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**MENTAL HEALTH
CURRICULUM VITAE
of
LISA TAYLOR-AUSTIN**

EDUCATION

SUNY Brockport - Brockport, New York Brockport, New York

Master of Science in Education-1988
Major: Counseling

Bachelor of Science-1985
Major: Developmental & Behavioral
Disabilities/Health
Minor: African-American Studies

Post Graduate Work: SUNY Brockport, California State University at Los Angeles, Indiana Wesleyan University, Loyola Marymount University, University of New England.

LICENSURE

Licensed Professional Counselor, Issued by State of Connecticut, Department of Public Health, #001282 (Issued 2001)

Licensed Mental Health Counselor, Issued by the State of New York, Office of the Professions, #01661 (Issued 2006)

BOARD CERTIFICATION

Certified Forensic Behavioral Analyst, #005 (Issued 2016)
National Board of Forensic Evaluators

Certified Forensic Mental Health Evaluator, Diplomate, #0023 (Issued 2007)
National Board of Forensic Evaluators

National Certified Counselor, # 23147 (Issued 2001)
National Board of Certified Counselors

CERTIFICATIONS

School Counselor K-12, Professional: Issued by State of Connecticut. (Issued 1999)
School Counselor K-12, Permanent: Issued by the State of New York (Issued 2014)
Community College Counselor, Status: Life. Issued by State of California. (Issued 1990)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Board of Directors, Forensic Social Services Association, 2014-Present
American Counseling Association, Professional Member, 2002 - Present
Florida Gang Investigators Association, Associate Member, 2016-Present

CASE HISTORY

Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, South Carolina

Licensed Professional Counselor Expert: medical malpractice case

Name withheld v. Name Withheld

Civil Court: Charleston, South Carolina

Hired by: Ben Traywick Law

February 2019-Present

Licensed Mental Health Counselor Expert: medical malpractice case

Name withheld v. Name Withheld

Civil Court: Norfolk Superior Court, Dedham, Massachusetts

Hired by: Fogelman & Fogelman, LLC

February 2019 - Present

Licensed Professional Counselor Expert: medical malpractice case

Name withheld v. Name Withheld

Civil Court: New London, CT

Hired by: Conway, Londregan, Sheehan & Monaco, PC

January 2019 - Present

Mental Health Expert: medical malpractice case

Name Withheld v. Agency

Superior Court New Jersey

January 2018

Hired by: Sachetta & Baldino Law Office

Mental Health Expert: attempted suicide case

Name undisclosed

New Jersey

2013

Hired by: Medical Review Associates

Mental Health Expert: medical malpractice case

Keogh, Estate of Sottosanti v. State of Connecticut - FBT-CV11-6018468-S

Civil Court: Bridgeport, CT

March 2011- March 2012

Hired by Connecticut Attorney General's Office

(for criminal cases testified in, please refer to Gang CV on Gang Expert page of website)

CERTIFICATES

LGBTQ Counseling Competencies: College and Career Readiness
American Counseling Association
January 29, 2018
Signed By: Richard Yep, Chief Executive Officer

Certificate of Appreciation
American Counseling Association
Virginia Tech Pro-Bono Counseling Initiative
September 12, 2007
Signed by Brian Canfield, Ed. D., LPC

Certificate of Appreciation
New York State Office of Family Children and Families
November 15, 2005
Commitment and dedication to eliminate youth gangs and violence in NYS Signed by John Johnson, Commissioner

PUBLIC SERVICE

ACA Virginia Tech Pro-Bono Counseling Initiative
Served as pro-bono therapist for students involved in the Virginia Tech shooting
Milford, CT - May-September 2007

New Haven County, Connecticut
Served as Pro-Bono therapist for individuals displaced due to Hurricane Katrina
Milford, CT - 2006

New York State Gang Summit
New York State Office of Children and Family Services
Received recognition for professional commitment and dedication to the work necessary to reduce the need for youth gangs and violence in New York State
Albany, NY – November 2005

New Haven, Connecticut
Served as therapist for emergency responders in New York City affected after 9/11
Milford, CT – 2002-2003

CLINICAL EXPERTISE

Psychological Testing and Evaluation – I am trained and qualified to administer, score, and interpret both objective and projective testing instruments, including, but not limited to the Personality Assessment Inventory, Minnesota Multiphase Personality Inventory (MMPI), Thematic Apperception Test, and a host of other testing Instruments.

