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Qualifications

Compassionate, resourceful and service-focused program coordinator and social worker dedicated to providing resources and pathways for disadvantaged families. Qualitative experience with the homeless, domestic violence situation and emancipated teens.
Exceptional skills in case and project management.

A track record of success included:

- Constructing solution-oriented, quality programs with limited funding
- Securing grants and community alliances to extend agency resources
- Coordinating interagency partnerships to maximize efforts and financial restrictions

Experience

Project Action, Conner, WY — Feb. 2000 – present
Lead Case Manager (June 2004 – present)
Case Manager (June 2001 – May 2004)
Service Coordinator (Feb. 2000 – June 2001)

An agency focused on repositions displaced families and teens into home, employment and schooling.

- Provided proactive and supported service to clients that results in a 95 percent stability housing eligibility
- Coordinate and counsel more than 250 cases within the year, personal caseload of 20 – 30
- Supervise and mentor team of nine social workers, program leads
- Supported ESED funding with the development of a $75,000 biennial grant over six years for immediate rescue services
- Developed Community-in-Action campaign for in-kind support facilitating continued building maintenance and cross-training services, life supplies and school supplies

Haven House, Laramie, WY — April 1998 – Feb. 2000
Social Worker

A domestic violence transitional safe house.

- Managed caseload averaging 30 clients and emergency
- Secured licensing for child care center to assist clients in maintaining employment
- Developed child care training and certification program to expand employment opportunities for clients
- Designed and implemented holiday events, reading sessions and
- Provided counseling during in-agency family visitations
- Fostered community relations for the betterment of clients and staff

Education

University of Denver, MSW 1998 Denver, CO

Internships:

- Agape – Denver, CO (provides resources to pregnant teens)
  Intern, Counseling Center, 1998
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Denver (mentoring program to disadvantaged children 8 – 14)
  Case Manager, 1997

University of Wyoming, B.A. 1996 Laramie, WY
Major in social work, minor in elementary education

Affiliations

- National Association of Member Social Workers 2000 – present
- ACTivate Community Service Club, 2004 – present