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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Religious Education, 1999, Aeon Bible College, Indianapolis, IN
Master of Theological Studies, 2003, Christian Theological Seminary, Indianapolis, IN
Doctoral of Ministry in Pastoral Care & Counseling, 2009, Christian Theological Seminary, Indianapolis, IN

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

September 2015 – Present Seeds of Life, LLC, 2345 S. Lynhurst Dr., Suite 205,
Indianapolis, IN 46241

Homebased Therapist - Contractual Rae Wilson, Chief of Staff 317-677-5177

- Provide home-based services that are family centered and child focused for families in the Marion County and surrounding areas referred by Marion County Department of Child Services.
 - Provide 24-hour crisis intake, intervention, and consultation seven days a week and must be provided primarily in the family's home.
 - Receive referrals via email with a caseload of no more than 12 cases.
 - Make contacts to the referred clients and the referring agency worker within forty-eight (48) hours.
 - Complete intake assessments within thirty (30), no more than forty-five (45).
 - Develop treatment plans with the client/family per the agency & DCS' standards that address issues of child safety and the family's protective factors.
 - Complete case progress notes and Monthly Progress Report for services provided to each client.
 - Attend Child & Family Team Meetings, Provider Meetings and/or Court Hearings per request.

September 2016 – February 2018 Seeds of Life, LLC, 2345 S. Lynhurst Dr., Suite 205,
Indianapolis, IN 46241

Clinical Supervisor - Contractual Rae Wilson, Chief of Staff 317-677-5177

- Provide supervision for home-based therapists during the evening
 - Facilitated 1-2 hours of staffing/supervision on a biweekly basis.
 - Provided face to face consultation with therapists regarding cases assigned.
 - Reviewed progress notes.
 - Reviewed and approve monthly therapy and supervision reports.
 - Provided ongoing educational resources and policy updates.
 - Conducted orientation/training for new therapists.
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April 2014 – September 2015 Midwest Psychological Center, 525 E. 38th St., Indianapolis, IN 46205
Home-based Therapist Adrienne Brown, Program Coordinator 317-921-3936

- Provided home-based family and/or individual therapeutic services for families in the Marion County and surrounding areas referred by Juvenile authorities & Marion County Department of Child Services. Services included:042014
 - Provided primary treatment responsibilities for an average of 15-18 families in services.
 - Provided weekly (or as needed) face to face therapy services to clients.
 - Planned and conducted family assessments.
 - Planned and conducted treatment goals.
 - Participated in case conferences.
 - Provided family counseling.
 - Coordinated treatment with other community agencies and assisted clients in accessing resources.
 - Consulted with other program staff as appropriate.
 - Provided professional representation at designated court proceedings for assigned clients
- Provided Residential Therapeutic Services for male residents, ages 8 - 21 at Washington Place Group Home.
 - Provided weekly (or as needed) face to face therapy services to clients.
 - Planned and conducted treatment goals.
 - Participated in case conferences.
 - Coordinated treatment with other community agencies and assisted clients in accessing resources.
 - Consulted with other program staff as appropriate.
- Provided Group Therapeutic Services for ex-offenders and parole violators at Liberty Hall. Services are provided with the goal of successful reintegration of inmates into the community.
- Provided Therapeutic Services for private clients and clients on parole with the US Dept. of Probation.

June 2009 – December 2011 Youth Opportunity Center - 3700 W. Kilgore Ave - Muncie, IN, 47304
Counselor Nikki Eubank, Director

- Provided individual and family counseling on a weekly basis for approximately 12 severely emotionally disturbed female residents ranging from 12 to 18 years old. Individualized treatment plans were designed, integrating information from the Cottage Manager, direct care staff, diagnostic testing, the treatment team, placing agent and family. Facilitated group therapy on a weekly basis for males and females. Group topics included: grief and loss, self-esteem and social skills.

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION

- Licensed Mental Health Counselor, (LMHC) No. 39002719A, Professional Licensing Agency
- Certified Compassion Fatigue Professional, (CCTP) International Association of Trauma Professionals
- Certified Child and Adolescent Trauma Professional, (CATP) International Association of Trauma Professionals

PRESENTATIONS/PUBLICATIONS

- Golden Nuggets, Theme: Places, Vol. 1, by Dr. Elect Star, 2016
- Just Women Embracing Life, Issue 3, Volume 4, Summer 2012, Ask the Counselor: *Cyberbullying and texting*.
- Clinical Pastoral Education Dept., *Understanding Transference, Counter-transference and Projection*, Howard Regional Hospital, Kokomo, IN, 2008
- Case Management Society of America, *Self-care*, St. Luke United Methodist Church, Indianapolis, IN, 2006
- The Christian Outlook, News and Views from a Biblical Perspective, Volume 77, September 2001, *Wellness: There Is a Balm in Gilead!*
- Chaplaincy Today, Volume 19, Number 1, Spring/Summer 2003, Book Review: *What Dying People Want: Practical Wisdom for the End of Life* by Dr. David Kuhl

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Central Indiana Association of Black Social Workers (ABSW)
- American Mental Health Counselors Association (AMHCA)
- International Association of Trauma Professionals (IATP)
- National Christian Counselors Association (NCCA)
- National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI Indiana)
- Psychology Today