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EXPERIENCE

1/14 – Present ADJUNCT FACULTY, California Lutheran University, Thousand Oaks, CA Instructor - M.S. in Clinical Psychology Program

Spring 2015, 2016: Diagnostic and Therapeutic Interviewing

Spring 2014: Principles and Techniques in Adolescent Therapy.

9/02-Present CLINIC ADMINISTRATOR III, Ventura County Behavioral Health Conejo Youth & Family Services, Thousand Oaks, CA

Plan, organize and direct the full-scope of operational activities of a multi-disciplinary team, which provides behavioral health services to youth and families and transitional age youth. Supervise the screening and triage of new clients; assist in establishing and refining measurable performance objectives; select, train and supervise multi-disciplinary staff; provide clinical supervision; implement evidence-based practices; supervise collection and input of all client and cost data necessary to evaluate client outcome and cost benefit; monitor all Quality Assurance policies and procedures; coordinate with other teams and system resources on behalf of clients; prepare written monthly management information reports reflecting team's performance on client outcome goals, productivity, expenditures, and revenue.

11/00-9/02 PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER IV, Ventura County Behavioral Health Los Cerritos Middle School, Thousand Oaks, CA

Same position as PSY III (see description below), along with additional supervisory & administrative responsibilities.

2/99-10/00 PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER III, Ventura County Behavioral Health Los Cerritos Middle School, Thousand Oaks, CA

School-based clinician in Special Day Class with ED middle school students. Carry out assessments, ind., group and family therapy, case management and collateral contacts. Coordinate milieu therapy and educational programming with classroom and school staff. Maintain ongoing educational & therapeutic case-management with school and district personnel.

6/00 - Present SUBJECT MATTER EXPERT, Board of Behavioral Sciences Examiners Sacramento, CA

Participate in annual workshops developing written exams for social work licensure.

10/98-2/99 PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER III, Ventura Cty. Behavioral Health Moorpark High School, Moorpark, CA

School-based clinician in Special Day Class with ED high school students. Carried out assessments, ind., group and family therapy, case mgmt. and collateral contacts. Coordinated milieu therapy with educational and district staff.

4/89-9/98 SENIOR STAFF SOCIAL WORKER, Northpoint Day Treatment Service San Fernando Valley Child Guidance Clinic, Northridge, CA

Provided clinical supervision to MSW social workers & Ph.D. psychology interns in a Non-Public School setting with SED children/adolescents. USC, MSW Field Instructor (8 years). Supervised & advised educational staff, planned and implemented individual & group treatment plans, ran clinical & administrative meetings. Provided ind., group and family therapy. Coordinated intern, staff and client orientation programs. Conducted fundraising program. Led parent-training groups. Provided staff training. Conducted intakes, provided case management and referral services, and coordinated educational plans with school district personnel.

4/95-6/00 ORAL EXAMINER, Board of Behavioral Sciences Examiners Los Angeles, CA

Served as an LCSW Oral Examinator and Oral Exam Appeal Reviewer.

9/92-3/99 PRIVATE PRACTITIONER Northridge, CA

Provided psychotherapy, case management, referral and advocacy services for adults, children, adolescents, families and couples. Presented public workshops to professionals, students and parents on child development, conflict resolution, diagnostics, and parent training. Conducted "STEP" parent training groups.

6/86-4/89 CLINICAL CASEWORKER, Vista Del Mar Day Treatment Program Los Angeles, CA

Conducted intakes, ind., family and group therapy with SED, latency aged children in a Day Treatment Program. Supervised child care counselors and volunteers. Coordinated treatment with educational staff and adjunctive therapists. Provided case management and discharge planning.

9/81-2/85 CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER, Neve Amiel, Residential Youth Village Sde Yaakov, Israel

Coordinated therapeutic program for 100 adolescents in a vocational, residential setting. Conducted intakes, case assessments, and discharge planning. Provided ind., group and family therapy. Supervised Clinical Social Work Interns & child care staff. Coordinated volunteer program with nearby farm community.

9/81-3/82 CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER, Ramat Hadassah, Youth Village Tivon, Israel

Provided individual and group therapy for adolescents in a residential treatment facility. Coled staff support group and directly supervised child care counselors.

4/80-6/81 CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER, Moan Shabtai Levi Children's Home Haifa, Israel

Provided individual play and family therapy, case management, and supervision of child care workers in a residential setting for children ages 2 - 6. Facilitated placements in foster and adoptive homes. Coordinated volunteer program.

10/79-4/80 SOCIAL WORKER, Merkaz Hanna Hushy, Developmental Pediatric Clinic, Haifa, Israel

Conducted intakes and short-term therapy with parents of children ages 0 - 3 presenting with developmental delays, in a multi-disciplinary pediatric assessment and treatment clinic.

9/78-6/79 SOCIAL WORK INTERN, Neve Ronit, Children's Group Home

Nahariya, Israel

Conducted ind. play therapy with latency aged children in a group home. Supervised childcare workers. Provided case management and coordinated discharge planning.

9/77-6/78 SOCIAL WORK INTERN, Tirat HaCarmel Welfare Agency

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Tirat HaCarmel, Israel

Provided case management and supportive counseling for low income families in an Israeli development town.

EDUCATION

11/10/89

9/82-6/85	University of Haifa, School of Social Work, Haifa, Israel MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK
	Clinical Social Work, Childhood and Adolescence Concentration
9/77-6/79	University of Haifa, School of Social Work, Haifa, Israel BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK
	Clinical Social Work, Childhood and Adolescence Concentration
9/75-6/77	University of California, Berkeley, CA
	Course work in Social Work and General Education; Honors Student
9/73 - 6/74	Los Angeles Harbor College, Los Angeles, CA Completed college level courses during high school Senior Honors Program.

REFERENCES - Available upon request