Clinical skills include brief and long-term psychotherapy (individual and family) for adults, adolescents, and children involving depression, relationship issues, criminal street gang involvement, anxiety, bipolar disorder, and other diagnoses. Evaluations, assessments and diagnosis performed. Highest professional level of “3” received from Pearson Assessments.

EAP experience with employees of all levels. Effective interface and liaison between employees and outpatient services, families, insurers, and the employer.

Expert witness consultation and testimony – Counseling: standard of care. Criminal street gangs: psychological issues, organizational structure, culture & co morbidity with mental health issues.

Forensic evaluations in criminal justice housing issues – adult & juvenile, gang membership, employment matters.

Communicated and worked successfully with attorneys in death penalty, RICO, state and federal cases and psychological evaluations. Worked collaboratively with the Jerome Frank Legal Services - School of Law, Yale University. Selected as Gang Expert Panel Member, Harvard University School of Public Health, Education Development Center, Charles Shannon Community Safety Initiative.

Clinical and court experience with people of various ethnic backgrounds (African-American, Latino/a, Native American), varied socio economic levels (urban, suburban and rural), clients and patients incarcerated (adult and juvenile), clients and patients on parole and inmates serving life without parole and living on death row.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
Health Department – Adjunct Faculty

Taught courses in Alcohol Use and Abuse, HIV Issues, HIV Testing, Illegal Drugs.
Instructed drug and alcohol course for students disciplined for using illegal substances on campus.

Yale University, New Haven, CT

Department of Psychiatry -Instructor (Pier Diem)

Taught Maximizing Academic Adolescent Excellence (MAAX) to first generation middle school students in an urban setting with the goal of encouraging college pursuit.

Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, CA

Department of Professional Studies – Adjunct Faculty

Taught courses in Gang Recognition and Behavior, Recognizing Cults and Gangs, Understanding Gang Graffiti (course written/not instructed).

PRESENTATIONS/WORKSHOPS/COURSES TAUGHT

“Therapeutic Interventions with Gang Members,” Sponsored by McIntosh Trail, Butts County Sheriff Department, iClub, Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities (Atlanta, GA), Jackson, Georgia. October 27, 2016.

“Counseling Gang Members,” Florida Gang Investigator’s Association (FGIA) Prevention and Intervention Summit, Daytona Beach, Florida, June 2016.

Presenter, “Gangs 101,” New York State Office of Mental Health, Nursing Annual Conference, Callicoon, New York, October 2012.

Keynote Speaker, “2000 Gang Members and Counting,” Canada's first Gang Summit, St. Lawrence Theatre, Toronto, Canada, March 2010.

Keynote Speaker, “Counseling Gang Members,” Demystifying Gangs Conference, Asheville, North Carolina, 2009.

Presenter, "Gangs 101" and "Counseling Gang Members," for professionals in corrections, education and social services. Milford, CT, July 2008.

Keynote Speaker, "Counseling Gang Members/New Jersey Laws," Coastal Learning Center, PNC Bank Arts Center, Holmdel, NJ, October 2007.

Presenter, "Bridgeport Gangs/Gang Laws," Casey Family Services, Bridgeport, CT August 2007.

Keynote Speaker, "Counseling Gang Members: Therapeutic Approaches," Coastal Learning Center, Tuckerton, NJ, March 2007.

Presenter, "Counseling Gang Members," Monroe County Probation Officer's Association Annual Training, Rochester, New York, May 2006.

Presenter, "Counseling Gang Members: Therapeutic Approaches," Gangs 103, South Hampton Youth Bureau Gang Seminar, Wading River, NY, April 6, 2006.

Presenter, "Counseling Gang Members," Bridgeport Board of Education Guidance Staff, Bridgeport, CT, March 15, 2006.

Presenter, "Gangs 101", Bridgeport Board of Education Guidance Staff, Bridgeport, CT, February 15, 2005.

Presenter and Panelist, "Counseling Gang Members," New York State Gang Summit, Albany, NY, November 15, 2005.

Presenter, Legal Case Presentation on Gang Issues. Jerome N. Frank Legal Services Organization, Yale University Law School, March 1, 2004.

Trainer, "Gang Liaison Training," Bridgeport Board of Education, Bridgeport, CT, February – March 2004.

Presenter, "Managing Difficult Students," Yale University, Department of Psychiatry, February 2002.

Co Instructor, "Gang Recognition and Behavior," Loyola Marymount University, 2001-2002.

Co Instructor, "Gangs, Cults, and Mediation," Loyola Marymount University, Fall 2002.

Instructor, "Maximizing Adolescent Academic Excellence", Yale University Department of Psychiatry, School of Medicine. New Haven, CT, October 2000-April 2002.

Keynote Speaker • Teleconference Speaker • Presenter, National Teleconference.

- "Gangs: Intervention and Rehabilitation"

- "Today's Youth: Part of the Solution Not Part of the Problem"

Staying Safe and Smart. Greenville County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Greenville, South Carolina, October 1999.

Presenter, Understanding Street Gangs, GV BOCES, Batavia, New York, January 1999.

Presenter, Understanding Urban Street Gangs. Rochester Info. Courses, November 1998.

Presenter, Gangs: Crips and Bloods: SUNY Brockport, Spring 1996.

Faculty, CEL100: Community Service/Monroe Community College

Faculty, SPT 101: Public Speaking/Monroe Community College

Faculty, PUAD 463: Principles of Health Education/University of Southern California

Faculty, PUAD 464: Issues in Health Education/University of Southern California

Presenter, Health Issues: drug and alcohol use, HIV transmission/prevention, mental health, etc., University of Southern California

PUBLICATIONS

Author – “The Role of a Gang Expert in Court,” Chapter 8, Textbook of Forensic Psychology & Sociology, Springer Publishing, 2013.

Author – “A Counselor Talks About her Work with Gang Members,” Social Issues Firsthand: Gangs. Published by Gale Cengage Learning, October 2008, pages 88-91.

Acknowledged – Tag 18.3 Graffiti and Its Vandalism Characteristics. By Ken Davis, 2006.

Book Jacket Review – Invited. Left for Dead: Faith, Family and the Mob. by R.K. Jensen, Aaron Communications, 2005.

Referenced – Family Abuse, Causes, Consequences and Responses, by Sylvia Mignon, Carl Larson and William Holmes. Allyn & Bacon, 2001.

Contributor, “Important Information About Street Gangs,” for NY State Senator John Sampson, 1999.

Book Reviewer, Homegirls, Enslow Publishing, July 1999.

Author, Understanding Gang Graffiti, graduate course written for the University of the Pacific, 1998.

Author, Multicultural Issues, graduate course written for the University of the Pacific, 1997.

PROFESSIONAL FORENSIC/MENTAL HEALTH EXPERIENCE

Psychotherapist/Expert Witness/Certified Forensic Mental Health Evaluator
Clinical-Legal Private Practice, Milford, CT; 2/02 – Present

Psychiatric Clinician – Education Connection: special education school serving emotionally disturbed children. Danbury, CT, 8/13 – 6/14

School Counselor/Social Worker – New Haven Board of Education, Dixwell-New Light Alternative School & High School Summer School, New Haven, CT; 4/12 - 8/13

School Counselor – Wintergreen Interdistrict Magnet School, Hamden, CT; 3/07- 4/12
Adjunct Faculty – Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, CA
9/01 – 12/01

Instructor (Per Diem) – Yale University, Department of Psychiatry

New Haven, CT; 7/01 - 4/03.

School Counselor – Bridgeport Board of Education, City of Bridgeport.
Bridgeport, CT; 10/99- 3/07

School Counselor (Therapeutic) – Genesee Valley Board of Cooperative Educational
Services (BOCES), Batavia, NY; 2/98 -7/99

Director of College Placement and Guidance, The Aquinas Institute,
Rochester, NY; 8/96-1/98

Assistant to the Director/Project Director/Adjunct Faculty, Monroe Community College,
Rochester, NY; 10/94-8/96 (Grant Funded Project)

Health Educator/Adjunct Faculty, University of Southern California,
Los Angeles, CA; 7/92-7/93 (Grant Funded Project)

Counselor, Rolling Hills High School, Palos Verdes Estates, CA
Culver City High School, Culver City, CA
Santa Monica High School, Santa Monica, CA
Our Lady of Mercy High School, Rochester, NY
7/87-7/91

Social Worker, Hillside Children’s Center, Rochester, NY; 3/86-7/87

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Mentor, The Bridgeport Mentoring Program - “CATCH”. Bridgeport, CT. 1999-2001.
Youth Counselor, Los Angeles, CA and Rochester, NY, 1988-1999.
Event Coordinator, Voice of the Future Inc., (Youth Day), Rochester, NY,
1995-1997.

POST MASTERS TRAINING

Conducting a Comprehensive Mental Status Examination
National Board of Forensic Evaluators
March 2, 2019
Clock Hour: 1.0

Spirit
American Counseling Association
February 7, 2019
Clock Hour: 1.0

How to Use Free Online Assessment Measures for Mental Health Evaluations
NBFE
January 25, 2019
Clock Hours: 1.0

Impact of Deployment & Combat Stress on Families and Children, Part II
Relias
January 13, 2019
Clock Hours: 1.25

TeleMental Health: The New Standard
Zur Institute, Inc.
December 9, 2018
Clock Hours: 12.0

Internet Addiction
American Counseling Association
September 15, 2018
Clock Hour: 1.0

Music and Counseling
American Counseling Association
July 16, 2018
Clock Hour: 1.0

Digital Ethics
TherapyNotes
June 23, 2018
Clock Hour: 1.0

What Mental Health Professionals Needs to Know about Medical Marijuana
National Board of Forensic Evaluators
June 15, 2018
Clock Hours: 2.0

Creative Approaches in Counseling and Psychotherapy, sixth edition
American Counseling Association
June 17, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

Applications of the Adult Attachment Interview
PESI
Presenter: Daniel Siegel, MD
May 6, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.75

Psychosocial Response to Mass Violence
University of Albany
April 27, 2018
Clock Hours: 5.5

Multicultural Career Counseling
American Counseling Association
May 4, 2018
Clock Hour: 1.0

Disarming the Suicidal Mind
Vyne Education
Presenter: Dr Timothy Spruill
April 23, 2018
Clock Hours: 6.0

Psychology of School Shooters
National Board of Forensic Evaluators
April 14, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

Private Practice: Managing Your Business
American Counseling Association
April 14, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

What do we know, or think we know about how counseling works?
American Counseling Association
March 24, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

Using the DSM-5 in Clinical Practice
American Counseling Association
March 22, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

The Mental Health Professional's Role in Evaluating the Need for Emotional Support Animals: A
Clinical-Forensic Perspective
National Board of Forensic Evaluators
March 2, 2018
Clock Hours: 2.0

The Counseling Experiences of Transgender & Gender Nonconforming Clients
American Counseling Association
February 12, 2018
Clock Hour: 1.0

Extending Boundaries
American Counseling Association
February 4, 2018
Clock Hour: 1.0

Transgender & Gender-Expansive Counseling Issues
American Counseling Association
January 29, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

LGBTQ College and Career Readiness Case Studies
American Counseling Association
January 29, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

Preparing for Conversations with LGBTQ Youth
American Counselor Association
January 29, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

Counselor Considerations When working with Older People
American Counseling Association
January 29, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

Performing HIPAA-Compliant Risk Analysis
Person Centered Tech, LLC
January 25, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

LGBTQ Youth & Young Adults in School, College, Careers
American Counseling Association
January 22, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

Introductory Competencies for LGBTQ-Affirming Counseling
American Counseling Association
January 22, 2018
Clock Hours: 1.0

The Impact of Deployment and Combat Stress on Families and Children, Part 1: Families and
Deployment
Relias Learning Center
January 7, 2018
Clock Hours 2.75

Mindfulness, Healing & Transformation
Jon Kabat-Zinn, PhD, PESI
October 22, 2017

Protecting Your Counselor License: Common and Ethical Issues
Lippincott Professional Development
September 20, 2017

Job Analysis Incentive Reading & Post Test
NBCC
August 30, 2017

Shame Shield: The Armor We Use to Protect Ourselves, Brene Brown, PhD
June 23, 2017

Supervision Ethics
American Counseling Association
August 2016

Forensic Behavioral Analysis
Dr Gregory Vecchi
June 16-18, 2016
Hours: 24

Confabulation and Suggestibility: Clinical, Forensic and Judicial Considerations.
Jerrod Brown
August 24, 2016
Clock Hours: 1.5

