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# Objective

Seeking a position to promote and provide emotional and behavioral health and wellness to underserved populations

## Experience

#### ASPEN BEHAVIORAL CARE (FIRST SENIOR CARE)

July 2006 to Present

Arlington Heights, IL

Position: Consulting Clinical Psychologist

- Provides psychological services to individuals with severe mental illness and adjustment issues living in long term care communities including couple and family psychotherapy
- Participates in case conference meetings with multidisciplinary treatment teams for discussion of relevant cases
- Develops and implements comprehensive treatment plans
- Provides consultation to medical staff
- Presents at family and community forums

12/2002 to 4/2003

# VETERANS AFFAIRS MEDICAL CENTER Psychiatry Day Hospital Program

Cleveland, OH

Position: Psychology Intern

- Administered personality assessments, wrote psychological evaluation reports, and provided feedback to clients and treatment team
- Conducted screenings and intakes with adults with severe mental illness
- Facilitated long term psychotherapy groups (hearing voices group, stress and relaxation group, and cognitive behavior therapy group)
- Developed and implemented comprehensive treatment plans
- Provided individual psychotherapy to patients in the Day Hospital
   Program

9/2001 to 8/2002

#### VETERANS AFFAIRS MEDICAL CENTER

Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Residential Rehabilitation Program Dayton, OH

Position: Practicum Student

- Administered personality and combat related assessments, wrote psychological evaluation reports, and provided feedback to clients and treatment team
- Provided Long term psychotherapy to patients in the PTSD residential program

#### 4/2000 to 8/2001

#### **CREATIVE EDGE THERAPEUTICS**

#### **Private Practice**

Cincinnati, OH

Position: Psychology Trainee

- Provided short and long term psychotherapy and child centered therapy to adults, children, adolescents, individuals, couples, and families.
- Administered achievement, cognitive, and personality assessments, wrote psychological evaluation reports and provided feedback to children, parents, teachers, and mental health professionals.
- Assisted with child custody and visitation evaluations, performed assessments, wrote reports, and maintained ongoing case management via phone and written contact with courts and other referral sources
- Co facilitated process oriented psychotherapy group with adult clients
- Developed and provided community based outreach services with staff at a State Children's Home

# RUSKINS JAPANESE MAGNET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

11/1999 to 6/2000

**Dayton Public Schools** Dayton, OH

Position: Psychology Trainee/Consultant

- Provided individual student consultation for behavioral issues
- Consulted with principal, teachers, and supporting staff on issues concerning students perceived to have difficulty

- Contacted and provided feedback to parents regarding their child's behavior in school with recommendations for intervention
- Performed classroom observations of referred students and teaching methods for teacher consultation

#### CONTRA COSTA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

9/1996 to 8/1998

1/1996 to 6/1998

Public Health Division: Public Health Clinic Services TeenAge Program (TAP)

Martinez, CA

Position: Youth Intern/Youth Peer Program Coordinator

- Collaborated with school personnel and county based agencies on referrals for students with health related concerns
- Conducted presented presentations for teens on life skills, violence prevention, substance use and abuse, sexual responsibility and stereotype awareness
- Developed and managed the Junior Health Facilitator Program within TAP
- Trained youth to be peer educators, coached and evaluated their performance, prepared them to function effectively in a work environment.
- Coordinated the teen Health Core an organization related to HIV/AIDS awareness and prevention at a high school campus servicing high risk youth to promote interest and active participation in their community
- Served as clinic manager of one of the three Teen Age program Clinics

#### **BATTERED WOMEN'S ALTERNATIVE**

Concord, CA

Position: On Call Counselor

- Provided counselling and case management in a residential setting for women and their children affected by domestic violence
- Monitored and regulated shelter policies and procedures
- Advocated for residents' rights and initiated a forum that facilitated dialogue between support and shelter services around issues of diversity and policy
- Conducted crisis phone counselling
- Co facilitated the African American Women's Support Group

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### **EDUCATION**

WRIGHT STATE UNIVERSITY

School Of Professional Psychology

9/2004

Dayton, OH

APA accredited program Degree: Psy.D

UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA 5/1995

Tucson, AZ

Major: Psychology Minor: Health Sciences Degree: B.A.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Association of Black Psychologist National and Local 1997 to Present

Chapters

Gerontological Society of America 2006 to Present