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WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1992-present MID-OHIO PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES ,INC., LANCASTER, OHIO**
Helped establish and function as Executive Director of non-profit community mental health agency providing psychological services to youth and adults in Fairfield County and surrounding areas. Responsible for maintaining compliance with Ohio Department of Mental Health and CARF rules and regulations, supervise staff, perform administrative oversight to daily operations of agency. Provide treatment, evaluation, and consultation for Children's Services, Juvenile Court, and foster care networks. Conduct forensic evaluations; specialize in evaluation of sexual offenders. Develop and implement policies and procedures. Supervise staff of 27 clinicians and 24 support staff. Oversee budget of approximately \$2,000,000.
- 1989-present INDEPENDENT CONTRACT--Institute for Human Services**
Provide training and consultation services to child protective services workers and foster parents throughout the state of Ohio. Training focuses on the management and treatment of adolescent sexual offenders within the community. Aided in the development of training curriculum currently used statewide.
- 1997-2001 MID-OHIO MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, INC., LANCASTER, OHIO**
Provided consultation and on-sight mental health services to the forensic population. Developed programs to meet the needs of special population groups. Conducted training and clinical supervision to other professionals were expanding their area of competency in the areas of addiction counseling and sexual offender counseling.
- 1989-2004 MID-OHIO COUNSELING CENTER, INC., LANCASTER, OHIO**
Helped establish a private. Worked part time doing individual treatment of sexual offenders, adolescents and co-dependent women. Focused on developing an understanding of spirituality. Presented workshops on treating sexually deviant individuals. Consulted with Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections.
- 1994-2001 NETCARE INC., COLUMBUS, OHIO**
Conduct forensic evaluations on a contingency basis.
- 1996-1997 FAIRFIELD MEDICAL ASSOCIATES, LANCASTER, OHIO**
Conduct neuropsychological assessments and clinical supervision of psychology assistants in long term care facilities.

- 1993-1996 GERI-TECH INC., SANDUSKY, OHIO**
Conducted neuropsychological assessments and clinical supervision of psychology assistants in long term care facilities.
- 1993-1994 INDEPENDENT CONTRACT--Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction**
Contracted with the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction to serve as Psychology Supervisor at Ross Correctional Institution--the largest prison in Ohio at the time. Supervised psychology staff, developed policies, conducted evaluations.
- 1993-1994 INDEPENDENT CONTRACT--Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction**
Contracted with the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction to develop and implement psychosocial programming at Camp Reams, a minimum-security boot camp. Responsible for program development and program evaluation.
- 1991-1993 OSTRANDER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, OSTRANDER, OHIO**
Pastor to a congregation of over 100. Responsible for conducting worship activities, coordinating administrative functions, conducting individual counseling, leading educational experiences, and providing general leadership for the congregation.
- 1986-1991 SOUTHEASTERN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION, LANCASTER, OHIO**
Worked as Psychology Assistant. Developed and implemented treatment programs. Consulted with other departments and performed psychological evaluations. Aided security staff in emergency situations. Conducted lectures to professional organizations on sexual deviancy and moral reasoning development. Helped develop and coordinate the sex offender treatment program which serves as a model for most adult corrections facilities in Ohio. Wrote computer programs to score tests and manage database information. Conducted program evaluation and other research.
- 1988 OHIO UNIVERSITY-LANCASTER, LANCASTER, OHIO**
Taught human relations through the Ohio University-Lancaster. Instructed a class at Southeastern Correctional Institution.
- 1985-1986 ORIENT CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION, ORIENT, OHIO**
Worked as a Psychology Assistant. Carried out administrative functions in absence of full time supervisor. Conducted psychological testing, group counseling and individual therapy. Taught classes in abnormal behavior in in-service training. Consulted with other departments.

- 1985** **OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO**
 Counseled groups of delinquent and pre-delinquent youth using Moral Reasoning Development, self-concept enhancement, and empathy training in the Perry County school system and at a detention facility in Columbus, Ohio.
- 1980-1985** **SELF EMPLOYED, CHILLICOTHE, OHIO**
 Ran free-lance photography service. Subcontracted for Chillicothe Gazette and Dumm's House of Portraits. Photographed weddings, news events, and groups. Processed film and managed accounts.
- 1981-1984** **OHIO UNIVERSITY, CHILLICOTHE, OHIO**
 Worked in a variety of capacities including tutoring statistics, calculus, and accounting, running the photography lab, and working as a lab assistant in the computer lab. As a computer lab assistant I was responsible for aiding students with programming, running statistics programs for instructors, and writing programs for the lab.

EDUCATION

- 1991-1992** **METHODIST THEOLOGICAL SCHOOL IN OHIO, DELAWARE, OHIO**
 Took course work towards a Master of Divinity Degree. Kliest Scholar. GPA over 3.6.
- 1987-90** **OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO**
 Ph.D. in Counselor Education (GPA=3.56). Received academic scholarship throughout program. Completed dissertation entitled *The Sexual Deviancy Inventory: An Experimental Instrument to Differentiate Groups of Sexual Offenders*. Conducted training seminar on Moral Reasoning Development for the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections, presented at the All Ohio Counselors Conference in Fall, 1987 on sexual addiction, and at the Ohio Association of Counseling and Development Conference in Spring, 1988 on sexual deviancy. Extensive course work in research and clinical counseling. Participated in long-term internships at Fairfield County Division of Alcoholism and the Lighthouse, a battered women's shelter in Lancaster.
- 1984-1985** **OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO**
 Master of Education degree in Community Guidance and Counseling. Concentrated in working with individuals confined in prisons or detention facilities. Have had training in appraisal, group and individual counseling, networking, and a variety of other related areas. Completed a six-month internship at Buckeye Youth Center in Columbus, Ohio.

1981-1984 OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO

Bachelor's Degree in general studies with an emphasis on applied human service. Heavy emphasis on psychology, sociology, and philosophy. Several classes in government policy/philosophy and business related fields. Completed a fifteen week field experience at Chillicothe Correctional Institution in Chillicothe, Ohio.

1977-1981 UNIOTO HIGH SCHOOL, CHILLICOTHE, OHIO

Graduated in upper 10% of class. Active in track, football, choir, band, drama, and student government. Attended the American Legion's Buckeye Boy's State and two National Junior Achievement Conferences. Received Eagle Scout award.

CREDENTIALS

Ohio psychology license (#4581).
Ohio Licensed Professional Counselor with Clinical Endorsement (#E1282).
Board Certified Forensic Examiner (#2617).
Affiliate Medical Staff at Fairfield Medical Center.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Counseling Association
American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children
American Psychological Association
Ohio Psychological Association
Ohio Professional Society on the Abuse of Children
Founding Member--Board of Directors of Child Advocacy Center of Fairfield County
Fairfield County Municipal Mental Health Court Advisory Committee

TOPICS PRESENTED AT WORKSHOPS

Conducting Sexual Offender Assessment
Court Testimony 101 for the Mental Health Practitioner
Differential Diagnosis
Family Reunification and Case Closure in Sexual Abuse Cases
Juvenile Sexual Offender Risk Assessment
Juvenile Sexual Offenders: Characteristics, Assessment and Treatment
Juvenile Sexual Offenders: Public Policy Concerns
Mental Health and Criminal Justice Systems—Coordinating Care
Normal Sexual Development
Parenting Sexual Offenders
Sexual Offenders: Developing Internalization Skills
Understanding Mental Illness in the Mental Retardation Population
Understanding Sexual Behavior in the Mental Retardation Population

REFERENCES

Available upon request.

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