Bria Grant

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Education Springfield College School of Human Services Bachelors of Science in Human Services

May 2007

Center for Progressive Leadership (CPL) Certification of Completion

August 2010

Experience

UniteMKE Inc.

Executive Director Milwaukee, WI

November 2016-Current

UniteMKE, Inc., a Pathways Community HUB, (UniteMKE) has been initiated to significantly improve social and health outcomes through reducing social risks in Milwaukee. UniteMKE aims to expand and extend its services and reach to communities in the surrounding counties in order to address overall health disparities, improve population health, and reduce excess rates of infant death. The project will address this overall disparity by ensuring care coordination services are available to address the social and health needs of the population.

Key Responsibilities and Accomplishments

- Works with Board of Directors and committees to establish policies and programs and administers such programs including the advisory board for the HUB.
- Develops referral network of referral partners to the HUB to provide the aligned care coordination agencies with patients/clients to serve.
- Develops and contracts with payers the payment for Pathway outcomes and services for the HUB and its contracted care coordination agencies.
- Markets the Pathways Community HUB model of care coordination to potential agency and referral partners with the intent to collaborative integrate their services in the HUB.
- Disseminates community information gathered by the Pathways HUB and its aligned agencies to broaden the positive awareness and acceptance of the benefits of a Pathways Community HUB.
- Assumes responsibility for and makes final decisions on all other service related program decisions.
- Enters into contracts with funding agents, consultants and others.
- Assumes responsibility for development and administration of policies, standards and procedures related to personnel, including staff development, information technology, budget, program performance and physical facilities.
- Establishes and maintains relationships with other agencies and organizations in community toward meeting community needs and services.
- Directs or coordinates fund raising, public relations, and fact finding or research activities.

Consultant

BGrant Consulting LLC Milwaukee, WI

October 2009-Current

Grant Consulting provides a broad scope of professional services including project management services, public affairs/government relations, civic and community engagement, outreach, marketing research and business-to-business marketing solutions.

Key Responsibilities and Accomplishments

- Contract services with local community organizations to provide family support, counseling, personal care and case management
 Clients: Milwaukee Public Schools, WI Institute for Healthy Aging, Milwaukee County Dept. on Aging, African American Ladies Empowering Growth
- Business plan development and strategic planning
- Campaign management, fundraiser and volunteer recruiter Clients: Urban Media& Courier Communications
- Collaborate with community organizers to analyze best practices and evidence-based research
- Developed and implemented work based programming with Milwaukee Public School
- Served as project manager, field director and public relations lead for the 4th Senate district of the Wisconsin
- Marketing/outreach coordinator for PKSD Law offices
- Coordination of outreach to communities of color for evidence-based health promotion programs for Wisconsin Institute for Healthy Aging
- Pastors United Faith Builds Milwaukee Initiative-Rehab housing project facilitator.

Operations Director

December 2013- August 2015

Milwaukee Area Health Education Center (MAHEC) Milwaukee, WI

MAHEC is part of a powerful national initiative founded to improve the health of individuals and communities by transforming health care through community and academic partnerships. MAHEC's mission is focused on improving the health of underserved communities through collaborative multi-sector partnerships that advance community and public health.

Key Responsibilities and Accomplishments

- Improved the operational processes and policies in support of organization's mission, specifically, support better management reporting, information flow and management, business process and organizational planning
- Manage and increase the effectiveness and efficiency of Support Services (HR, IT and Finance) through improvements to each function as well as coordination and communication between support and business functions
- Played a significant role in long-term planning, including an initiative geared toward operational excellence
- Organized to analyze best practices and evaluate evidence-based research healthcare focused career development
- Assist ED with management of agency budget
- Payroll management, including tabulation of accrued employee benefits.

Disbursement of checks for agency expenses

AODA Counselor

Sept 2010-Aug 2012

ATTIC Correctional Services Milwaukee, WI

ATTIC Correctional Services, Inc. began in 1977 as a halfway house for adult male offenders in Madison, Wisconsin. Since its inception, this agency has developed services to meet the increasing needs for supervision and treatment of correctional clients living in Wisconsin (and more recently Minnesota) communities.

Key Responsibilities and Accomplishments

- Interviewed clients through continual assessments for program placement
- Lead Substance Abuse Counselor
- Primary and Aftercare drug treatment program coordinator
- Moral Recognition Therapist -Nationally Certified

Affiliations

- Health/ Mental Health Committee Chair of A-LEGO (African American Ladies Empowering Growth and Opportunity)
- Member of WILL/WAND an international women's organization
- Founding board member of Janus College Preparatory and Arts Academy
- Sharon Seventh Day Adventist Church Board member/Assistant Treasurer

References available upon request