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**EDUCATION**

- Ph.D.** University of Georgia, Department of Human Development and Family Science, Specialization in Marriage and Family Therapy, 2016
- M.S.** Miami University, Family Studies, Specialization in Culturally Diverse Families and Stressful Family Context, 2010
- B.S.** Miami University, Women's Studies, 2007

**ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Academic Employment**

- 2019- current Assistant Professor, Department of Counseling Psychology and Human Services, University of Oregon
- 2016- 2019 Assistant Professor, Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech
- 2015- 2016 Adjunct Faculty, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Science, Mercer
- 2010 Adjunct Faculty, Department of Family Studies and Social Work, Miami University

**ACTIVE PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS**

- 2017- current Approved Supervisor, American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy
- 2017- current Resident in Marriage and Family Therapy, Virginia

**AWARDS FOR TEACHING, RESEARCH, OR SERVICE**

- 2018 *Robert C Anderson Memorial Alumni Award*, University of Georgia Graduate School

2014-2015	<i>American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy/Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration Dissertation Fellowship</i> , American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy and the Minority Fellowship Program
2011-2014	<i>American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy / Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration Fellowship</i> , American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy and the Minority Fellowship Program
2014	<i>Latin American Caribbean Studies Institute, Graduate Research Award</i> , University of Georgia
2009	<i>Myrtis Powell Award for Community Service and Scholarship</i> , University of Georgia

### GRANTS AWARDED

#### Extramural Grants:

1. **Abrams, B. A.** (May, 2013). *The effect of Afro-Caribbean mother-daughter relationship quality on their communication about sex and substance: A moderation-mediation model.* The Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration (SAMHSA) and The American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) Minority Fellowship Grant. Responsibility: PI, \$7,000 for May 2013-April 2014.
2. **Abrams, B. A.** (May, 2012). *Acculturation gap and its effect on mother-daughter communication, risky sexual behaviors and substance use.* The Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration (SAMHSA) and The American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) Minority Fellowship Grant. Responsibility: PI, \$6,047 for May 2012-April 2013.

#### Intramural Grants:

1. **Muruthi, B. A.** (May, 2017). *Individualized family psychoeducational interventions for Latino families.* Virginia Tech College of Liberal Arts and Human Services Departmental Diversity Grant. Responsibility: PI, \$4,000 for May 2017- June 2018.
2. **Muruthi, B. A.** (April, 2017). *Black immigrant women risk and resilience.* Virginia Tech College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences. Dean's Faculty Fellowship Grant. Responsibility: PI, \$8,000 for April 2017- June 2018.
3. **Muruthi, B. A.** (March, 2017). *Faculty mentoring grant.* Virginia Tech College of Liberal Arts and Human Services. Responsibility: PI, \$1,500 for March, 2017-June 2018.
4. **Muruthi, B. A.** (November, 2016). *Risk and resilience and resettlement behavior among Black immigrant families.* Virginia Tech College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, Niles Research Grant. Responsibility: PI, \$3,761 for November 2016 - June 2017.

5. **Muruthi, B. A.** (April, 2016). *The moderating effect of relationship quality on communication about sex and substance use between Afro-Caribbean mothers and daughters*. University of Georgia Graduate School Summer Dissertation Grant. Responsibility: PI, \$3,000 for April 2016-August 2016.
6. **Muruthi, B. A.** (March, 2014). *Moderating effect of immigrant mother-daughter relationships on risk communication*. University of Georgia Graduate School Innovative and Interdisciplinary Research Grant. Responsibility: PI, \$1,000 for March 2014-February 2015.
7. **Muruthi, B. A.** (May, 2004). *Acculturation and its effect on Afro-Caribbean mother-daughter relationships*. Department of Women's Studies. Responsibility: PI, \$150 for May 2004-August 2004.
8. **Muruthi, B. A.** (May, 2004). *Women and HIV/AIDS in Guyana, South America*. Miami University Summer Scholars Program. Responsibility: PI, \$3000 for May 2004 – August.

