

# David LeCount

## Resume

### Education, Professional Training and Credentials:

- Masters of Social Work (MSW) – University of Denver – 1967
- Certified - Academy of Certified Social Workers (ACSW) since 1975
- Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)
- Member - National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
- Presenter - Local, National, and International (Japan, New Zealand, United Kingdom, Canada)
- Awards - Recipient of numerous awards

### Employment:

Direct professional psychiatric social work practice – Thirty-Eight years (38)

- 1967 – 1971: Psychiatric social worker providing direct services - Mendota Mental Health Institute
- 1971 – 1978: Director of inpatient/outpatient psychiatric programs - Mendota Mental Health Institute and Children's Treatment Center
- 1978 – 2005: Mental Health Coordinator - Dane County
  - Chief architect of the Madison Model overseeing and developing a well-coordinated and comprehensive community based system of care for adults with serious and persistent mental illness
- 2005 – Present: Field Faculty Associate - Graduate School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin-Madison
  - Position: .4 FTE, teaching a generalist field seminar class for first years MSW and BSW students, with emphasis on serious and persistent mental illness and community based treatment

### Volunteer Work:

Madison-Obihiro (Japan) Sister Cities, Inc., Since 2005

- Founding Board Member
- Original Chair of the Mental Health Subcommittee
- Organizer - Initial mental health study site visits from Japan
- Presenter - Continuing visitation presenter in Madison and Japan

Board Member for Mental Health Non-Profit Organizations:

- Yahara House Friends Board Member, a Journey Mental Health Center program
- SOAR Case Management Services
- Chrysalis

Workgroup Member:

- American with Disabilities Act (ADA) – (2014 – 2017): Wisconsin Workgroup member developing Wisconsin *History of Advocacy and Mental Health Services for People with Mental Illness* book, in commemoration of the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the passage of ADA.