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# **EDUCATION**

M.S. Counseling

University of North Texas, Denton, TX (CACREP Accredited)

Specialty: College Counseling

December 2008

B.S. Psychology

Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

Cum Laude

May 2005

# **CREDENTIALS & PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

•	<b>Licensed Professional Counselor</b>	March 2012-present
	License Number 66901	
•	American Counseling Association	2008-present
	Member Number: 6267608	
•	Texas Counseling Association	2008-present
	College Counseling Division	
	Member Number: 66692	
•	Chi Sigma Iota Counseling Honor Society	2006-2008
	Social Committee Co-Chair	2007-2008
•	Who's Who American Universities and Colleges	2005
	Texas A&M University	

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# **Tarrant County College- Fort Worth, TX**

January 2014-present

# Counselor

• Counsel and provide individual and group educational and vocational guidance services.

- Provide academic advising including degree and course selection, registration, transfer requirements, and university policies.
- Coordinate with campus police, faculty administrators, and staff to provide crisis intervention, counseling, and referral.
- Case-manage and provide appropriate interventions for students on academic success plans, which includes students on academic and financial aid suspension.
- Provide Health and Wellness workshops on topics such as stress management, healthy relationships, and suicide prevention.
- Certified Mental Health First Aid Instructor, providing eight hour certification training to students, faculty, staff, and community members.
- Collect, organize, and analyze information about individuals through records, tests, interviews, and professional sources to appraise their interests, aptitudes, and personality characteristics, for vocational and educational planning.

#### **UNT Health Science Center-Fort Worth, TX**

September 2009-January 2014

Academic Support Specialist

- Coordinated Early Intervention Programs for students.
- Provided appropriate academic counseling and consultations for students of all schools and programs at UNTHSC.
- Used diagnostic tools and assessments for establishing the cause of students' academic difficulties.
- Met with students subject to student performance committee review to facilitate their academic performance improvements, per recommendation by the committee.
- Provided writing assistance for academic essays, course papers, dissertations, theses, and professional reports.
- Presented seminars and workshops on writing, research, APA style, study skills, and other topics as needed.

## **UNT Health Science Center-Fort Worth, TX**

February 2009-September 2009

Student Development Coordinator

- Planned, implemented, and evaluated special events for all students at the university, including but not limited to Preview Day, Relocation Fair, and Field Day.
- Developed and facilitated New Student Orientation for incoming medical students, physician assistant students, and graduate students.
- Advised 44 student organizations.
- Trained and supervised student workers, interns, and orientation leaders.
- Managed financial accounts for student organizations, including procurement card reconciliations, purchasing requests, and reimbursements.

- Aided in planning events for Leadership Institute, including communicating with guest lecturers and advertising programs
- Active in implementing OrgSync software to manage student organizations and governments.
- Assisted in the development of the first UNTHSC First Year Experience Program calendar and kick-off event.

## **University of North Texas-Denton, TX**

December 2006-February 2009

Academic Success Programs Coordinator

- Assisted in the development and execution of the Academic Success Pilot Program to provide students with a successful academic career at the university.
- Secured permanent funding for this program through the Division of Student Development.
- Facilitated Academic Success Program Workshops for specific student populations, including students on Academic Alert, Academic Probation, Emerald Eagle Scholars, and Deferred Scholars.
- Planned and presented workshops on time management, study skills, learning styles, motivation, goal setting, and other academic topics.
- Facilitated individual counseling with students regarding their academic success and progress.
- Used diagnostic tools and assessments for establishing the cause of students' academic difficulties to ensure appropriate and successful academic improvement plans.
- Maintained confidential student records.
- Hired and directly supervised Graduate Assistant for Academic Success Programs.

## CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

## **Tarrant County College- Fort Worth, TX**

January 2014-present

#### Counselor

- Counsel and provide individual and group educational and vocational guidance services.
- Provide academic advising including degree and course selection, registration, transfer requirements, and university policies.
- Coordinate with campus police, faculty administrators, and staff to provide crisis intervention, counseling, and referral.
- Case-manage and provide appropriate interventions for students on academic success plans, which includes students on academic and financial aid suspension.
- Provide Health and Wellness workshops on topics such as stress management, healthy relationships, and suicide prevention.

- Assist in coordinating annual Health Fair for students with campus and community resources.
- Collect, organize, and analyze information about individuals through records, tests, interviews, and professional sources to appraise their interests, aptitudes, and personality characteristics, for vocational and educational planning.

# **UNT Health Science Center** March 2012-present

# Licensed Professional Counselor

- Conduct individual and group counseling with graduate and professional students.
- Manage counseling hotline and e-mail and respond to students seeking mental health assistance.
- Design counseling intake forms and related counseling documents for UNTHSC Student Affairs.
- Manage Counseling Services website for UNTHSC Student Affairs.
- Interface and network with outside counseling agencies.
- Serve on UNTHSC CARE Team

# **UNT Health Science Center** September 2010-present

#### Licensed Professional Counselor Intern

- Conduct individual and group counseling with graduate and professional students.
- Manage counseling hotline and e-mail and respond to students seeking mental health assistance.
- Established and implemented Counseling Services on campus for the University.
- Designed counseling intake forms and related counseling documents for UNTHSC Student Affairs.
- Designed Counseling Services website for UNTHSC Student Affairs.
- Interfaced and networked with outside counseling agencies.

# University of North Texas-Denton, TX August 2007-May 2008

#### College Counseling Intern-Learning Center

- Completed 768 internship hours, 249 being direct client contact hours for my counseling degree.
- Provided individual and group talk therapy sessions for selected college students under supervision by licensed therapists and professors.

- Provided counseling services to a diverse group of individuals from various cultural, religious, and racial backgrounds.
- Administered and interpreted assessments.
- Provided and presented case conceptualizations and diagnoses.
- Developed treatment plans for individual and group clients.
- Maintained accurate, complete, and confidential case notes.
- Delivered psycho-educational information on maintaining academic success by creating connections between students and their academic resources on campus.

# University of North Texas-Denton, TX June 2007-August 2007

Clinical Counseling Practicum Student-Counseling & Human Development Center

- Conducted individual and group talk therapy sessions with adults in both the UNT and Denton communities under faculty supervision.
- Administered and interpreted assessments.
- Treatment issues seen included depression, anxiety, relationship and self-esteem issues.
- Provided and presented case conceptualizations and diagnoses.
- Maintained complete and accurate case notes.
- Received weekly triadic and individual supervision by licensed counselors and faculty.

## PSYCHOLOGICAL & EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENTS:

Trained at University of North Texas, Fall 2006

- Adult Self Report (ASR)
- Beck Anxiety Inventory (BAI)
- Beck Depression Inventory (BD I-II)
- Learning and Study Strategies Inventory (LASSI)
- Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory (MMPI-2)
- Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI)
- Self-Directed Search (SDS)
- Strong Interest Inventory (SII)
- Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory (SASSI-3)
- Symptom Checklist 90-Revised (SCL-90-R)

VARK Learning Styles Assessment

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

Allison, L. (October 2011). A workable plan: Using Choice Theory to advise students. Poster presentation to College Academic Support Programs (CASP), Austin, TX

Allison, L. (November 2010). *How's that working for you? Using Reality Therapy to engage students.* Presentation to College Reading and Learning Association (CRLA), Salt Lake City, UT

Adams, J., Saucer, R., & Allison, L. (October 2008). *Implementing a volunteer tutor program: A university resource*. Presentation to College Reading and Learning Association, Cleveland, OH

#### PROFESSIONAL HONORS & AWARDS

- Star Performer Award, UNT Learning Center, Fall 2008
- New Staff Member of the Year Award, UNT Division of Student Development, 2007
- *Innovation Award*, Academic Success Programs, UNT Division of Student Development, 2007

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) Instructor (2015-present)
- ASK About Suicide to Save a Life, Instructor (2013-present)
- Presenter Tarrant County College's Student Success Conference (September 2014)
- CARE Team referral and counseling advisor at Tarrant County College (2014-present)
- UNTHSC CARE Team member (Fall 2011-Fall 2013)
- UNTHSC Student Affairs staff mentor (Fall 2009-Fall 2013)
- Representative, Student Affairs Employee Benefit Action Committee (EBAC), (Fall 2009-Spring 2010)
- Chi-Sigma Iota-Rho Kappa Chapter's Social Committee Co-Chair (2007-2008)
- UNT Student Affairs Staff Development Committee (2007-2009)
- Staff mentor, UNT Student Success Mentoring Program (2007-2009)