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EDUCATION

University of South Carolina
Master of Social Work, May 2006

Columbia, SC
GPA:3.68

University of Minnesota
Bachelor of Science in Social Work, May 2005

Mankato, MN

CERTIFICATIONS /LICENSURE

Currently pursuing LMSW; exam is in March 2006
Certificate in Psychosocial Response for All-Hazards Disasters

RELATED EXPERIENCE

School Based Mental Health Counselor Intern August 05- Present
Columbia Area Mental Health Center Columbia, SC

- Work in high schools and middles schools to address school and home situations
- Provide individual therapy for students who have emotional disturbances or mental illness
- Consult and team with school ED/LD teachers to discuss students behavior, student's progress and medication effectiveness within the classroom
- Provide clients with personnel and other resources to help with family structure if applicable
- Conduct home visits to ensure the safety and well-being of the clientele
- Partake in staffing meetings with social workers, psychiatrist, nurses to discuss clientele progress

Volunteer/Intern October-Present
Alston Wilkes Veteran Home Columbia, SC

- Participate and co-facilitate weekly groups on various topics such as self-esteem, healthy relationships, positive life choices, ect
- Interact with clientele to discuss their daily living situations, future plans and gain a better understanding on their own experiences

Case Manger Intern August-May 2005
Dakota County Juvenile Corrections Facility Hastings, MN

- Worked with male adolescent in short-term program focusing on behavior-modification options
- Conducted intake procedures, discharged adolescents, and organized transitional planning for future placements
- Attended court hearings and staffing to help inquire additional information about adolescents that attended the program
- Made daily log notes and conducted other paper work for documentation

**RELATED
EXPERIENCE**
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Jumpstart Member August 02-May 04
Americorps Association Mankato, MN

- Provided school readiness activities to children and their families
- Provided community awareness and family involvement to promote healthy interaction among children and caregiver
- Worked with pre-school teacher to help with classroom projects, activities and field trips

Mentor February 04-May 05
Journey Home Project Mankato, MN

- Assisted with school work, mentor responsibilities, and art and craft activities with a 7 year old Sudan girl
- Established and developed a relationship with this girl as I was a role model

Educator Fall 2003
Community Service Project Mankato, MN

- Provided an educational class on homelessness to the local Elementary school
- Conducted a food-drive for the local food shelf to promote community involvement

Volunteer Fall 2003
Special Olympics Minnesota Area 9 Shakopee, MN

- Interacted and assisted in bowling tournament to promote fair competition and sportsmanship among the athletes

SKILLS

Computer: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint and SPSS; website creation and maintenance

**SPECIALIZED
TRAINING**

Minnesota Alternative to Violence Project Conflict Resolution Workshop,
January 2004
Minnesota Corrections Facility
Faribault, MN
Participated in the 22 hour intensive program working with inmates in developing effective ways of dealing with conflicts, establishing self-esteem and self-confidence

**HONORS &
PROFESSIONAL
MEMBERSHIPS**

Alpha Chi Omega Honor Society, Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges 2005, Deans List, National Association Of Social Workers (NASW), Minnesota Social Service Association (MSSA) 2004,2005