

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Professional Training:

B.S. Psychology, Texas A&M University, December 1973

M.S. Psychology, Texas A&M University, May 1976

Ph.D. College of Educational Counseling Psychology, Texas A&M University, August 1981

Clinical Psychology Internship Wilford Hall Medical Center, August 1980 – August 1981 (APA Approved Clinical Program)

Licensure and Certification:

State of Texas License #22463 (1982)

Health Service Provider Certificate #33515

Licensed Specialist in School Psychology #6094 (1996)

Professional Organizations:

American Psychological Association

Texas Psychological Association

Texas Association of School Psychologists

General Private Practice:

March 1984 – Present

This practice focuses primarily on direct psychological services to children and families and consultation with agencies serving children. It also includes consultative services.

Consultative services currently include:

Special Education Divisions of multiple school districts in the West Texas area. These services include evaluation of students for eligibility for service as emotionally disturbed. Additionally, I head up a team comprised of educational diagnosticians and speech pathologists that provide specialized evaluation of developmental disorders including Learning Disabilities and Pervasive Developmental Disorders. Individual and family therapy, crisis management, staff consultation, and continuing education are also provided.

Other services which have been provided during my time in individual private practice include workshops on professional ethics periodically offered to human service professionals in the area, consultation with Concho Valley Home for Girls, Tom Green County Probation Department, Family Outreach Services, Department of Human Services, West Texas Boys Ranch, and community education programs offered through St. John's Hospital Health School.

I also work with physicians in the San Angelo area consulting with patients who are suffering from a variety of physical conditions exacerbated by psychological stressors. These conditions include cardiovascular disorders, chronic pain, hemodialysis, and substance abuse.

I also consult with the District Courts on child custody litigation, parental rights determination, and as an expert witness on child and adult sexual abuse and assault.

I provide professional supervision to clinicians in the community seeking licensure in the mental health field.

I serve on the Texas State Board of Examiners of Psychologist to evaluate prospective psychologists.

Other Professional Experience:

Adjunct Faculty, Angelo State University; 1999 – present. This position includes instruction of undergraduate classes in the Department of Psychology.

Assistant Professor, Angelo State University; August 1987 – August 1993. This position included instruction of undergraduate and graduate classes in the Department of Psychology as well as supervision of interns and guiding research of students in the Graduate Program. Graduate programs developed and taught include Psychopathology, Ethics and legal Issues in Human Services, Theories of Counseling, Theories of Personality Development, Health Psychology, and Behavior Therapy.

Chief, Mental Health Clinic, Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas; August 1981 – August 1984. This position was responsible for the administration of the Mental Health Clinic as well as provision and supervision of psychological services. The full range of clinical services was provided to include treatment of individuals involved in child neglect and abuse. Specialized programs established included an outpatient pain and stress management clinic and a drug testing and rehabilitation program.

While at Goodfellow Air Force Base, there was also involvement in several volunteer projects in the civilian community.

Clinical Psychology Resident; APA approved, general clinical internship at Wilford Hall Air Force Medical Center; August 1980 – August 1981. Activities during this internship included the following:

1. Psychological evaluations of active duty Air Force personnel to determine competency for various skilled positions.
2. Rotation in the Pediatric Clinic.
3. Rotation in Hospital Consultation.

During the internship year, specialized training was received in the following areas:

1. Neuropsychological assessment.
2. Clinical application of hypnotherapy (year long); specific applications included pain management, childbirth, symptom relief, and psychotherapy.
3. Psychopharmacology.

Teaching Assistant, Texas A&M University; January 1979 – July 1980. During this time, an introductory course in Educational Psychology was taught. Additionally, a counseling techniques laboratory and a laboratory for group counseling were conducted. Lecturing in classes at Texas A&M University and at the Bryan Vocational Nursing School on personal adjustment, adolescent, and abnormal psychology was also done.

Director, Alcohol and Chemical Abuse Services and Psychologist, Bluebonnet Psychiatric Center, Inc.; May 1976 – August 1979. These duties included carrying out the administrative and supervisory duties involved with the chemical abuse division, as well as conducting individual, group, and family therapy with chemical abusers.

Assistant Director, Alcohol and Chemical Abuse Services, Bluebonnet Psychiatric Center, Inc.; May 1975 – May 1976. In this capacity, individual and group psychotherapy were conducted and assistance in administrative duties of the program was given.

Teaching Assistant, Texas A&M University; January 1974 – May 1975. During this time, Introductory Psychology and Psychology of Women were taught.

Papers and Publications:

Burkhalter, J. K. and Bourgeois, A. E. The effects of congruence – incongruence between field dependence and focus of control on biofeedback tasks. Accepted for presentation at APA Convention, August 1978.

Burkhalter, J. K. Proceedings of H.E.W. Region VI Workshop on After-Care and Deinstitutionalization. Bryan, Texas: Newman Printing, 1978, 84 pages.

Smith, D. and Burkhalter, J. K. The use of Bibliotherapy in Clinical Practice. Journal of Mental Health Counseling; Vol. 9, July 1987.

French, S.; Burkhalter, J. K.; & Bobele, M. Personality Characteristics of Physicians' Wives. Presented at Texas Association of Marriage & Family Therapists annual convention, February 1994.

Burkhalter, J. K. Comprehensive Management of Emotionally Disturbed Children. Paper presented at International Conference on Behavior Disorder, Dallas, Texas, October 1995.