Mental Health Ethics and the Law
Dr. Michael Flynn
December 20, 2015
Clock Hour: 6.0

Inside the Manipulator's Mind: The Insider's Guide to Ending Emotional Exploitation
Dr. Alan Godwin
December 2, 2015
Clock Hour: 6.0

Assessment/Emerging Measure/Recording-Coding
American Counseling Association
May 13, 2015
Clock Hour: 1.0

Bipolar-Depression
American Counseling Association
May 12, 2015
Clock Hour: 1.0

Schizophrenia Spectrum and Other Psychotic Disorders
American Counseling Association
May 6, 2015
Clock Hour: 1.0

Trauma/OCD/Anxiety
American Counseling Association
April 22, 2015
Clock Hour: 1.0

Substance Abuse/ Disruptive Impulse Control/Conduct Disorder
American Counseling Association
April 15, 2015
Clock Hour: 1.0

Hidden in Plain Sight: Addiction
American Counseling Association
April 13, 2015
Clock Hour: 1.0

Embracing the Ongoing Push for Progress
LGBT Issues
April 11, 2015
American Counseling Association
Clock Hour: 1

Confronting Stumbling Blocks to Counselor Self-Care
April 11, 2015
Clock Hour: 1

Gender Dysphoria
American Counseling Association
April 10, 2015
Clock Hour: 1

A Living Document of Ethical Guidance
American Counseling Association
February 3, 2015
Clock Hour: 1.0

Author: The Role of the Gang Expert in Court
Handbook of Forensic Sociology & Psychology
Springer Publishing
Clock Hours: 20

Look Before You Leap
American Counseling Association
December 14, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

Girl Wars: Using Play Therapy to Address Relational Aggression with Middle School Girls
American Counseling Association
December 20, 2014 Clock
Hour: 1.0

Connecticut Mental Health and the Law
PESI
November 14, 2014
Clock Hours: 6.0

Experience Mindfulness
The Center for Credentialing and Education
November 5, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

Mindfulness and Counselor Self Care
The Center for Credentialing and Education
November 5, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

Building Private Practice: 10%
American Counseling Association
October 22, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

15 Minutes that Could Save Your Private Practice American
Counseling Association
October 15, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

How to Successfully Get and Keep Clients
American Counseling Association
October 8, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

Using a Sales Cycle
American Counseling Association
October 2, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

Introductory Course on the Personality Assessment Inventory (PAI) National
Board of Forensic Evaluators
September 26, 2014 Contact
Hour: 1.0

Understanding Counselor Liability
Wolters Kluwer
September 25, 2014

Implementing Technology to Reduce Costs and Increase Efficiency in Private Practice American
Counseling Association
September 24, 2014 Clock
Hour: 1.0

Securing Government Contracts
American Counseling Association
September 21, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

From Call to Client
American Counseling Association
September 10, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

Understanding & Appreciating the Parenting Coordination Process
National Board of Certified Counselors
September 12, 2014
Clock Hours: 3.0

Managing Clients at Risk for Suicide or Violence: Legal and Ethical Issues National
Board of Certified Counselors
August 7, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

Mindfulness and Counselor Self Care
National Board of Certified Counselors
July 24, 2014
Clock Hour: 1.0

How to Become a Dangerous Expert Witness
National Board of Forensic Evaluators
March 7, 2014

Distance Counseling, HITECH and HIPAA
American Counseling Association
February 26, 2014
Clock Hours: 2.0

The Humanness of Minority Clients
American Counseling Association
February 20, 2014
Clock Hours: 1.0

A Shift in the Conceptual Understanding of Grief
American Counseling Association
February 5, 2014
Clock Hours: 1.0

Ten Creative Counseling techniques for Helping Clients Deal with Anger American Counseling Association
January 24, 2014
Clock Hours: 1.0

A Loss Like No Other
American Counseling Association
May 3, 2012
Clock Hours: 1.0

Promoting Leisure Wellness in Counseling
American Counseling Association
October 25, 2013
Clock Hours: 1.0

Facing a Rise in Personality Disorders
American Counseling Association
October 25 2013
Clock Hours: 1.0

DSM-5 Specifics
American Counseling Association
September 9, 2013
Clock Hours: 2.0

When the Hurt Is Aimed Inward
American Counseling Association
June 4, 2013
Clock Hours: 1.0