### PUBLICATIONS

\* Indicates collaboration with a current or former graduate student or advisee

#### Refereed Journal Articles:

1. \*Taschman, K., **Muruthi, B.** (Revise and Resubmit). Family reallocation and resilience during and after deportation. *Contemporary Family Therapy*.
2. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Spivey, S., Chou J., Janes, E., & Ibrahim, M.\* (Revise and Resubmit). "We pray as a family": The role of religion for resettled Karen refugees' family resilience. *Journal of Family Issue*.
3. \*Taschman, K., **Muruthi, B.** (Revise and Resubmit). Sentí que alguien murió: Ambiguous loss in the face of deportation. *Journal of child and Family Studies*.
4. Chou, J., Cooper-Sadlo, S., and Diamond, R, **Muruthi, B.**, & Beeler-Stinn, S. (Revise and Resubmit). A Phenomenological Study of Mother's Experience in Substance Use Treatment. *Family Process*.
5. Jackson, J. B., Steward, S. R., Roper, S. O., & **Muruthi, B. A.** (2018). Support Group Value and Design for Parents of Children with Severe or Profound Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. *Journal of autism and developmental disorders*, 1-15.
6. \*Escobar, J., Falconier, M., & **Muruthi, B. A.** (2018). "Se llevaron al padre de mis hijos": Latina mothers coping with the deportation of their partner. *Journal of Family Therapy*.
7. Bermudez, J. M., **Muruthi, B. A.**, Stinson, M. A., Seponski, D., Zak Hunter, L., & Taniguchi, N. (2018). Thank you for including us!" - introducing a community-based

collaborative approach to translating clinical materials. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*. doi: 10.1111/jmft.12317

8. Li, P., Wickrama, K. A. S., Worch, S., & **Muruthi, B. A.** (2018). Marital enqing [affection] and depression in Taiwanese couples: The mediating role of active and passive sacrifice. *Marriage and Family Review*.<sup>1</sup>
9. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Farnham, A., McCoy, M., & Chou, J. (2018). Sexual scripts and narrative therapy with older couples. *American Journal of Family Therapy*. doi: 10.1080/01926187.2018.1428129
10. Spivey, S., **Muruthi, B. A.**, Chou J., & \*Chevalier, M. (2017). Feminist borderland theory and Karen refugee families. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*. Advanced online publication. doi:10.1080/08952833.2017.1391031
11. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Watkins, K., McCoy, M., Muruthi, J. R., & Kiprono, F. J. (2017). "I feel happy that I can be useful to others": Preliminary study of East African women and their remittance behavior. *Journal of Family and Economic Issues*, 38, 315-326. doi:10.1007/s10834-017-9533-8
12. Bermúdez, J. M., **Muruthi, B. A.**, & Jordan, L. S. (2016). Decolonizing research methods for family science: Creating space at the center. *Journal of Family Theory & Review*, 8(2), 192-206. doi:10.1111/jftr.12139
13. Jordan, L. S., Grogan, C., **Muruthi, B. A.**, & Bermúdez, J. M. (2016). Polyamory: Experiences of power from without, from within, and in between. *Journal of Couple & Relationship Therapy*, 16(1), 1–19. doi: 10.1080/15332691.2016.114113
14. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Bermúdez, J. M., Bush, K. R., McCoy, M., & Stinson, M. A. (2016). Afro-Caribbean mothers in the US: An exploratory study from a transnational feminist perspective. *Women & Therapy*, 39(3-4), 413-431. doi: 10.1080/02703149.2016.1116872
15. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Nasis, T., Jordan, L. S., McCoy, M., Grogan, C., & Farnham, A. (2015). Collaborative therapy approach: Implications for working with Afro-Caribbean families coping with infidelity. *Journal of Systemic Therapies*, 34(3), 26-43.<sup>2</sup>
16. Bermúdez, J. M., Zak-Hunter, L. M., Stinson, M. A., & **Abrams, B. A.** (2014). "I am not going to lose my kids to the streets" meanings and experiences of motherhood among Mexican-origin women. *Journal of Family Issues*, 35(1), 3-27. doi:10.1177/0192513X12462680
17. Bermúdez, J. M., Stinson, M. A., Zak-Hunter, L., & **Abrams, B. A.** (2011). Mejor sola que mal acompañada [Better alone than in bad company]: Strengths and challenges of

