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EDUCATION:

The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA
Master of Science, Leisure Studies: May 2000
Emphasis: Therapeutic Recreation

Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA
Bachelor of Science, Recreation & Leisure Studies: May 1997
Emphasis: Therapeutic Recreation
Minor: Special Education

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Recreation Therapist – Behavioral Health Unit. 7/04 – 7/11

St. Joseph Regional Health Center, Navasota, TX

Planned, facilitated, and evaluated all aspects of therapeutic recreation program for inpatient mental health facility. Member of collaborative treatment team responsible for assessment and identification of individualized course of treatment for each patient. Provided education and supervision to individuals assisting with the recreation program, including mental health professionals and student nurses.

Mental Health Therapist – Family Preservation Program/Outpatient. 6/03 – 7/04

South Carolina Department of Mental Health

Anderson-Oconee-Pickens Mental Health Center, Anderson, SC

Provided intensive in-home education and support services to “at-risk” families. Worked closely with family members to identify and implement components of a healthy and functional individual and family lifestyle.

Program Supervisor – Children’s Alternative to Placement. 9/02 – 6/03

South Carolina Department of Mental Health

Anderson-Oconee-Pickens Mental Health Center, Anderson, SC

Developed and implemented successful community based support services program for “at-risk” children and families. Responsible for all aspects of program personnel supervision (10-22 individuals), as well as oversight of daily operation.

Treatment Coordinator. 11/01 – 7/02

Boys Home of the South, Belton, SC

Developed and supervised course of treatment for “at-risk” youth at intense residential program.

Counselor. 1/01 – 8/01

Therapeutic Recreation Specialist. 11/99 – 8/01

Mental Health Unit, Centre Community Hospital, State College, PA

Responsible for all aspects of development and delivery of therapeutic recreation program for inpatient mental health facility.

Activities Coordinator/Therapeutic Recreation Specialist. 8/99 – 11/00

Transitional Care Unit, Centre Community Hospital, State College, PA

Practicum Student Faculty Supervisor. 8/99 – 5/00

School of Hotel, Restaurant & Recreation Management, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION:

Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist (CTRS) 11/8/97 - Present