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Education/Licensure:

- Master of Social Work** (Mental Health/Administration Concentration) 1993
University of Missouri- Columbia. Columbia, Missouri.
Master's Thesis submitted and accepted for publication.
Chi Alpha Honor Society for Social Work, MU Chapter
- Bachelor of Arts-** Dual Major English/Religious Studies 1986
University of Missouri- Columbia. Columbia, Missouri.
- Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)** – Wisconsin #4342 (Previously licensed in Missouri and Iowa.

Employment/Clinical Practice History:

Wise Mind Mental Health Clinic- Marshfield, WI. Co-Owner/Clinic Administrator. Generalist outpatient psychotherapy treatment services, specialization in Dialectical Behavioral Therapy, Perinatal Mood and Anxiety disorders, Acute and Chronic Trauma treatment. Presentations for community awareness of mental health issues, offering training in mental health issues for professionals and paraprofessionals. 2014-Present.

Marshfield Clinic – Dept. of Psychiatry and Behavioral Health- Marshfield, WI - Outpatient psychotherapist. Generalist practice with specialization in Dialectical Behavioral Therapy, Anxiety/Trauma treatment, Therapy provider in multidisciplinary treatment team - Perinatal Mood Disorder Clinic. Emergency Room mental health evaluations and dispositions. Responsible for interviewing Social Work candidates, participation in physician recruiting. Marshfield Clinic “Shining Star” Award recipient. 2001-2014.

Leadership and team participation – Marshfield Clinic
Social Work Section Chief
Emergency Detention Community Based Consultation Participant
Confidential Diagnosis Work Group- Social Work representative
Hipaa Harmonization – Social Work Section Consultant
Quality Assurance Committee/Outpatient Certification Review Team
Critical Incident Review Process Development Team
Critical Incident Review Social Work Team
Leader and Trainer for Adolescent DBT multifamily group development

Central Iowa Psychological Services – West Des Moines, IA General practice of psychotherapy with adults and adolescents, individuals, couples, and families, with an emphasis in depression, anxiety, trauma, religious/spirituality concerns, and sexual identity. Special interest and experience in women's concerns, behavioral medicine, sexual assault, relational theory and diversity issues. Created first practice website, community presentations on sexual assault, women's health issues. 2000-2001.

Marshfield Clinic Dept. of Psychiatry and Behavioral Health – Marshfield, WI - Primary responsibilities included evaluation and psychotherapy treatment for clients utilizing individual, couple, family, and group modalities, triage assessment and emergency room consultation for acute psychiatric crises, development and implementation of managed care treatment plans, behavioral health consultation for obstetrics and gynecology patients. Elected Social Work Section Chief, serving as administrative liaison to management. General practice with special expertise and training in treatment for adult women and trauma survivors, Quality Assurance committee and On Call Manual Development team. 1996-2000.

St. Louis Area Employee Assistance Program/ National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, St. Louis. MO - Clinical Social Worker/EAP: Provided for assessment and brief therapy of individuals, couples, and families for mental health and chemical dependency issues, consultation and referral for management concerns in the workplace, developed and presented workshops on a variety of mental health, relationship, and stress management topics, and completed initial evaluations for managed care contracts, 1995-1996.

Women's Clinical Consultants/Women's Counseling Collective, St. Louis, MO- Contract Therapist: Provision of individual, couple, and group psychotherapy to adult women with a focus on treating survivors of sexual assault and family violence, establish and implement clinical procedures, facilitated assessment and referral of new clients, developed and presented workshops/presentations on women's mental health issues, 1993-1996.

McLean Counseling Services, St. Louis, MO - Contract therapist: Responsible for in-home family therapy emphasizing anger management, communication skills training, and parenting development for low-income, at-risk families. Provided in home psychotherapy services for HIV/AIDS clients through Dept. of Health grant. 1994-1995.

Life Skills Foundation, St. Louis. MO- Program Supervisor/Community Support: Develop and implement Individual Habitation Plan (IHP) objectives for mental health consumers with developmental disabilities to live independently in the community. Provide instruction in a variety of living skills, advocate change in a behavioral modification frame, and facilitate the creation of natural supports for consumers within the larger community, 1994-1995.

Family Counseling Center, Columbia, Missouri - Administrative Assistant:
Duties included client scheduling and referral within an eclectic clinical setting, processing and billing for (C-STAR alcohol and drug treatment program, and data entry.1992-1993.

ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES –

- *National Association of Social Workers
- *Iowa/National Coalitions Against Sexual Assault
- * Professional Consultant - National Anxiety/Depression/Alcohol Screening Days
- * Wisconsin Federation for Clinical Social Work
- * Minority Issues Sensitivity Trainer, MU School of Journalism
- * St. Louis Eating Disorders Network for Professionals

PUBLICATION/PRESENTATIONS:

“Down on the Farm: Challenges and Resources in Rural Mental Health.” Invited Speaker, Wisconsin Ag Women’s Summit - Madison, WI March, 2014.

“Down on the Farm: Challenges and Resources in Rural Mental Health.” Presentation for Heart of the Farm Conference- UW Extension, Marshfield WI, March 2013.

“Have You Ever Thought of Hurting Yourself? Responding to People with Suicidal Thoughts” Community Presentation/Panel Discussion – Sponsored by the Spencer WI EMT/Fire Department. May 2012.

“Interpersonal Skills for Paraprofessionals” Presented day long trainings on a repeated basis for staff and volunteers, Iowa Coalition Against Sexual Assault. 2000-2001.

"A Genogrid for Couples," Co-authored with Judith Burke, Ph.D. Vol. 7(1) Journal of Gay and Lesbian Social Services. Haworth Press, Inc. 1997.