Mistaken Identity
American Counseling Association
March 1, 2013
Clock Hours: 1.0

Specializations in the Forensic Mental Health Field
National Board of Forensic Evaluators
March 1, 2013
Clock Hours: 8.0

Evidence-Based Practice with Older Adults
American Counseling Association
February 11, 2013
Clock Hours: 1.0

Bully Pulpit
American Counseling Association
January 22, 2013
Clock Hours: 1.0

The Counselor and the Law
American Counseling Association
June 13, 2012
Clock Hours: 1.0

Fall Counselor Workshop
College Board
Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT
October 16, 2012
Clock Hours: 3.0

A Loss Like No Other
American Counseling Association
June 7, 2012
Clock Hours: 1.0

Prevention Through Risk Identification
CT State Department of Education
August 31, 2010
Clock Hours: 3.0

Safe Schools: Preventing School Violence
Milford, CT – November 2008
Access Continuing Education

United States Air Force Culture Milford, CT – July 2008
MFLC (Military & Life Family Consultant)
Managed Health Network Government Services for US Military

Sharing Gang Intelligence: Bridging the Gap
Milford, CT -June 2008
National Institute of Corrections

Domestic Violence
Cromwell, CT - June 2008
Patrick DeChello, PhD, LISW

Improving School Climate to Support Student Achievement School Shooters and Bullying
Hamden, CT - April 2008 Jo Ann Freiberg, PhD
Vivian Batterson, MA, NCSP

Child Custody Evaluators Certification Training National Board of Forensic Mental
Health Evaluators Daytona Beach, FL – April 2008
Norman Hoffman, PhD, EdD, LMHC, LMFT Valerie Watt, PhD, LCSW

NBFE Credentialing Affiliate Training Workshop National Board of Forensic Mental
Health Evaluators Daytona Beach, FL – April 2008
Norman Hoffman, PhD, EdD, LMHC, LMFT

Psychic Events in the Lives of Clinicians and Clients Trumbull, CT
April 2008
Beth Weschler, LICSW
Validity Indicator Profile (VIP)
Milford, CT – March 2008
Richard Frederick, Ph.D.

Psychiatric Consultation in a School Setting
March 12, 2008
Clock Hours: 6.0

Bipolar Disorder in Childhood and Adolescence
North Haven, CT – March 2008
George Davis Gammon, M.D.

The Power of Allies
CT State Department of Education
November 6, 2007
Clock Hours: 5.0

Building Professional Learning Communities
CT State Department of Education
August 17, 2007
Clock Hours: 1.9

Education and the Law
CT State Department of Education
March 14, 2007
Clock Hours: 6.0

MMPI-2 Forensic Applications Part 1&2, Basic Applications Part 1 Kent State University
Department of Psychology
Atlanta, GA – February 2006
Paul A. Arbisi, Ph.D., ABAP, Yossef Ben-Porath, Ph.D. & John Graham, Ph.D.
Clock Hours: 18.0

Conducting Effective Mental Status & Risk Assessments
Trumbull, CT – February 2006
Karl LaRowe, MA, LCSW
Clock Hours: 6.0

Grief & Trauma After Sudden & Violent Death
CMI Education Institute
Stratford, CT – January 2006
Bette Spear, LMHC, LMFT
Clock Hours: 6.0

Positive Behavioral Intervention and Support
Bridgeport, CT – December 2005
Bridgeport Board of Education Professional Development Center
Clock Hours: 2.0

Identifying and Reporting Child Abuse in New York State
New York State Nurses Association – November 2005
Clock Hours: 3.0

Substance Abuse Prevention
Bridgeport, CT – November 2005
Bridgeport Board of Education Professional Development Center
Clock Hours: 5.0

Instructional program Review
State of Connecticut Department of Education
October 6, 2005
Clock Hours: 2.0

National Board of Forensic Evaluators
NBFE Credentialing Workshop
Ormond, FL – October 2005
Norman Hoffman, Ph.D., Ed.D., LMFT, LMHC
Clock Hours: 15.0

Bipolar Disorders in Children and Adults
Trumbull, CT – August 2005
Thomas E. Will, Psy.D., MPH
Clock Hours: 6.25

Advisory
State of Connecticut Department of Education
August 29, 2005
Clock Hours: 2.0

Counseling Today
Journal Learning
October 15, 2005
Clock Hours: 1.0

Spanish: A Whole Brain Accelerated Learning Approach, Level 1
Institute for the Advancement of Human Behavior
Rhinebeck, NY – July 2005
Judith Serrano, Ph.D.

