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CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST | NEUROPSYCHOLOGIST

Adult & Child Assessment | Cognitive Rehabilitation | Crisis Intervention | In-Home Therapy | Group Counseling | Education & Training | Court Testimony | Traumatic Brain Injury | Hospital Consultations and Testing | Neuropsychological Testing | Brain Tumors | Stroke | Meningitis | Encephalitis | Chemotherapy Patients | Tourette's Syndrome | Medical Incarceration Consulting | Competency Evaluation | Elder Assessment & Intervention

ADULT & CHILD NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING:

- Academic Achievement
- Adaptive Functioning
- ADHD
- Autism
- Attention/Concentration
- Auditory Processing
- Cognitive Assessment
- Dementia
- Executive Functions
- Infant Development
- Intelligence
- Language & Verbal
- Malingering
- Memory
- Mental Status
- Motor Abilities
- Neuropsychological Screening
- Processing Speed
- Psychological Functioning
- Reading
- Visuospatial Skills/Perception

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

POST DOCTORATE NEUROPSYCHOLOGY CERTIFICATION PROGRAM, FIELDING INSTITUTE, SANTA BARBARA, CA (2004)

PH.D. IN EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES, CA (1995)

M.A. COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY, PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES, CA (1989)

B.A. EUROPEAN HISTORY, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES, LOS ANGELES, CA (1987)

Licensed Clinical Psychologist, PSY#17149

Qualified Medical Evaluator, State of California (2004)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PRIVATE PRACTICE, NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA

2001-PRESENT

NEUROPSYCHOLOGIST

- Provide consultation & liaison services, educational/teaching assessment, evaluations, psychotherapy, psycho-educational, psycho-diagnostic, and neuropsychological evaluations to adult and child brain injury patients
- Provide case supervision and management over trainees/and intern psychologist
- Assess NFL Players for brain injuries, Kaiser Permanente outpatient referrals, forensic patients, and students
- Cases include: 50% brain injuries, 20% learning disabilities, 20% elder assessments, 10% board & care/assisted living
- Provide assessment services and therapy group management of 40+ inmates at the California State Prison Lancaster
- Perform forensic evaluations for physically injured individuals for applicant and defense cases as a Qualified Medical Evaluator for the State of California and testify in court when necessary
- Facilitate outpatient psychotherapy services to families/adults, assess patient needs/level of functioning, establish psychosocial/needs assessment, diagnose/create treatment plans and consult with outside psychotherapists/physicians
- Maintain clinical records, health treatment, psychiatric notes/evaluations, contact sheets, and discharge planning

WHITE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, LOS ANGELES, CA

03/2015-PRESENT

STAFF NEUROPSYCHOLOGIST, INPATIENT & OUTPATIENT (2007-PRESENT)

- Performed comprehensive neuropsychology exams for sustained brain injury/neurological impairment patients
- Provided consultations to teachers, psychologists, medical staff, and family members in the remediation of neurocognitive/neurobehavioral deficits
- Facilitated intervention services and therapeutic activities to improve patients daily living skills and ability to function
- Trained and evaluated medical residents on behavioral medicine
- Responsible for neuropsychological/clinical psychology education of medical residents, and nurses
- Completed written reports to be sent to patients, parents, schools, and other agencies including and interpretation off the results of the assessment

LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILY SERVICES, LOS ANGELES, CA 1989-2002

CHILDREN'S SOCIAL WORKER

- Assessed risk factors of child abuse/neglect, taught in-home parent training, and manage crisis intervention
- Investigated child abuse and neglect cases, testified in criminal/juvenile court, and wrote court reports
- Oversaw in-home therapy with families identified as "at risk" for abuse, neglect, due to various problems/stressors
- Responsible for case management duties and monthly case conferences with a multidisciplinary team

FOOTHILL HEALTH & REHABILITATION CENTER, LOS ANGELES, CA 1997-1999

POST DOCTORAL INTERNSHIP, TESTING ASSESSMENT & PSYCHOTHERAPY

- Provided comprehensive clinical case management and appropriate therapies for assigned caseload including: evaluations, progress reports, and court reports
- Assessed patient's needs, strengths, and level of functioning while establishing current psychosocial needs assessment, diagnosis, and treatment plan in collaboration with multidisciplinary teams
- Liaison between parents and public guardians while managing therapy, crisis intervention, and psycho-education on issues such as medication compliance and relapse prevention
- Maintained daily observation of patient's activities/interactions and led individual/group psychotherapy

CALABASAS ACADEMY GROUP HOME, CALABASAS, CA 1987-1989

CLINICAL TRAINEESHIP

- Managed individual and group counseling with psychiatrically and behaviorally disturbed adolescents: Intakes, progress reports, needs assessments, integrative psychological report writing
- Responsible for clinical administration, scoring, and interpreting of intelligence, personality, and projective testing
- Assist medical staff in therapeutic activity planning and assist with crisis assessment and behavioral interventions to support milieu and therapeutic programs

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS & ADDITIONAL RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

PSYCHIATRIC AIDE, **VAN NUYS PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL, VAN NUYS, CA (1987-1989)**

Attending Physician, On Staff, **WHITE MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER, LOS ANGELES, CA (Present)**

GUEST LECTURE UNIVERSITY TOPICS

Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder	Elder neuropsychological assessment
Adolescent consent/confidentiality	Epilepsy
Asthma Management	Heart disease/depression
Board Prep	Mental status exam/neuropsychological assessment
Child abuse/neglect reporting/management	Neuropsychological assessment
Cystic fibrosis	Obesity
Depression & heart disease	Stress management
Child developmental theories	Suicide
Diabetes	Theories of patient treatment adherence
Domestic violence reporting/management	Working with difficult people (patients, co-workers, etc.)
Elder abuse reporting/management	