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<sup>1</sup> Doi not available

<sup>2</sup> Doi not available

Mexican-origin mothers parenting alone. *Journal of Divorce & Remarriage*, 52(8), 622-641. doi: 10.1080/10502556.2011.619939

### Published Book Chapters:

1. Bush, K. R., **Abrams-Muruthi, B. A.**, Bohon, S. A., & Kim, H. K. (2017). Adaptation among immigrant families: Resources and barriers. In C. A. Price, K. B. Bush, & S. J. Price (Eds.), *Families & change: Coping with stressful events and transitions*, (pp.179-201). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

### Professional Publications:

1. **Abrams-Muruthi, B. A.**, Bermudez, M., Chou, J., Farnham, A., & Bermudez, M. (May/June 2015). Neither here nor there: Working with transnational immigrant families in marriage and family therapy. *Family Therapy Magazine*.

### Published Entries in Reference Works:

1. **Muruthi, B. A.**, McCoy, M., & Farnham, A. (2017). Extended family. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy*. Springer. Advanced online publication. doi: 10.1007/978-3-319-15877-8\_758-1
2. Gale, J., & **Muruthi, B. A.** (2017). Triangulation. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy*. Advanced online publication. Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-3-319-15877-8\_758-1
3. Chou, J., & **Muruthi, B. A.** (2017). Adult child of alcoholics. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy*. Advanced online publication. Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-3-319-15877-8\_758-1

### MANUSCRIPTS CURRENTLY UNDER REVIEW

\* Indicates collaboration with a current or former graduate student or advisee

1. **Muruthi, B.A.**, Janes, E., Chou, J., Richardson, J., West, J.M., Chevalier, M. (Submitted). First thing when I walk through the door, I am a Black woman?": Understanding Afro- Caribbean women's perceptions of race and ethnicity in the United States. *American Journal of Family Therapy*.
2. **Chou, J.**, Muruthi, B.A, Ibrahim, M. Janes, E., Pierce, K., Pennington, L., Dickens, R., Michael, J. Zand, D.. Evaluating Gender Specific Substance Abuse Programs: Lessons Learned from the Field. *Journal of social Work Practice*.

### MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

\* Indicates a current or former graduate student or advisee

1. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Bermudez, J. M, Chou J., Gale, J., & Lewis, D. Mother-adult daughter questionnaire: Measurement invariance across first and second generation black immigrant women.
2. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Kimberly W., McCoy, M., \*Chevalier, M., White, K., & Thomas, M. Financial socialization of Black immigrant women living in the US: A transnational perspective.
3. Chou, J., Diamond, R., **Muruthi, B.A.**, Cooper-Sadlo, S., Ibrahim, M., & Hillier S. & Aponte, J. An application of structural family therapy for maternal substance use. [Going to submit to Journal of Family Therapy]

### REFEREED PRESENTATIONS

Indicates collaboration with a graduate student\*

#### National Presentations:

1. Chou, J., Diamond, R., Cooper-Sadlo, S., **Muruthi, B. A.** ( November, 2018). Maternal Substance Use And Structural Family Therapy. Workshop at the Association Of Marriage And Family Therapy Annual Conference, Louisville, Ky.
2. McCoy, M., **Muruthi, B. A.**, Farnham, A., \*Cockrill, J., & Bermudez, J.M. (October 2017). *Deconstructing older adult couple's sexual scripts*. Workshop at the Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
3. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Bermudez, M., & Farnham, A. (June 2017). *Decolonizing transnational intersectionality*. Workshop presented at the annual meeting of the American Family Therapy Academy, Philadelphia, PA.
4. Richardson, S.L., & **Muruthi, B. A.** (June 2017). *Contextual family therapy with Black immigrant families*. Workshop presented at the annual meeting of the American Family Therapy Academy, Philadelphia, PA.
5. **Muruthi, B. A.**, Watkins, K., McCoy, M., & Muruthi, J.R. (November 2016). *Transnationalism and family resource allocation for East African immigrant women*. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the Association for Financial Counseling and Planning Education, Louisville, KY.
6. **Abrams, B. A.**, Chou, J., Farnham, A., & Bermudez, M. (September, 2015). *Neither here nor there: Working with transnational immigrant families in marriage and family therapy*, Workshop presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, TX.
7. Bermudez, M., **Abrams, B. A.**, Jordan, L., & Stinson, M. (September, 2015). *Heading for a crisis? Narrative therapy as an intervention*, Workshop presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, TX.

8. Jordan, L., & **Abrams, B. A.** (June, 2014). *Building couple resilience in the face of poverty: An interpretation of the ambiguous loss model*. Poster Presentation at the annual meeting of the American Family Therapy Academy, Athens, GA.
9. Jordan, L. S., **Abrams, B. A.**, & Grogan, C. (November, 2014). *Encountering polyamory with a postmodern approach: Facilitating a multi-partner perspective in therapy*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Baltimore, MD.
10. Li, P., Johnson L., & **Abrams, B. A.** (September, 2013). *Depression, demand/withdraw behaviors and marital satisfaction*. Poster Presented at the annual meeting of the American Association of Marriage and Family, Portland, OR.
11. **Abrams, B. A.**, Bermudez, J. M., Stinson, M. A., & McCoy, M. (September, 2012). *Single Afro-Caribbean mothers parenting alone*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapists, Charlotte, NC.
12. Stinson, M. A., Bermudez, J. M., **Abrams, B. A.**, & McCoy, M. (September, 2012). *Intersectionality of Latinos, gender and conflict resolution*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapists. Charlotte, NC.
13. McCoy, M., **Abrams, B. A.**, Ford M., & Bermudez, M. (September, 2012). *Co-Constructing preferred money scripts through a contextual lens*. Workshop presented at the annual meeting of the Financial Therapy Association Conference, Columbia, MO.
14. Bermúdez, J.M., Stinson, M. **Abrams, B. A.**, & Zak-Hunter, L. (September, 2011). *Love and resiliency among single Mexican mothers*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Fort Worth, TX.
15. **Abrams, B. A.**, & Nancoo, C. (March, 2011). *Gender and constructions of “womanhood” in the diaspora: Afro-Caribbean women’s perceptions of racial identity in the US*. Panel presentation at the annual meeting of the National Counsel for Black Studies, Cincinnati, OH.

#### **Symposium Presented at National Meetings:**

1. **Abrams, B. A.**, & Chou, J. (November, 2014). *Changing perspectives in acculturation: Effective therapy practice with immigrant populations*. Symposium at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Baltimore, MD.
2. **Abrams, B. A.**, & Lewis, D.(February, 2013). *Global aging in a transient world: Family and interpersonal relations of elders in immigrant and transnational families*. Symposium at the annual meeting of the Society for Cross Cultural Research, Mobile, AL.

#### **Regional Presentations:**

1. **Abrams, B. A.** (2009 November). *Acculturation and its effect on Afro-Caribbean mother-daughter relationships*. Poster presented at the First Annual Graduate Research Forum, Miami University, Oxford, OH.
2. **Abrams, B. A.** (October, 2009). *Acculturation and its effect on Afro-Caribbean mother-daughter relationships*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Association of Social Work: Purpose & Possibility: Domestic and International Perspectives on Social Work, Columbus, OH.
3. Bush, K.R., **Abrams, B. A.**, Barrow, K., & Ormiston, L. (September, 2009). *Applied program evaluation in family studies and social work*. Poster presented at the Bicentennial Symposium on the Engaged University, Miami University, Oxford, OH.

#### **Invited presentations:**

1. **Muruthi, B. A.** (December, 2016). *Ethical considerations for immigrant families in transition and change training*. Department of Marriage and Family Therapy, Virginia Tech University, Falls Church, VA.
2. **Muruthi, B. A.** & Bermudez, J.M. (March, 2016). *Transnational immigrant families in marriage and family therapy*. North East Georgia Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Athens, GA.
3. Bermudez, J. M., Jordan, L., & **Muruthi, B. A.** (June, 2015). *From immobility to flexibility, strength, and stability: Creative applications of narrative therapy to crisis intervention*. Center for Community Engagement, Lewis & Clark University, Graduate School of Education and Counseling, Portland, OR.
4. **Muruthi, B. A.** (March, 2015). *Transnational intersectionality and family therapy considerations for immigrant families of African descent*. North-East Georgia Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Athens, GA.
5. **Abrams, B. A.** (June, 2014). *Addressing power and privilege in training and family therapy*. American Family Therapy Academy, Athens, GA.
6. Bermudez, J. M., & **Abrams, B. A.**, (November, 2012). *"Mejor sola que mal acompañada [Better alone than in bad company]": Strengths and challenges of Mexican-origin mothers parenting alone*. Department of Woman Studies, University of Georgia, Athens, GA.

#### **Conferences Invited to Attend:**

1. School of Public and International Affairs at Virginia Tech, International Refugee Research: Evidence for Smart Policy, Arlington Va., [2017]
2. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Research Conference, Alexandria,



VA., [2013]

3. Boot Camp for Aspiring MFT Professors. Brigham Young University, Provo, UT., [2011]

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **Undergraduate Teaching Miami University**

FSW/SOC 363: Sociology of Families

FSW 261: Diverse Families across the Life Cycle

#### **Graduate Teaching at Virginia Tech:**

HD 5514: Research Methods

HD 6514 Advanced Research Methods

#### **Graduate Teaching Mercer University:**

MFST 684: Family Therapy Interventions

MFST 686: Human Development across the Lifespan

MFST 696: Family Therapy Practicum

#### **Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Undergraduate Teaching at University of Georgia:**

CHFD 2950: Introduction to Child Development

CHFD 2100: Introduction to Family Development

#### **Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Undergraduate Teaching at Miami University:**

FSW 377/477: Independent Study Program Evaluation

FSW 551: Family Violence

### **SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE**

#### **Clinical Supervisor**

2016-current

Virginia Tech Family Therapy Program, Falls Church Va.

Duties: Individual supervisor for Master's level therapist, consultation and live supervision to Master's level therapists.

#### **Clinical Supervisor**

2015-2016

Mercer University Family Therapy Program, Macon, GA.

Duties: Individual supervisor for Master's level therapist, consultation and live supervision to Master's level therapists.

### **GRADUATE STUDENT ADVISING**

**Major Professor of Masters Thesis Advisees at Virginia Tech [Year of Graduation]:**

1. Katrina Taschman. Human Development and Family Sciences, Marriage and Family Therapy. *Parental deportation, loss, and family adaptation: how adults make sense of their childhood experiences*. [May 2018].
  - The Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration (SAMHSA) and The American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Minority Fellow [2016-2017]
2. Meagan Chevalier. Human Development and Family Sciences, Marriage and Family Therapy. *Addressing therapeutic alliance through critical race theory: bringing racism, white privilege color-blind racial attitudes forward*. [Expected graduation, May 2019].
  - Jean B. Duerr Memorial Scholarship Award based on academic achievement and community service [2016]
3. Kalyn Hendrickson. Human Development and Family Sciences, Marriage and Family Therapy. *Polyamorous couples and intimacy*. [Expected graduation, May 2019].

**Major Professor of Portfolios for (Non-Thesis) Masters at Virginia Tech [Year of Graduation]:**

1. Julia Cockrill. Human Development and Family Sciences, Marriage and Family Therapy. *Navigating Roles: A facilitator's manual for helping siblings with and without an intellectual and developmental disability navigate roles and non-traditional family*. [May 2018].
2. Caryn Crotty. Human Development and Family Sciences, Marriage and Family Therapy. *Examining Narratives: Family Therapy Modules for Strengthening Relationships between CODAs and their Deaf Parents*. [August 2018].
3. Laura Crane. Human Development and Family Sciences, Marriage and Family Therapy. *Using EI in Self-of-the-Therapist Work: A Handbook for Faculty of a Marriage and Family Therapy Program*. [September 2018].

**Member of Masters Committees at Virginia Tech [Year of Graduation]:**

1. Rachel Cheche, Marriage and Family Therapy [2017]
2. Rachel Policay, Marriage and Family Therapy [2017]
3. Lauren Goldschmidt, Marriage and Family Therapy [2017]
4. Gregory Linares, Marriage and Family Therapy [2017]
5. Ruth Jackson, Marriage and Family Therapy [2017]

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION AND SERVICE**

**Professional memberships:**

1. Professional Member, National Council on Family Relations [2011-current]
2. Student Member, American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy [2010-2016]
3. Clinical Fellow, American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy [2016-current]

4. Society for Prevention Research [2016-current]
5. American Public Health Association [2016-current]

### **Professional service**

1. Ad hoc reviewer *Journal of Family Relations*, [2016-present]
2. Ad hoc reviewer *Journal of Family Issues*, [2016- present]
3. Ad hoc reviewer *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, [2016- present]
4. Ad hoc reviewer *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*, [2016- present]
5. Ad hoc reviewer *Journal of Family Process*, [2016- present]
6. Ad hoc reviewer *Journal of Family Theory and Review*, [2016- present]
7. Ad hoc reviewer *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, [2016- present]
8. AAMFT Faith Based Refugee Work Group [2016-present]
9. National Council on Family Relations 75th Conference Proposal Reviewer [2015]
10. Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration, The Division of Grant Review [2015]
11. Apprentice Reviewer for the Journal of Marital and Family Therapy [2012]

### **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

1. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy / Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration Winter Training Institute: One week training on clinical work with diverse populations, substance use, and statistics, [2011-2015]
2. Center for Family Resilience Post-Doctoral Grant Writing Program, Oklahoma State University Center for Family Resilience: Six-month training on National Institute of Health grant writing procedures [2014]
3. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy / Substance Abuse Mental Health Service Administration Summer Training Institute: One week training on clinical work with diverse populations, substance use, and statistics, [2011]

### **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

#### **Clinician**

2016 – current

Mount Vernon Family Therapy, 1707 Belle View Blvd, Alexandria, VA 22307

Duties: family therapy with children, adolescents, families, and couples.

Supervisor: Kris Rosenthal (703) 869-2950

#### **Clinician**

2014 – 2015

Advantage, Child and Adolescent Clinic, Athens, GA 30605.

Duties: family therapy with children and adolescents, concentration in risk behaviors

Clinic Director: Laurie Wilburn (706) 389-6739, Coordinator: Joan Murphy (706) 369-6363

#### **Clinician**

2010 – 2015

Aspire Clinic, University of Georgia 210 McPhaul, Athens, GA 30602  
Director: Dr. Jerry Gale, Clinic Coordinator: Megan Ford (706) 542-4486  
Duties: Individual, couple, and family therapy, conducting co-therapy, concentration in substance abuse and risk behaviors.

Caseworker, Wrap Around Service Provider

2007- 2008

Lighthouse Youth Services, 401 E McMillan St, Cincinnati, OH 45206, (513) 221-3350

Duties: Mentor at risk children and adolescents

Crisis Intervention Specialist

2007- 2008

Women Helping Women, 215 E 9th St # 7, Cincinnati, OH 45202, (513) 977-5541

Duties: Counsel sexual assault survivors; facilitate sexual assault groups; court and hospital advocate

Community Organizer, Americorps

2006-2007

Price Hill Will, 3724 St Lawrence Ave, Cincinnati, OH 45205, (513) 251-3800

Duties: Organize community action teams; facilitate community meetings

Community Organizer, Americorps

2006-2007

Community Land Co-op, 727 Ezzard Charles Dr, Cincinnati, OH 45203, (513) 721-2522

Duties: Help to maintain sustainable housing; keep housing in the community