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EDUCATION

Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

May 2010

MA, Community Counseling, Specialization in Marriage & Family Counseling
CACREP-accredited program
Graduated Magna Cum Laude

Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

December 2003

2010

BS, Interdisciplinary Studies (Education), Minor in Special Education

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Anxiety and depression in adolescents and adults, trauma and PTSD and effects on the body, marriage counseling and effects of infidelity on the relationship, grief and loss, life transitional issues, college students and their first year experience, and growth mindset.

LICENSURE/CERTIFICATIONS

LPC-S, Licensed Professional Counselor-Supervisor (Texas) Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors	2016-Present
LPC, Licensed Professional Counselor (Texas) Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors, #66848	2012-Present
NCC, National Certified Counselor National Board for Certified Counselors, #268947	2010-Present
CCTP, Certified Clinical Trauma Professional International Association of Trauma Professionals	2016-Present
CGRS, Certified Grief Recovery Specialist The Grief Recovery Institute	2016-Present
CCFP, Certified Compassion Fatigue Professional International Association of Trauma Professionals	2017-Present

HONORS AND AWARDS

Magna Cum Laude
Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

Chi Sigma Iota, Beta Kappa Tau Chapter

Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

Workshop Coordinator

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Professor, Learning Framework: First Year Experience

Fall 2014-2017

Lone Star College-North Harris, Victory & Greenspoint Centers,

Houston, TX

A first year experience course for undergraduate freshmen students allowing them to prepare and explore the college experience. Planned and delivered lectures, administered and graded assignments, maintained grade and attendance records, and engaged students in projects and group work.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Owner, founder, Licensed Professional Counselor-Supervisor of Private Practice

2013-Present

Embrace Your Life

The Woodlands, TX

Develop business plan and marketing strategies for practice. Counsel adolescents, adults, couples, groups and families in a private practice setting. Specialize in treating anxiety, depression, grief, trauma, and relationship issues. Generate treatment plans and progress notes for clients and input into Therapy Appointment database. Treat clients with an eclectic counseling approach including the evidence-based Cognitive Behavior Therapy. Implement The Grief Recovery Method via individual sessions and group sessions to educate about grief and loss and to work through them.

PRN Therapist

2013-2014

Kingwood Pines Hospital

Kingwood, TX

Counseled a variety of children, adolescent, and adult clients who had schizophrenia, depression, anxiety, Bipolar Disorder and substance abuse. Worked in an individual, group and family setting in an inpatient and outpatient psychiatric program. Case managed client case-loads of 20 according to unit assignment and provided discharge planning. Conducted appropriate court paperwork to file on involuntary patients within the inpatient setting.

Mental Health Counselor

2012-2013

Lonestar Behavioral Health

Tomball, TX

Counseled adult clients who had schizophrenia, Bipolar Disorder, depression, anxiety, and substance abuse. Worked in an individual and group setting in a partial hospital and out-patient program. Generated treatment plans and progress notes and attended weekly staff meetings.

Counselor/Case Manager

2011-2012

Montgomery County Women's Center

The Woodlands, TX

Counseled victims of sexual assault and family violence individually and in groups. Engaged clients in safety planning and prevention of further violence in home environment. Conducted workshops and life-skill classes on safety planning, career exploration, financial planning, domestic violence, and sexual abuse education to clients.

2008-2010

Provided on-going crisis intervention and case management to a case-load of 30 clients. Participated in on-call rotation to supervise 20 staff members. Trained staff members to work with victims of sexual assault and family violence.

Sexual Assault Specialist

2010-2011

Counseled victims of sexual assault and family violence individually and in groups. Provided on-going crisis intervention and case management to victims. Advocated for victims within the criminal justice system and provided accompaniment to law enforcement and court proceedings. Accompanied victims of sexual assault at the hospital and children's advocacy center during examinations and questioning. Trained and educated up to 25 volunteers and staff members on sexual assault and abuse issues.

INTERNSHIPS

Graduate Assistant and Career Counselor Intern

2009-2010

Sam Houston State University Career Services

Huntsville, TX

Guided and counseled individual clients on career development and exploration.

Assessed and interpreted Myers-Briggs Type Indicator and Strong Interest Inventory to individual clients and groups. Presented workshops to students and faculty on career exploration, resume writing, and interviewing. Conducted mock interviews and critiqued student and alumni resumes.

Counseling Intern

2010

Sam Houston State University Counseling Center

Huntsville, TX

Provided intake interviews to new clients and assessed for at-risk behaviors on a variety of issues including substance abuse, eating disorders and suicide. Treated individual clients with depression, anxiety, and low self-esteem. Generated intake reports, case notes, and treatment plans in the Titanium database.

Counseling Intern

2009

Sam Houston State University, Jack Staggs Counseling Clinic

Huntsville, TX

Counseled clients in individual, group and couple settings on a variety of issues including substance use, anxiety, depression, anger management, and infidelity. Assessed, diagnosed, and formulated treatment plans. Studied and implemented Cognitive Behavioral Therapy with clients.

Adult Group Facilitator

2009

Montgomery County Youth Services

New Caney, TX

Co-facilitated Adults Relating to Kids court-mandated women's group. Used behavior modifications to help women apply them with their children.

Volunteer

2009

AIDS Foundation

Houston, TX

Assisted individuals who had HIV/AIDS get vouchers, food, and clothing at the agency.

PANELS

Education & Social Services

2015

PRESENTATIONS

Criminal Justice & Victim Services Department

Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

Presented on "The Influence of Trauma" and how the brain is impacted, the mental health diagnoses from the DSM-V that are commonly seen with trauma exposure, and appropriate ways for crisis intervention.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

International Association of Trauma Professionals	2016-Present
American Counseling Association	2010-Present
Association for Counselor Education & Supervision	2016-Present
Association for Creative Counselors	2014-Present
Texas Counseling Association	2010-Present
Texas Association for Counselor Education & Supervision	2016-Present

REFERENCES

Dr. Victor V. Wiesner, II, , PhD, MBA, LPC-S, NCC, CCMHC

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