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Qualifications: Highly skilled Human Services Professional with 18 years of experience. An enthusiastic self-starter with developed administrative, supervision, leadership, counseling, recruitment and facilitation/presentation skills. Possess excellent communication and interpersonal skills with the ability to motivate others. Educator through facilitation and lectures. Develop Job Readiness Programs, as well as engaging individuals in the employment network. Experience with Mental Health and AODA treatment protocols at both management and direct patient care. Working Knowledge of community referrals and supportive services.

Education: Springfield College
Master's Degree in Organizational Management Leadership 09/2002-12/2003
Springfield College
Bachelor's of Science Degree in Human Services 03/2001-09/2002
Milwaukee Area Technical College 08/1991-05/1993
Associate Degree in Human Services

Employment: Word Of Hope Ministries, Inc. 09/2005-Present
Director/Trainer of Mentoring Department/Assistant Program Manager: Oversee all operations when Program Manager is not available, while providing daily assistance. Implement programs, interview new potential employees and monitor all Correctional Institution Projects. Establish and monitor community agency contracts as well as negotiate appropriate Funds. Developer of curriculum for mentoring Department and workshops, facilitate orientations to ex-offenders, present program overview to Pastors and heads of community organizations as well as provide recruitment presentations to church congregations and community organizations to obtain new mentors.

LaCausa, Inc. 03/2005-08/2005
Safety Service Supervisor: Supervised a staff of 7 Safety Service Case Managers, did home visits to support case managers, provide staffing, made recommendation regarding safety and well being of children and developed resources for Southside community.

Word Of Hope Ministries, Inc. 02/2005-9/2005
Consultant: Developed and structured a Mentoring Department to provide mentoring to ex-offenders. Recruit mentors from the faith and community base programs and provide training.

Springfield College 09/2004-04-2005
Student Recruiter: Speaking engagements on behalf of recruiting students at Springfield College, assist with enrollment and interviews

Insight Counseling Services 10/2004-02/2005
Therapist: Provide Mental Health and AODA assessments, individual therapy and facilitate psychotherapy groups under the supervision of psychiatric to obtain 3000 clinical hours.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Metro Milwaukee 12/2003-07/2004
Director of Amachi Program: Oversee all aspects of the program to include: Mentoring for children of incarcerated parents, provide supervision and coordinate direct service providers of 9 full-time staff. Ensure program compliance and quality delivery of services through best practices with families, community, and other faith-based organizations. Complete monthly/quarterly reports; conduct evaluations and quality assurance to funding providers. Senior Church Recruiter: Present Amachi Program to churches, parent groups and various community organizations. Compile report card reflecting the involvement of church member's participation to the pastors to assess strategies for future recruitment.

YWCA of Greater Milwaukee

1/2002 – 11/2003

Senior Workshop Specialist: Develop and implement curriculum designed to assist below poverty level population and non-custodial parents needing assistance with soft-skills to prepare for employment. Conduct behavioral modification and motivational lectures, and conduct mock interviews. Advocate and represent non-custodial parents in need of education regarding child support and visitation issues.

Wisconsin Resource Center For Fragile Families

5/2001 – 12/2001

Coordinator of Workforce Development: Trainer and facilitator for the Fatherhood Development/Parental Responsibility Programs. Quality control analysis and provider of monthly tracking report for all programs.

Goodwill Industries Children Upfront Program

10/98 – 05/2001

Supervisor/Lead Case Manager: Case management, facilitator for job readiness/motivation, and placement worker. Assessed AODA population, advocate with Department of Child Support Enforcement, provided CARES training, and facilitated team parenting curriculum and concepts.

Maximus, Inc.

11/1997 – 10/1998

Lead Financial Employment Planner Special Service Team (SS-T) supervises and monitors case managers, manage a caseload, screen and assess cases to be referred to SS-T unit. Provide financial assistance base on W-2 eligibility. Advocate for placement of at risk incapacitation cases to include home visits.

Wisconsin C.I.P.E., Inc.

06/1992 – 10/1997

AODA Counselor Intern /Trainer/Facilitator/Assistant Director: Provided individual counseling, therapy groups, spirituality counselor and advisor, agency advocate, educational lecturer, trainer, motivational speaker, and Parenting workshop presenter.

AWARDS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES:

- Recipient of High Academic Awards from MATC
- Honor Student and Valedictorian from Springfield College BS Program
- Humanist Award Recipient at Springfield College
- Ordained Gospel Minister
- Motivational Speaker, Community Advocate
- Developed and conducted weekly Spirituality Support Group at The Way of The Cross Baptist Church
- Currently implementing Spirituality Support Group at New Covenant Baptist Church.
- Motivational speaker for Milwaukee Youth Population within the Milwaukee Public School System and other community agencies: including Milwaukee County Detention Center, Dept. of Corrections on Parental Responsibility and manhood.
- Panelist for various organizations speaking as expert on issues of crime, violence prevention and positive parenting.
- Recipient of the City of Milwaukee Black Excellence Award of 2005.
- Panelist for various focus groups

REFERENCE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST: