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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education, Minor: Speech Communications and Sociology, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, 1981.

Master of Arts in Religious Education, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Ft. Worth, Texas, 1984.

Master of Arts in Counseling, Amber University, Garland, Texas, 1999.

WORK HISTORY AND EXPERIENCE

Therapist, Private Practice, September 1999-present.

Focus of Private Practice includes: adolescents, adults, chemical dependency, addiction issues and families.

Program Director : Co-Parenting Solutions, Inc.

January 2003-present. Provides Parent Facilitation and Parent Coordination in court cases in Dallas, Collin and Denton counties.

Substance Abuse Consultant, Christian Life Commission, Baptist General Convention of Texas, August 2000-May 2012.

Clinical Coordinator of the Adolescent Chemical Dependency Services and IOP, Green Oaks Psychiatric Hospital, Dallas Texas, November 1999-June 2000.

Responsibilities Included:

- * management of an IOP program for adolescents including program planning and group education
- * coordination of all daily aspects of the IOP program: group therapy, individual therapy, multi-family groups, and family therapy
- * administrative duties including: utilization review, and billing

Inpatient Therapist, Green Oaks Psychiatric Hospital, Dallas Texas, August 1999-November 1999.

Responsibilities included:

- * managed a weekly case load of 8 clients (adults and adolescents) providing family and individual therapy

- * taught education skills groups for adults and adolescents
- * led group therapy on various levels of care
- * participated in treatment rounds with psychiatrists to coordinate care
- * completed weekly treatment plans, integrated assessments, discharge planning and progress notes

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

- * Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor
- * Licensed Professional Counselor
- * LPC Supervisor

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- * AFCC
- * American Counseling Association
- * Texas Counseling Association
- * Family Law Foundation
- * American Association of Drug and Alcohol Counselors
- * North Texas Families in Transition
- * Family Law Section of the State Bar of Texas

REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST