

Marsha Siler Antista

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2008 – Present** ***Licensed Mental Health Clinician, Florida Therapy Services***
- ◆ Conduct intake assessment for agency
 - ◆ Provide individual and family therapy sessions
- 2008-2010** ***Clinical Social Worker II, Tallahassee Memorial Behavioral Healthcare, Tallahassee, Florida***
- ◆ Conducted clinical assessments, lead group therapy sessions, provided individual, group and family therapy sessions.
- 2007 – 2009** ***Consultant, Tallahassee Memorial HealthCare Foundation, Tallahassee, Florida***
- ◆ Wrote grants, facilitate and coordinate community stakeholder workgroups. Facilitated and evaluated program activities related to behavioral health and children's health
 - ◆ Recipient of the Knight Foundation grant for community development on behavior health
- 2006 – 2009** ***Mental Health Consultant, Florida Pediatric Society, Tallahassee, Florida***
- ◆ Served as mental health consultant to pediatricians around Florida
 - ◆ Developed proposals and grants for pediatric society
 - ◆ Worked with Georgetown University staff on American Academy of Pediatrics "Bright Futures" Programs focusing on behavioral health and mental health information
- 2005 – Present** ***Licensed Mental Health Counselor, Tallahassee, Florida***
- ◆ Therapist with small private practice for families, children and individuals experiencing behavioral health and mental illness issues
- 2006 – 2008** ***Trauma Informed Practice Consultant, Becker-Powell Consultants, Tallahassee, Florida***
- ◆ Contractor with the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ)
 - ◆ Associate director, mental health consultant and systems expert for trauma informed practice
 - ◆ Developed training materials and reports on use of trauma informed practice in DJJ residential and detention facilities programs
 - ◆ Provided training on trauma informed practice to over 1,000 DJJ staff and stakeholders
 - ◆ Conducted trauma informed practice therapy with over 300 DJJ involved youth
 - ◆ Trainer for the DJJ academy on children's mental health, trauma and suicidality
- 2005 – 2007** ***Behavioral Health Consultant, Florida Department of Health, Children's Medical Services (CMS), Tallahassee, Florida***
- ◆ Conducted research and fiscal analyses on behavioral health, psychoeducational, health, developmental and mental health best practices and trends for children's health and behavioral health care
 - ◆ Developed strategies for integrating health care in North Florida and developed children's mental health care services and systems. Developed capacity for CMS to become community mental health center

2002 – 2005 ***Director of Program and Community Development, DISC Village, Tallahassee, Florida***

- ◆ Provided oversight of Federal grant for “Community Assessment and Intervention Centers” with four statewide partners
- ◆ Authored federal and other grants for expansion of mental health, substance abuse and behavioral services and conducted fiscal oversight of grant implementation and evaluation
- ◆ Generated \$1 million in federal and state grants in 2003
- ◆ Implemented case management and outreach grants with DISC staff across North Florida
- ◆ Developed and executed policies, procedures and day-to-day operations at DISC Village
- ◆ Oversaw integrated healthcare and early intervention/outreach services through contracted services

2001 – 2002 ***Associate in Research, Florida State University College of Nursing, Tallahassee, Florida***

- ◆ Developed policies and procedures to assist School of Nursing faculty with research and funding opportunities from federal, private and other funding resources
- ◆ Coordinated with FSU College of Education and College of Medicine administration to develop interdisciplinary center
- ◆ Wrote and coordinated grants in association with School of Nursing faculty

2000 – 2001 ***Director, Florida State University (FSU), Mental Health and Substance Abuse Integrated Learning Center, Tallahassee, Florida***

- ◆ Generated \$2 million in grants to train mental health and substance abuse professionals and the general public on mental health, substance abuse and behavioral health issues
- ◆ Oversaw development and implementation of web-based training and educational materials, conferences and videos on substance abuse, mental health and care coordination
- ◆ Coordinated board activities to review and evaluate training and other psychoeducational programs
- ◆ Designed and implemented Assertive Community Treatment programs in Florida (known as FACT teams) to train physicians, nurses and mental health and substance abuse counselors on best practice services to persons who have mental illnesses to reside in their communities

1980 – 2000 ***Operations and Management Consultant II, Department of Children and Families, Mental Health Program Office and Developmental Disabilities Program Offices***

- ◆ Designed and implemented \$20 million Assertive Community Program for Florida mental health services
- ◆ Contract manager and fiscal agent for FACT team implementation and other training initiatives
- ◆ Wrote Request for Proposal (RFP) for FACT programs and served as chairperson of statewide mental health programs implementation
- ◆ Wrote numerous legislative budget requests, several of which were selected as prototypes for departmental use
- ◆ Developed numerous outreach and training programs for adults who have severe mental illnesses
- ◆ Worked in collaboration with Florida Developmental Disabilities Council to implement new support coordination system

EDUCATION

University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

- ◆ End's., Counselor of Education
- ◆ M.Ed., Counselor of Education
- ◆ B.Ed., Educational and International Studies

Advanced Studies

- ◆ Florida State University
- ◆ Pennsylvania State University

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Licensed Mental Health Counselor, 2005 to present

- ◆ License MH 8253

Trainer, Eli Lilly Team Solutions Partnership, Indianapolis, Indiana

Independent Consultant, Advanced Core Consulting,

- ◆ Developed grant foundation contracts, produced grant project and grant development outlines

Independent Quality Assurance Reviewer

- ◆ Florida Attorney General's Office – University of South Florida, 1998-2003
- ◆ Arizona Department of Health, 1999-2001
- ◆ Alabama Department of Health, 1999
- ◆ Hawaii Department of Mental Health, 1998

Independent Reviewer

- ◆ Quality Reviewer and Trainer and Quality Outcomes for Persons with Developmental Disabilities, University of Miami, 1997-2000
- ◆ Case Management Reviewer, Human Systems and Outcome, 1996

Consultant

- ◆ Florida Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health Big Bend Chapter 1996-1997, 2001, 2003
- ◆ Trainer for Family Focus Groups, Leon County Exceptional Students Educational Program, 1996-1997, 2001, 2003

Project Manager

- ◆ Program Design, Inc., St. Petersburg, FL, 1996
 - Provided oversight to move individuals with developmental disabilities into the community

ADDITIONAL PRESENTATIONS, PUBLICATIONS AND PROJECTS

Presenter at numerous conferences, workshops and training events and author of numerous training curricula and service manuals.

Subjects include:

- ◆ General mental health services
- ◆ Mental health services for persons with hearing impairments
- ◆ Services for people with developmental disabilities
- ◆ Exceptional student education
- ◆ Family inclusion and practices
- ◆ Care coordination
- ◆ Social service

- ◆ Interdisciplinary best practices
- ◆ Evidence-based supports and services

Presenter and Consultant for:

- ◆ Gallaudet University
- ◆ Florida State University
- ◆ Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida
- ◆ University of South Florida, College of Medicine
- ◆ University of North Florida
- ◆ State of Alabama
- ◆ University of Arizona, State of Arizona
- ◆ State of Hawaii