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EDUCATION

The University of Texas-Pan American: Edinburg, TX 2015
Masters of Science: Rehabilitation Counseling, Licensed Professional Counseling
Research Assistant

The University of Texas Pan American: Edinburg, TX 2011
Bachelors of Science: Rehabilitation Services
Honors: Deans List

Mercedes High School: Mercedes, TX 2006
High School Diploma

EXPERIENCE

BFCS Health and Human Services, McAllen, Texas 2015
Lead Case Manager Intern

- Provided case management services to youth ages 18-21;
- Create and manage client files following guidelines based on Preparation for Adult Living;
- Conduct intake interviews and develop transition plans for future care;
- Familiar with specific guidelines with CPS, DFPS and BCFS in order to ensure youth receive the utmost services needed;
- Weekly follow-up with youth to maintain status;
- Provide skills training in medication management, psychoeducation, financial independence, education, job placement and transitional skills, and independent living.

Marini & Associates, McAllen, Texas 2014 – present
Forensic Rehabilitation Consultant/Associate

- Conduct intake interviews and generate intake reports;
- Review and summarize medical records;
- Contribute to the process of life care planning, assessing personal and work related injuries as well as vocational assessment process in relation to earning loss capacity;
- Conducting labor market analysis and transferable skills analysis;
- Familiarized with specific job duties classified under the Dictionary of Occupational Titles;
- Make specific job recommendations based on transferable skills;
- Experience observing and familiar with the Social Security Administration's adjudication process with Administrative Law Judges and court proceedings;
- Trained in vocational expert testimony, assessing past relevant work according to the DOT, and finding other work in the national economy.

Tropical Texas Behavioral Health Center, Edinburg, Texas 2013
Qualified Mental Health Professional

- Provided mental health and case management services to adolescents between the ages of 8-17;
- Conduct intake interviews to see if clients qualify for services;
- Organize and administer skills training, psychoeducational training, medication management,

- and life skills training to help promote a better quality of life;
- Develop transition plans for future services rendered;
- Create and manage client appointments with facility and outside physicians;
- And provide crisis intervention and suicide prevention to adolescents.

**Jones, Galligan, Key & Lozano, LLP, Weslaco, Texas
Legal Assistant**

2002 - 2013

- Provided secretarial and clerical support to a managing partner and senior paralegal;
- Assist in maintaining attorney's calendar of court settings and filing deadlines;
- Prepare for and attend court proceedings during trial;
- Answer general telephone inquiries and route calls appropriately;
- Maintain attorney's litigation case files, to include indexing of pleadings, discovery and correspondence;
- Type general correspondence, witness logs and document production logs using WordPerfect 4 and Microsoft Word.

**New Beginnings Behavioral Health Center, Edinburg, TX
Intern**

January – May 2011

- Participate in intake process of potential clients;
- Partake in group sessions and one-on-one sessions;
- Participate in activities relating to being drug free;
- Prepare client documentation;
- Answer telephones and input client information.

PUBLICATIONS:

Marini, I., Preston, B., & Antol, D. L., Redux of Employer Validation of Jobs with a Sit/Stand Option. Journal of Forensic Vocational Analysis. In press 2015.

MEMBERSHIPS:

International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals, UNIDAD Coalition, Homelessness Task Force.

NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL INVITED PRESENTATIONS:

Redux of Employer Validation of Jobs with a Sit/Stand Options. International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals – Forensic Section. New Orleans, LA. October 21-24, 2015.

SPECIAL SKILLS:

Proficient in all Microsoft Word programs and Prezi;
 Exceptional listener and communicator who effectively conveys information verbally and in writing;
 Proven relationship-builder with unsurpassed interpersonal skills;
 Excellent in time management with juggling and completing multiple tasks at one time;
 Resourceful team member who excels at building trusting relationships with clients and colleagues;
 And dependable, responsible contributor committed to excellence and success.

CERTIFICATIONS/TRAININGS:

Reporting Suspected Abuse or Neglect of a Child: A Guide for Education Professionals,
 Trauma Informed Care Overview Training, Cultural & Linguistic Competence in a System of Care,
 Motivational Interviewing, Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training, 6th Annual CEU
 Conference Mindscape: Behavioral Health Today.

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Volunteer and Captain for Relay for Life

700+ hours of volunteering for BCFS, New Beginnings Behavioral Health, Church Organizations, Knapp Medical Center, Rio Grande Valley Diabetes Association, Homelessness Task Force Association, UNIDAD Coalition, UTPA PAL Conference, McAllen Marathon and MOVE.