

Anthony Whitfield

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Summary

- Experienced professional with skills in a variety of settings, seeking to improve the community with leadership, compassion, and a variety of human services related skills
- Volunteer experience with Compeer Mentoring and CASA certified advocate
- Member of Human Services Coalition National Organization for Human Services and Honor Society - Tau Upsilon Alpha
- Presented inside-out prevention framework at Midwest Regional Human Services Conference (Mar 2014)
- Trained in non-violent crisis intervention (Managing Aggressive Behavior)
- American Red Cross Certification in both CPR and First Aid – currently certified
- **Specialized Trainings:** Hearing Voices, Managing Aggressive Behavior, Ethical Standards, Medical Necessity, Documentation, Community Medication Outreach, non-violent crisis intervention (Managing Aggressive Behavior) and Communicable Diseases

Education

Washburn University, Topeka, KS

Bachelor of Applied Science in Human Services (emphasis Mental Health), GPA: 3.53

First Year Master of Arts Science in Human Services/Addictions Counseling, GPA: 4.0

Experience

Intensive Case Manager, December 2014 – present

Heartland Regional Alcohol and Drug Assessment Center (RADAC), Roeland Park, KS

- Work with population that have a substance use disorder, mental illness and history of in-patient hospitalizations and/or a history of homelessness. Treat client with integrated services designed specifically for him or her. Focus is on risk reduction, stabilization, referring clients to appropriate community resources to maintain healthy living in the community.

Crisis Resolution Program Attendant Care Provider, June 2013 – December 2014

Family Service and Guidance Center, Topeka, KS

- Provide children and adolescents with SED in crisis situations safety and support in the form of preventing hospitalization, and breaking the cycle of conflict. Program operates from the Trauma Informed Care philosophy.

Mental Health Technician, June 2012 – June 2013

Valeo Behavioral Health Care, Topeka, KS

- Assisted persons with SPMI in diverting crisis situations by ensuring safety and promoting the use of positive coping skills and social interactions to prevent hospitalizations and self-harm.

Work Unit Supervisor, October 2001 – October 2003

Breakthrough House, Inc., Topeka, KS

- Provided support and assistance to members of the community with SPMI
- Reinforced and developed use of coping skills, social skills, and activities of daily living
- Educated member with SPMI on relevant job and career skills

References available upon request