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08/11-12/13-**Adjunct Professor**, Clinical Assessment and Diagnosis

01/14-05/14-**Adjunct Professor**, Ethics in Social Work

08/14-12/14--**Adjunct Professor**, Field Liaison and Generalist Social Work Practice

01/15-05/15- **Adjunct Professor**, Field Liaison

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Program Director II, Horizon Health

March 2017-July 2022

(I provided oversight to a 12 bed Geriatric and 12 bed adolescent inpatient psychiatric unit. I was responsible for the development, education, and supervision of the treatment programs, staffing, and community relationships. I provided quality improvement oversight, manage the

policy development and implementation).

Highlights:

Hosted a successful open house with over 200 visitors

Successfully opened a 12 bed geriatric/8 bed adolescent inpatient behavior health unit

Oversaw the process of getting the hospital certified to be an emergency receiving, evaluating, and treating facility

During the first year of opening the program was nominated for the Customer Satisfaction Award

During the first year the program was a finalist as Program of the Year

Hosted a presentation for the Commissioner of Community Health, Commissioner of DBHDD, and Senator Dean Burke to promote the unit and educate about the needs of the community

Implemented a Standard Operating Procedures Manual for Social Services

Oversaw the development of the Standard Operating procedures Manual for Nursing

Psychotherapist, Medical Center of Bowling Green

August 2012-November 2014

(I provided adult and adolescent individuals, family, group, marriage and play therapy for an inpatient, outpatient, and intensive outpatient behavioral health service, assist in discharge coordination, and assist in utilization review. I also provided services occasionally on the inpatient behavioral health unit for adults and geriatrics to include psychosocial assessments, treatment planning, group and individual therapy, and crisis intervention)

Highlights:

Implemented a system that brought the outpatient handwritten medical records to electronic.

Organized a weekly curriculum and schedule for the adult intensive outpatient.

Assisted in creating new services to increase productivity

Behavior Specialist, CLiK

January 2010-August 2012

(I provided contract behavior support

2. Regional and SCL Case Manager

January 2005-January 2009

(I provided case coordination for individuals with Intellectual Disabilities receiving state general funds to include respite services, crisis support, and case management. I developed an annual individualized support plan that outlined social history, current and past services, and current needs. The support plans also provided goals and objectives to assist individuals in meeting goals and increased daily living skills.)

3. Community Living Associate

June 2001-January 2005

(I provided direct support to individuals with Intellectual Disabilities living in a staffed residence through the Supports for Community Living Waiver. I assisted individuals with daily living activities and personal care. I also had **house manager** responsibilities to include monitoring daily activity, medications, scheduling, and paperwork from other staff.)

RECOGNITION, HONORS, AND AWARDS:

Counseling.

- Ø LICSW licensure (AL and GA)

Substance Abuse

- Ø Certificate in Substance Abuse Counseling

Recognitions

- Ø Member of the Phi Alpha Honor Society-Social Work Delta Mu Chapter

Certifications

Hypnotherapy

Certified Trauma Professional

Trained in ERP, EMDR, and Sandtray (in consultation for certification)

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS:

Miller, J, Rhema, S., Faul, A.C., D'Ambrosio, J., Yankeelov, P.A., Amer, R. & Clark, R. (2012). Strength in process: Using concept mapping to inform community coalition development. *Journal of Community Practice*.

PEER REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS:

Miller, J, Rhema, S., Faul, A.C., D'Ambrosio, J., Yankeelov, P.A., Amer, R. & Clark, R. (2012, January). Strength in process: Using concept mapping to inform community coalition development. Society for Social Work and Research Conference, Washington, DC, January 11-15, 2012.

D'Ambrosio, J., Faul, A.C., Yankeelov, P.A., Amer, R., Miller, J, Rhema, S., & Clark, R. (2012, February). Moving from theory to practice: A participatory action concept mapping exercise with a Community Diabetes Coalition serving Older Adults. Association for Gerontology in Higher Education's 38th Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Educational Leadership Conference, Arlington, Virginia, February 23-26, 201

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES:

Alumni Relations Committee-Chair

Research, Evaluation, Assessment, and Development Committee-Chair

Student Engagement Committee-Member

Military Infusion Committee-Secretary

CEU Development Committee-Member

Faculty Search Committee-Member

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

NASW

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IAST