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Professional Experience:

Adjunct Field Lecturer / Field Faculty Associate
Madison, WI ♦ September 2015 – present

Sandra Rosenbaum School of Social Work – UW Madison

- Co-teach a weekly seminar entitled Intellectual and Other Disabilities
- Seminars provide an array of different topics related to the social work core competencies as it relates to disabilities
- Work with community agencies to provide internship opportunities focusing on disability issues for undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in the Sandra Rosenbaum School of Social Work
- Collaborate with other social work faculty on the Health, Aging, and Disability committee focusing on disability content for various social work courses

Director Community TIES Program
Madison, WI ♦ January 2016 – Present

UW-Madison/Waisman Center – Community TIES Program

- Provide supervision for 8 staff including five behavioral consultants, a clinical nurse, and two psychiatrists.
- Assist in coordinating our psychiatry clinic which provides psychiatric care and consultation to individuals with developmental disabilities or traumatic brain injury who are unable to obtain psychiatric care from other providers due to financial situation, behavioral issues, or medical complexity
- Participate in various committees dedicated to disability and trainings around disability
- Primary trainer for a seminar entitled Managing Threatening Confrontations

Senior Clinical Social Worker
Madison, WI ♦ March 1994 - Present

UW-Madison/Waisman Center – Community TIES Program

- Provide support and counseling through direct intervention with children, adolescents, and adults with developmental disabilities who present challenging behaviors.
- Teaming with clients, parents/guardians, support brokers, residential, and vocational providers, educators and other stakeholders to provide supports that assist clients to remain active participants in their community.
- Develop and write support plans by consulting with family members/guardians & support staff that look at both proactive and reactive strategies.
- Responsible for the supervision of the Community TIES behavioral consultants.
- Supervise graduate and undergraduate student trainees in the School of Social Work.
- Present a variety of local and statewide trainings on the topic of challenging behaviors.
- Facilitate S.T.A.R.S classes. S.T.A.R.S is an acronym - Social Skills Training, Assertiveness, Relationships and Sexuality Awareness. These are enjoyable classes comprised of individuals with developmental disabilities to help address and validate a variety of relationship themed issues.
- Assist teams in modifying environments to better support individuals with challenging behaviors in the community.

Case Manager*Avenues to Community**Madison, WI ♦ May 1993 – February 1994*

- Provided service coordination to adults with developmental disabilities living in the community.
- Worked with consumers, their families/guardians, and other agencies to ensure full community membership and a high quality of life

Certification:

Certified as a Social Worker in the State of Wisconsin by the Department of Regulation and Licensing - 1995

Committees / Appointments:

Preceptor – School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin – 2004

Senior Preceptor – School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin – 2011

Autism Capacity Building Committee – Waisman Center – 2020

Sandra Rosenbaum School of Social Work Admission Committee – 2018- present

PRECEPT Committee - Guide the “pre-service and continuing education” core function area of the Waisman Center - Universities Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (UCEDD) – 2020

Volunteer Experience:

2016 – 2019 – Verona Little League – Board of Directors

2012 - Preschool of the Arts - Board of Directors

1995 – 1999 ARC – Dane County - Board of Directors

1990 – 1995 – Central Wisconsin Center - Coordinator of student volunteer services.

Education:**University of Wisconsin – Madison**

Madison, WI ♦ 1998

Masters of Science in Social Work – MSSW

University of Wisconsin – Madison

Madison, WI ♦ 1993

Bachelor of Arts in Social Work

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

References:

Available upon request

Presentations and speaking engagements

Gathering of Youth Conference - Madison, WI. / Stevens Point WI.

Safe Supports to Students in Emotional and Physical Distress, Dane County, WI.

Social Skills Training, Assertiveness, Relationships, and Sexuality (STARS) Program, Madison, WI.

Overview of Prader-Willi Syndrome – Developmental Disabilities Network, Madison, WI.

Circles Stop Abuse Program, Waunakee, WI.

Proactive Strategies in Working with Individuals with Developmental Disabilities – Appleton, WI.

Co-Presenter - Sleep Disorders and Prader-Willi Syndrome – UW Hospital & Clinics Madison, WI.

Co-Presenter – Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities – Eau Claire, WI.

Addressing Conflict and Building Consensus - Madison, WI.

Supporting Youth in Transition – Wisconsin Dells, WI.

Everyone is a sexual Being – Madison, WI.

Co-Presenter – Restrictive Measures & Safe Supports to Individuals with Developmental Disabilities, Milwaukee, WI.

Crisis Management and Intervention (CMI) – Helped to create the curriculum previously used by the Madison Metropolitan School District (MMSD) to address behavioral concerns in educational settings.

Co-Presenter - Crisis Management and Intervention - Madison, WI

Co-Presenter – “Finding Common Ground Efforts to Promote Training and Advance Justice Between Law Enforcement and the Disability Community” – Association of University Centers on Disabilities – Washington D.C.

Managing Threatening Confrontations – Madison WI. / Wisconsin Dells WI. / Green Bay, WI. / Neenah WI. /Wauwatosa, WI.