## **LaQuelle Holmes**

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## OBJECTIVE

To obtain the **Family Intervention Counselor Position** that will enhance my knowledge along with utilizing my current skills and abilities working in the human services field with children, families & individuals that have a disability.

## **EDUCATION**

University of the Southwest 2013-2015

Major:

**Mental Health Counseling** 

**Graduate Program Online** 

**Programs** 

Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Chestnut Hill College 2007-2011
Major: Clinical Counseling
Children & Adolescence
Graduate Program
Philadelphia, Pa 19118

Lincoln University 2004
Major: Masters of Education
In Early Childhood Education

Philadelphia, Pa 19104

Bachelor of Science Degree 2001

Temple University School of Public Health Programs

Major: Therapeutic Recreation/Recreational Therapy-Public Health

Philadelphia, Pa 19122

**Community College of** 

Philadelphia

1994-1997

**Major: General Studies** Philadelphia, Pa 19130

## WORK HISTORY

## STS Lead Clinician Supervisor/Group Mobile Therapist, ATA

## 8/14-6/15 Fee for Service

To assist with leading the STS program by providing group and individual therapy as well as implemented comprehensive behavioral health services within the School District of Philadelphia to children from k-8th grade that displayed emotional and behavioral challenges. Contacted and performed outreach to parents. Attended IEP & Case management meetings as well as consulted with teachers the school counselor and the principal. Also, attended Clinical Supervision and provided supervision to BHW staff.

#### In Home Protective Services Social Worker, Juvenile Justice Center

6/11-4/12 To provide Intensive In-home visits and safety plan monitoring for families with safety threats. Provided in home brief counseling and education with children and families. Attended weekly Supervision. Coordinated and monitored mental health and other services, attended court, school meetings in conjunction with working with the Philadelphia Department of Human Services and Youth Community Programs in the City of Philadelphia.

## Behavioral Specialist /Mobile Therapist, PMHC 03/09-10/11

To provide consultation services with the school to address treatment plan goals.

Created and implemented the treatment plan goals and interventions. I also supervised the treatment team and provided psychotherapy to children and families in the community.

## Mobile Therapist, Carson Valley Children's Aid

04/05-2/09

To provide consultation services with the school to address treatment plan goals. Create treatment plan goals and interventions as well as supervise the treatment team. Provide psychotherapy to children and families in the community.

Treatment Foster Care Worker, Delta Community Supports

4/04-3/07

To supervise DHS placements of emotionally & behaviorally challenged children and seek a safe and permanent home environment and provide education to families, individual counseling to children diagnosed with a history of Trauma, PTSD, neglect, sexual abuse, substance abuse, truancy etc. Also, supervise children & teenagers school placements within the Philadelphia & Montgomery County School District by attending C-SAP and team meetings as needed. Design & Implement treatment plans and crisis/de-escalation plans. Supervised and trained new Treatment Caseworker as needed and participated in the process of hiring the Treatment Foster Care Supervisor, crisis support, make referrals to CBH and on-call duties.

## TSS, Children's Crisis Treatment Center

8/01-3/04

To utilize therapeutic activities, positive reinforcement, social skills training and anger management training, to help children diagnosed with Autism, ADHD, Adjustment Disorder build pro-social behavior and self-control.

Also, to educate families about healthy behavioral interventions. Assisted children with these interventions at their homes, community and Philadelphia School District throughout a variety of Schools in the Philadelphia area.

# Recreational Therapist Internship, Senior Care Adult Day Program/ 1/01- 9/01 Long-term Care Nursing Homes

Gained exposure and experience planning and implementing therapeutic activity programs for the Geriatric/Dementia population at an Adult Day Center. Also, supervised activity aides with implementing therapeutic programs.

Supported Living Counselor, Mile Stones Community Health Care 5/97-7/99

Managed a CRR apartment with 15 residents dually diagnosed drug & alcohol and Mental Illness. Also provided individual and group counseling sessions, medication Management, planning of activities for the residents, progress notes, service plans vocational pursuits and incident report writing.

## Residential Advisor, KenCrest Services 1/95-9/00 Plymouth Meeting, PA

Assist dually diagnosed and disabled MH/MR adults with all phases of Daily Living Skills and plan & implement therapeutic activities; including medication management, vocational planning, assist with behavioral plan, daily progress documentation and handling of petty and assistance with being an advocate.

## Modells Sporting Goods 8/93-6/94

101 E. Olney Avenue Philadelphia, Pa. 19120 Sales Associate/Cashier

Customer Service, operated cash register, cleaned Store, handled money.

## Columbia Clinic Rehab, Inc. 7/93-8/93

1428 W. Cecil B. Moore Avenue Philadelphia, Pa 19122

#### Receptionist

Typed 40 WPM, filed, answered phones, operated the xerox machine, billed patients and attorney's.

Mayor's Office Of Community Services 7/92-8/92

101 N. Broad Street

Philadelphia, Pa 19107

## Receptionist

Greeted the public, typed 40wpm, filed, answered phones, operated the xerox machine.

## McDonald's Restaurant 9/91-11/91

Flourtown Shopping Center

890 Bethlehem Pike

Flourtown, Pa 19031

Cashier

Greeted customers, prepared food & beverages, handled money, operated cash register, cleaned store.

## R.E.A.D.S.

500 N. 6th Street Philadelphia, Pa 19123

## Job Training Program

Reading, math skills, learned how to store and transfer information into different types of computers, learned how to write resumes and go on interviews and learned how to write checks.

## **VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

Magee Rehabilitation Wheel Chair Basketball Event (Beast to the East Tournament)

Temple University Hospital (Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation) Therapeutic

Recreation department

ELTA- Enhancing Lives Through Action

Chosen300 Homeless Ministry

7/91- 6/92 HOSA (Health Occupation Student Of America

PACE (Professional Acknowledgement of Continuing

Education) American Society of Medical Technology at Hahnemann University

American Red Cross Donor Center

7/90-8/90 Simons Recreational Day Camp Youth Volunteer)

#### COMPUTER SKILLS

Microsoft word, Microsoft Excel, Access, PowerPoint, Note pad, Microsoft works Typing Speed 55wpm

## CERTIFICATION & TRAINING

Pennsylvania Child Welfare Resource Center 110 Module 1: Introduction to Pennsylvania's Child Welfare System and 110 Module 4: In Home Safety Assessment and Management Teaching Practicum Hours-Temple

University

CTRS Eligible-Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist

State Behavior Modification Online Training with the Bureau of Autism Services Instructional Strategies & Best Practices (IS) 108, Autism- Specific Training (AU) 108, Assessments Coursework or Trainings (AS) 206, Assessments Coursework or Trainings (AS) 208, BAS-Approved BSL Virtual Trainings

CBH Core Trainings at Kaleidoscope Family Solutions, Inc-Fire Safety, Disaster Planning, Universal Precautions, Suicide Precautions, Crisis Intervention and De-escalation, Confidentiality & HIPPA and Cultural Awareness

## Counseling Practicum

## HONORS & AWARDS

Completion of PHIL-A-JOB Program 1992

KAPPA DELTA PI International Honor Society in Education

Certificate of Appreciation Family Services Merit Award February 13, 2006 Delta Community Supports, Inc.

Lincoln University of Pennsylvania "Sesquicentennial Dear" In Recognition of Academic Achievement in the Master of Education Program April 24, 2004

## REFERENCE

Available Upon Request