- 2004 – 2007 **Co-Director**
2001 – 2004 Assistant Director
Postmasters Certificate Program – Child & Adolescent Therapy
Fordham University
- Coordinator for interns, placements, mentoring and instructor of Family Therapy and Play Therapy Techniques.
- 1985 – 1997 **Social Work Supervisor**
Behavioral Health Center at Westchester Medical Center
- Supervised social work staff of Child and Adolescent Inpatient Units and Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program.
 - Monitored and developed quality assurance programs.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (cont'd)

- 1985 – 1989 **Private Clinical Practice, Consultation and Supervision**
- Specialization: Treatment of children, adolescents and adults using individual clinical supervision and consultation.
- 1981 – 1985 **Senior Social Caseworker**
Westchester County Department of Social Services
Child Protective Services
- Investigated and evaluated suspected cases of child abuse and neglect.
 - Assessed and diagnosed family systems, developed social histories, treatment plans and prepared court reports.
- 1979 – 1981 **Social Worker**
St. Agatha's Home for Children
Non-secure Detention, Rockland County
- Developed and implemented a training program for foster boarding home parents, focused on adolescent development, family dynamics, personality and defense mechanisms.
- 1972 – 1977 **Senior Group Counselor**
Westchester County Department of Probation
Woodfield Detention Cottage
- Supervised residents, P.I.N.S. and J.D.'s.
 - Coordinated and implemented educational and recreational program.
 - Supervised ten group counselors.
 - Assisted in evaluations of staff, hiring, personnel management and record keeping.

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

- 1989 – 2007 **Adjunct Faculty**
Graduate School of Social Services
Fordham University
- 1992 – 2007 **Instructor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences**
New York Medical College

TEACHING

- 1989 – 2007 **Adjunct Faculty**
Fordham University Graduate School of Social Service
M.S.W Courses:
- Clinical Practice I and II
 - Social Work Practice with Children
 - Crisis Intervention and Trauma Treatment
 - Family Oriented Treatment
 - Clinical Practice Seminar

TEACHING (cont'd)

- Diagnosis and Assessment
- Field Work Instructor

2001 – 2007

Post-Master's Courses:

- Family Issues and Intervention
- Play Therapy with Children

1992 – 2007

Faculty Instructor

New York Medical College – Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

- The Role of the Family Therapist: Techniques/Interventions
- Working with Different Kinds of Family Crises I
- Working with Different Kinds of Family Crises II
- Multi-Problem Families
- Child Abuse and Maltreatment Reporting
- Child and Adolescent Treatment Planning Process
- Orientation to the Child and Adolescent Outpatient Department

1986 – 2000

Faculty Field Instructor

Second-year M.S.W. students at Westchester Medical Center's Behavioral Health Center

1987 – 1993

Faculty Advisor

Second-year students
Field Work Integrated Seminar

EDUCATION

Ph.D.

Fordham University
Graduate School of Social Services

Postgraduate Certificate – Child and Adolescent Therapy
Fordham University
Graduate School of Social Services

Seminar in Field Instruction for Social Work Students
Columbia University

M.S.W.

Fordham University
Graduate School of Social Services

Thirty Graduate Credits in Education
College of New Rochelle

B. S.

Elementary Education/Sociology
State University of New York at Brockport

A. A.

Westchester Community College

PUBLICATIONS

Dissertation - April 1995

The Relationship of Exposure to Community Violence with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder and Expression of Anger in Adolescent

PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH

Westchester Medical Center – Behavioral Health Center

2002 – 2005	Project Director - Children's Trauma Consortium of Westchester Grant Three-year \$350,000 SAMHSA grant
2002 – 2007	Member, Advisory Committee – \$8M SAMHSA Grant Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children And Their Families
2001	The Relationship between Post-Traumatic Stress and Substance Abuse
2000	Emergency Mental Health Services for Children, Ages 0 - 8
1985	Emergency Psychiatric Services
1987	<u>Columbia University</u> Suicide and Adolescence

CONFERENCES – Presenter

March 2005	Play Therapy Techniques Part II Steinway Child and Family Services
January 2005	Play Therapy Techniques Part I Steinway Child and Family Services
November 2002	Has Your Child Lost Their Laugh: Recognizing Depression & Anxiety Westchester Medical Center, Valhalla, New York
October 2001	Hospital Based Services for The LGBT Community – American Psychiatric Association, New Orleans, Louisiana
October 2001	World Trade Center – Post Traumatic Services Behavioral Health Center Westchester Medical Center, Valhalla, New York
September 1999	Like a Time Bomb – Shattered Dreams: Exploring Youth Violence Jewish Community Services, Tarrytown, New York

CONFERENCES – Presenter (cont'd)

- October 1999 Like a Time Bomb – Shattered Dreams: Exploring Youth Violence
Annual Nursing Department Conference
Westchester Medical Center, Valhalla, New York
- May 1999 Psychological Trauma & The School-Age Child
Westchester Medical Center, Valhalla, New York
- March 1997 Managed Care – Inpatient vs. Outpatient
New York Hospital, White Plains, New York

CONFERENCES – Planned, Organized and Promoted

- January 2002 Powerful Connections: Healing the Mind, Body and Spirit
- March 2002 Mental Health Awareness – Health Fairs
- April 2000 Children’s Trauma Consortium of Westchester
Vicarious Trauma: The Effect of Trauma Work on Those Who Help
- October 2000 Gateway Expo
- 1999 - 2002 National Depression Screening Day

MEDIA PRODUCTIONS AND PARTICIPATION

- 2002 Westchester Medical Center – Behavioral Health Center
Children and Stress – Cablevision - Channel News 12 Interview
- 1999 Westchester Medical Center – Behavioral Health Center
Crisis Services – Radio WFAS

COMMITTEES AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2004-2007 Board Member, Ossining Communities That Care
Drug Free Community Initiative
- 2002 –2007 Board Member, Family Ties Inc.
Family Support and Advocacy Organization
- 2002 – 2007 Westchester County Department of Community Mental Health
Sexually Aggressive Youth Committee
- 2002 – 2004 Westchester Medical Center – Arlin Cancer Institute
Advisory Board for Complementary and Alternative Medicine
- 2001 – 2007 Westchester County Department of Community Mental Health
Early Childhood Committee

2001 – 2004 Westchester Medical Center
Chair, Communication Committee for Customer Service Initiative

COMMITTEES AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS (cont'd)

1999 – 2004 Westchester County – Single Point of Entry

1997 – 2004 Westchester Medical Center – Behavioral Health Center
Liaison for BOCES Educational Services

1989 – 2007 Westchester County Department of Community Mental Health
Children's Core Service Committee – New York State Initiative

CERTIFICATIONS/REGISTRATIONS

Academy of Certified Social Workers (ASCW) NASW

New York State Licensed Clinical Social Worker
License Number: R027297

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- American Ortho-Psychiatric Association
- International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies
- National Association for Social Workers

References furnished upon request.