Borderline Personality Disorder
Rocky Hill, CT – June 2005 & July 2005
Jane Dresser, MN, M.Ed., APRN-BC
June Clock Hours: 6.25
July Clock Hours: 3.0

De-Escalation Strategies, Physical and Psychological Management Techniques,
(PMT),
Bridgeport, CT – March 2005
PMT Associates

Teaching Students to Get Along
University of New England
Biddeford, ME – January 2005
Faculty

Anger Management & the Indigo Child
Middlefield, CT – November 2004
Patrick DeChello, Ph.D.
Clock Hours: 7.5

ADHD, Aspergers, OCD and Tourettes
Hartford, CT – October 2004
Dr. Stevens

Understanding Anxiety
North Haven, CT – October 2004
Mark Schneider, Ph.D.
Clock Hours: 5.75

Managing Students in a Diverse Classroom
University of New England
Biddeford, ME – September 2004
Faculty

ADHD, Aspergergers, OCD and Tourettes
MEDS-PDN
Hartford, CT
Clock Hours: 5.5

How to Get Parents on Your Side
University of New England
Biddeford, ME – June 2004
Faculty

Dealing with Difficult Students
University of New England
Biddeford, ME – June 2004
Faculty

Financial Aid Workshop for Educational Professionals
CT State Department of Education
November 10, 2003
Clock Hours: 4.0

Ethical Issues in Professional Counseling
Milford, CT – September 2003
The Hatherleigh Company, APA approved
Clock Hours: 4.0

Drug & Alcohol Training
Bridgeport, CT – March 2003
Drug Enforcement Association (DEA)

American with Disabilities Act
Bridgeport, CT – February 2003
Melissa Marshall, JD

Juvenile Competence to Stand Trial – Jeanette DuVal, LCSW Mitigating
Circumstances in Capital Cases – Julie Schroeder, Ph.D.
Why Women Kill Their Children – Judy Slosar, LCSW & Mary Crawford, LCSW
Testimony on the Witness Stand – Judge Sol Goddard, JD, MSW, ACSW
Larry Braunstein, JD

Annual Conference of National Organization of Forensic Social Work
St Louis, MO- May 2002
Clock Hours: 14.0

Behavioral Health Services in the Aftermath of Critical Incident Trauma The
Center for Trauma Response Recovery and Preparedness
Yale University & University of Connecticut – January 2002
DMHAS, DCF
Clock Hours: 4.0

Aggression Replacement Training
Bridgeport, CT – January 2002

Raves and Ecstasy
Bridgeport, CT – March 2002
Regional Youth/Adult Substance Abuse Project
Clock Hours: 2.0

Gang Recognition & Behavior
Loyola Marymount University
Los Angeles, CA – August 2001
Faculty

Measuring Equity in School Change
Bridgeport, CT
January 2001
Department of Higher Education
Cock Hours: 1.0

From Gatekeeper to Advocate
CT Department of Higher Education
October 24, 2000

De-Escalation Strategies, Physical and Psychological Management
Techniques, (PMT), Bridgeport, CT - January 2000
Bridgeport Board of Education Professional Development Center

Gang Member Alternatives Training
CTS Associates
New York City, NY – June 1999
Sgt Louis Savelli (NYPD)

School Emergency Response to Violent Events Training
Mt. Morris, NY - October 1998
NYS Police Department

Non-Violent Crisis Intervention, Crisis Prevention Institute
Geneseo, NY - March 1998
Genesee Valley BOCES (Geneseo) Staff

Alcohol Use and Abuse
SUNY Brockport
Brockport, NY – May 1997
Gary Metz, MS Ed., CASAC, NCACII, MAC, CPP

Intensive Street Gang Training: City of Carson, California
Youth Services
South Central Los Angeles, CA & Compton, CA - April 1997
Ernie Paculba & Patrick O'Connor

Strategies for Preventing Conflict and Violence
Indiana Wesleyan University
Marion, Indiana – October 1996
Faculty

Human Sexuality
California State University at Los Angeles
Los Angeles, CA – 1994
Faculty