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Certification/Licensure

LCSW – Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Education

Masters in Social Work, University of Chicago 2005
Chicago, IL
Bachelor's of Science, University of Oregon 2003
Eugene, OR

Selected Professional Experience

Therapist, Portland DBT Institute (Southern Oregon Branch), Portland, OR 2013-Present
 • Individual Therapy, Family Therapy, DBT Skills Group Facilitator, Southern Oregon Team Lead

Director of Youth and Family Services, Community Works, Inc., Jackson County, OR 2011-2013
 • Manage the Runaway & Homeless Youth department, including Street Outreach Program, and Transitional & Independent Living Programs
 • Oversee child and family outpatient mental health counseling program for uninsured youth and victims of a crime
 • Manage Jackson County's urgent response crisis therapy team
 • Manage a \$971,900 budget; and write and oversee all foundation and federal grants and state and county contracts associated with Youth and Family Services department
 • Participate in community consortiums, committees, and other activities; represent agency at public settings
 • Develop and implement policies and procedures related to program operations
 • Work on larger organizational issues as a member of the senior management team

Youth Program Manager, Mercy Home for Boys and Girls, Chicago, IL 2007-2010
 • Managed a residential treatment center and a transitional living program for 20 inner-city adolescents
 • Supervised, recruited, hired, led, trained, and provided clinical guidance and consultation to a team of 25 members
 • Provided direct supervision and professional growth opportunities to Supervisors, Therapists, and Case Managers
 • Oversaw all clinical and administrative decision, including youth admission, intake and placement, diagnosis and assessment, program implementation, mental health counseling and treatment planning, and discharge planning
 • Led continuous quality improvement initiatives to ensure positive outcomes and increase program success rates
 • Collaborated, partnered, and maintained relationships with agency and community constituents, including board members, referral agencies, media outlets, education personnel, city leaders, and politicians



- Appointed as agency liason for Lambda Legal to develop policies and procedures to support LGBTQ runaway and homeless youth in residential care
- Applied evidenced-based practices, such as strengths based and family systems, in direct clinical work with children
- Assessed gaps in services and programs and designed and facilitated staff trainings and development opportunities
- Oversaw all financial operations relation to program areas, including monthly budget analysis, identifying annual revisions, outside audits, daily finances, and petty cash distribution

DBT and Other Specialized Training

Advanced Training in Complex and Insidious Trauma in LGBTQ+ communities

DBT Prolonged Exposure Protocol for PTSD with Melanie Harned, Ph.D.

