To Human Resource Department:

I am submitting my resume for your consideration. I feel that my background as a Psychotherapist and Licensed Behavior Specialist make me uniquely qualified and sensitive to the educational and instructional needs of your students’ interested in Social Studies, Counseling and Psychology. I believe I can accommodate the needs of your school by being flexible and amenable to working within a live, synchronous or asynchronous class schedule. I have extensive experience working with groups in therapy and in disseminating instructional and psychoeducational information to students and professionals. I am interested in teaching middle/high school including Special Education, Regular and Advanced Placement/Undergraduate Classes in Social Studies and Psychology:

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* History of the US
* World History
* US Government
* History of Civilization
* Modern Political Theory
* Civil War and Reconstruction
* Geography
* Civics/Government
* Introduction to psychology
* Theories of counseling
* History and systems of psychology
* Biological psychology
* Abnormal psychology

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**Objective:** To share my dedication, enthusiasm, experience and knowledge of professional counseling, teaching and case management skills with the next generation of aspiring college students, counselors and human service workers.

**Career Goals:** To teach Social Studies to Middle and High School students’ and undergraduate level counseling and psychology coursework in a college/ university environment

**Education**

* Post-Graduate Training and Presentations to Master Level Clinicians in Eco-Systemic Structural Family Therapy @ Philadelphia Child and Family Therapy Center (Friends Hospital, Philadelphia, PA)
* MA Marriage and Family Therapy- Liberty University- 2011
* BS Psychology, Excelsior College- 2009
* BSL (Licensed Behavior Specialist ) Pennsylvania State Board of Medicine
* Functional Behavior Assessment Course and Test successfully completed (Bureau of Autism)
* New Jersey Instructional Certificate of Eligibility in Social Studies, Special Education and Psychology N-12
* Praxis II Content Exam Social Studies N-12 (Passed) for Pennsylvania and New Jersey
* Entering Relay Graduate School of Education One Year Alternate Route to PA/NJ Teacher Certification Program (07/16 Start Date)

**Professional Experience:**

Interac Behavioral Health (Philadelphia, PA)

Behavior Specialist Consultant/ Mobile Therapist

* Provision of therapeutic interventions (School Based and in home)
* Provision of Functional Behavior Assessments
* Provision of Treatment Plans
* Provision of Early Interventions and Skill Building utilizing the principles of Applied Behavior Analysis, Discrete Trial Instruction and Intensive Table Training
* Provision of Individual and Family Psychotherapy
* Supervision of Para-Professionals and Therapeutic Support Staff

**Intercultural Family Services** ( Philadelphia, PA)

Mobile Therapist/ Family Based Therapist – 11-5 12 to present

* Provision of psychotherapy to children requiring Behavioral Health Rehabilitation Services (BHRS) in home and school based
* Individual Therapy
* Family Therapy

**Warren E. Smith Behavioral Health Systems** (Philadelphia, PA)

Family Based Therapist III -11/11 to 11/30/14

* Provision of psychotherapy both school based and in home
* Provision of Psychotherapy and Case Management to children and families utilizing an Eco-Systemic Structural Family Systems approach
* Design and implement treatment plans in cooperation with the family that are strength based, goal oriented, measurable and timely
* Completion of all relevant documentation including DAP Notes, 60-90-120 day Reviews
* Provision of case management services that are relevant and necessary to family functioning
* Provision of Vocational Counseling
* College Preparation Counseling/Guidance

**Pennsylvania Psychiatric Center** Collegeville PA

Mobile Therapist 08/11 to 01/28/12

* Provide one on one therapeutic support for children with Axis I &II Disorders
* Follow and implement treatment plan goals using a variety of interventions and approaches including Cognitive Therapy, ABA and Play Therapy

**Northern Homes** Boxborough, PA

Case Manager for School Therapeutic Support Services 11/09 to 05/11

* Caseload 25 children receiving wraparound and STS services
* Gathering documentation relevant to the delivery of services
* In-home assessments to determine eligibility of client to receive services in home and/or school
* Scheduling evaluations and interagency meetings
* Provide transportation for client and family to attend all scheduled appointments
* Weekly contact with children and families in the home or school environment
* Compose clinical inter-agency meeting summaries (ITM)
* Prepare clinical plan of care summaries
* Knowledge and adherence to CBH guidelines and regulations

**NHS- Park-Side Recovery-** Philadelphia

IOP Counselor Methadone Maintenance Facility

03/09 to 10/10

* Prepare Psycho-Social Histories
* Preparation of Opioid Assessments
* Preparation of Daily DAP/Progress Notes for a Caseload of 20 Clients
* Juveniles, Adjudicated Youths and Adult/Senior Population
* Individual Treatment Plans (Axis 1 thru V)
* Preparation of quarterly, semi & annual evaluations
* Preparation of Discharge Paperwork
* Preparation of CBH Reviews
* Preparation of Annual & Semi-Annual Case Conferences
* Preparation of Daily Vouchers for Service
* Conduct Group and Individual Sessions
* Crisis Counseling/Intervention
* Knowledge and adherence to CBH and BHSI regulations and guidelines

**North Philadelphia Health Systems**- Philadelphia

Counselor for Outpatient Methadone Maintenance Facility

01/08 to 02/09

* Prepare Psycho-Social Histories
* Preparation of Weekly DAP/Progress Notes for a Caseload of 35 Clients ( Juvenile and Adult Offenders)
* Individual Treatment Plans (Axis 1 thru V)
* Completion of PCPC for Continued Stay, Level of Care, IOP and Discharge
* Individual (1:1)Therapy
* Weekly Group Therapy
* Crisis Counseling/Intervention