Matthew Dearlove

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Education

University of Michigan | Ann Arbor, MI

- Master of Social Work
- Practice Method: Interpersonal Practice
- Practice Area: Children and Youth in Families and Society

Grand Valley State University | Grand Rapids, MI

- Bachelor of Social Work
- Minor: Philosophy

Licensure

Licensed Master Social Worker (LMSW)

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Experience

Hope Network; Wyoming, MI

November 2023 – Present

Program Director DCS

- Oversee the operation of 18 Specialized Residential AFC Homes
- Provide direct supervision to the Managers of Program Operations
- Manage referrals, assessments, admissions, and intakes for new residents
- Member of the Recognition Steering Committee
- Member of the One Hope DEI Council

GR Therapy Group; Grandville, MI

May 2023 - November 2023

Therapist

Provided individual therapy utilizing an eclectic model tailored to the individual's needs

Farmers Insurance; Caledonia, MI

April 2020 – June 2023

Regional Claim Owner II

- Managed the claim process from start to finish including:
 - Complex liability investigations
 - Managed repairs
 - Completed payment processing.
- Event Coordination Chair for the Michigan Pride ERG

DaVita Kidney Care; Grand Rapids, MI

June 2017 – April 2020

MSW

- Supported patients by:
 - Completing assessments
 - Providing brief therapy
 - Providing education
 - Coordinating supports and resources
- Kidney Smart Educator
- Start Šmart Lead
- Missed Treatment Lead

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Experience (Continued)

MOKA; Grand Rapids, MI

April 2016 - June 2017

Supervisor of Community Supports

- Coordinated the daily operations of three community support programs
- Interviewed, hired, and onboarded new care providers
- Developed a new community program for individuals with higher support needs
- Improved systems for tracking and reporting
- Member of the Diversity Committee

MOKA; Wyoming, MI

June 2015 - April 2016

Supports Coordinator

- Coordinated the person-centered planning process and developed treatment plans.
- Coordinated services and monitored service provision
- Tracked data and monitored goal attainment
- Member of the Diversity Committee

Judson Center – Autism Connections; Royal Oak, MI

August 2013 – August 2014

Autism Specialist Intern

- Observed intensive ABA therapy and Discrete Trial Training
- Developed lesson plans and goals for social skills groups
- Created a physical and electronic resource database
- Assisted in program research
- Assisted with case file management

Threatened Innocence; Grand Rapids, MI

January 2012 - April 2013

Founder and President

- Recruited members from the school and key community members
- Developed meeting agendas and led meetings
- Coordinated fundraising
- Created educational materials

Trainings and Certifications

- Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavior Therapy. Medical University of South Carolina (Online Certification)
- Dialectical Behavior Therapy. University of Michigan SW 790 (Basic Skills for Dialectical Behaviror Therapy)
- Multisystemic Therapy. University of Michigan SW 696 (Social Work Practice with Children and Youth in Society)
- Symptom Targeted Intervention. DaVita Dialysis (Empowering Patients Program Training)

Publications

 Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children: Social Work's Responsibility. NASW-MI The Bridge, July 2013.