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EDUCATION

August 2022- Angelo State University, San Angelo, Texas

Expected August 2024 Doctor of Social Work (D.S.W.) in Clinical Social Work

Capstone: Integrating Person Centered Care in the Treatment of Older Adults

with Cognitive Impairments: A Systematic Review

Chair: Dr. Thomas W. Starkey

Committee: Dr. Joel L. Carr, Dr. Christopher M. Shar, Dr. Wrennah L. Gabbert,

Dr. Gregory P. Krukonis

August 2014 University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, Texas

Master of Science in Social Work

May 2012 Abilene Christian University, Abilene, Texas

Bachelor of Arts in Social Work

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Medical social work, gerontology, mental health, person-centered care, ethics.

TEACHING INTERESTS

Direct practice to social work; aging; social policy; mental health; integrated healthcare

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

January 2023- present: Department of Social Work, Angelo State University, Adjunct Professor

Courses Taught:

SWK 4307: Social Work & Aging (undergraduate)

August 2023-December 2023: Department of Social Work, Angelo State University, Teaching

Assistant

Courses Taught:

SWK 6365: Administration and Management (graduate)

ABILENE CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY DIRECTED STUDENT SERVICES:

Master Thesis Co-Chair Committee Member:

• August 2022- May 2023: Jack Marcelain – "The Impact of COVID-19 on the Mental Health of College Students": https://digitalcommons.acu.edu/etd/599/

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION:

Leverton, A., Integrating Person-Centered Care in the Treatment of Older Adults with Cognitive Impairments: A Systematic Review

PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

Leverton, A. (Presenter) (2023), HUD-VASH, HUD Housing Conference Abilene, TX.

SCHOLARSHIPS RECEIVED

2022-2023 Distinguished (Carr) Graduate (\$4,000) - Angelo State University

RAM Grant- Graduate (\$2,395) - Angelo State University

PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK EXPERIENCE

October 2022- present: Senior Social Worker, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Abilene, TX

January 2022-October 2022: **Mental Health Program Administrator**, Betty Hardwick Center, Abilene, TX

December 2020- January 2022: **Health Care for Homeless Veterans Program Manager,** U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Abilene, TX

February 2019- December 2020: **HUD-VASH Social Worker**, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Abilene, TX

December 2017- February 2019: Continuity of Care Liaison, Betty Hardwick Center, Abilene, TX

October 2017- December 2017: **Special Needs Coordinator**, Professional Performance Development Group, Inc., Goodfellow AFB, San Angelo, TX

May 2017- December 2017: **Special Needs Coordinator**, Loyal Source Government Services, Dyess AFB, Abilene, TX

December 2016- May 2017: Geriatric Therapist, Oceans Behavioral Hospital, Abilene, TX

June 2016- December 2016: Adult Therapist, Oceans Behavioral Hospital, Abilene, TX

June 2015- June 2016: Social Worker- Abilene State Supported Living Center, Abilene TX

August 2014- June 2015: IDD Service Coordinator, Betty Hardwick Center, Abilene, TX

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- National Association of Social Workers, Member 2022-present
- American Psychological Association, Member 2023-present
- American Board of Clinical Social Work, Member 2023-present

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

August 2019-August 2020: Mentor, Big Brothers Big Sisters of America, Abilene, TX

July 2017- October 2017: **Provisional Member**, Junior League of Abilene, Abilene, TX

CERTIFICATES/LICENSES

October 2019: Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), License #61998, Texas

October 2021: Specialty: Supervisor

January 2016: Licensed Master Social Worker (LMSW), License #61998, Texas