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#### **EDUCATION**:

INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY OF HUMAN SEXUALITY, San Francisco, CA

<u>Carol L. Clark, Ph.D. LMHC, CAP, (</u>

Doctor of Philosophy, 1997,

Dissertation: A comparison between sex offenders with mental retardation and with normal intelligence on six scales of interpersonal behavior.

**AMERICAN ACADEMY OF CLINICAL SEXOLOGISTS**, Washington, DC Graduated with Board Certification in Clinical Sexology, 1995

COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY (formerly Trenton State College), Trenton, N. J. Master of Arts Degree in Counseling, 1990

**COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY (formerly Trenton State College)**, Trenton, N. J. *Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology, 1988* Graduated Summa Cum Laude

### LICENSE & CERTIFICATIONS:

Licensed Mental Health Counselor, State of Florida, #MH0003233, 1993

Certified Addictions Professional, State of Florida, #1577, 1995

Sex Therapist under State of Florida Statute 491,

Diplomate and Board Certified Clinical Sexologist of the American Board of Sexology

Clinical Supervisor, State of Florida

Board Certified CEU Provider, State of Florida, #50-550/BAP585

**Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing**, Level II qualified, 2004, EMDRIA Certified 2013 **Board Certified Sex Therapist**, American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors, and Therapists 2010 **Board Certified Sex Therapist**, Therapist Certification Association, 2010

Board Certified Transgender Care Therapist, International Transgender Certification Association, 2011

### **PUBLICATION:** ADDICT AMERICA: The Lost Connection, 2011

### **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:**

#### Private Practice

Sex Therapist, Addictions Professional, and Mental Health Counselor

Provide individual and group therapy to transsexual and cross-dressing clients, sex addicts, and other individuals seeking treatment for sexual dysfunction. Provide psychotherapy to clients seeking counseling for general mental health issues.

#### Miami-Dade County Family Court Services

Social Investigation Consultant Conduct family evaluations using clinical interviews, observation, and gathering of information from ancillary sources; write an evaluative report including recommendations to the Court regarding parental timesharing and decision-making. Designated as expert witness.

ACF Counseling, Hialeah, FL Clinical Director

# 02/1995 - 2013

01/1997-present

10/1999-10/2004

06/1995-09/1997 & 10/1998-02/2001

Supervised all clinical staff providing substance abuse and mental health counseling to private clients and Federally mandated parolees. Provided treatment to sex offenders under Federal Probation and Parole.

#### Miami Dade County Dept. of Human Services **Office of Rehabilitative Services**

**Clinical Rehabilitation Services Counselor** 

Evaluated and referred clients seeking substance abuse treatment through the Central Intake Unit. . Worked with the Court Evaluation Unit filing 397 Petitions under the Marchman Act. Provided individual and group therapy to inmates of the Metro-West Detention Center who had been sentenced to the TASC Substance Abuse Program. Provided substance abuse education and therapeutic intervention and counseling to adolescents mandated to the Miami Halfway

House, a Level 6 placement within the Department of Juvenile Justice. Developed and implemented a comprehensive treatment and education program incorporating anger management, communications and coping skills, and relapse prevention. Provided family therapy and Increased family involvement to 90%. Developed pre- and post-tests for follow-up research.

#### Miami-Dade County Dept. of Corrections & Rehabilitation

Health & Welfare Counselor

Assess, evaluate, and refer to treatment those employees seeking assistance with problems affecting work performance. Provided crisis and short-term counseling to employees in need. Developed and implemented in-service training programs in areas including domestic violence and stress management. Provided clinical supervision for Health & Welfare Unit staff. Developed an assessment instrument for incarcerated juveniles and adults for treatment planning.

#### Spectrum Programs, Inc.

Substance Abuse Counselor

Provided outpatient group and individual therapy to clients with drug and alcohol problems. Client population included adults and adolescents, both mandatory and voluntary.

### Montanari Residential Treatment Center

Staff Counselor

Provided group and individual therapy to residents requiring a long-term treatment program. Client population included juvenile sex offenders and substance-involved individuals. Conducted research project with juvenile sex offender sample.

### **Broward County Child Protection Team**

Family Therapist I

Provided special assistance to HRS with child abuse investigations by conducting clinical interviews, family assessments, and assisting with medical exams. Provided crisis and short-term counseling to victims and families. Presented recommendations concerning abuse findings to the Court.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:**

#### Metro-Dade County Employee Substance Abuse Program

Program Administrator

This program was developed in response to a Federal mandate requiring the random drug/alcohol testing of all employees involved in public transportation. Responsibilities included creation and development of all program components; assessment, evaluation, and treatment recommendations for those employees who tested positive for drugs or alcohol; substance abuse education for employees;

## 05/1993-01/1994

#### 10/1991-11/1992

#### 01/1991-10/1991

01/1995-06/1995

#### 09/1997-10/1998

employee and supervisor training as required by the Federal mandate; and follow-up of those employees referred to treatment. Developed pre- and post-tests for follow-up qualitative research.

State of Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services 01/1994-01/1995 Juvenile Justice Coordinator, Alcohol, Substance Abuse, and Mental Health Monitored all Juvenile Justice funded programs, assisted in juvenile program development; represented ADM at all meetings and on committees regarding Juvenile Justice clients; monitored program providers; tracked delinguents through the legal system; trained program staff in assessment, treatment planning, and progress note-taking.

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

#### International Institute of Clinical Sexology

President, Instructor, and Supervisor:

This institute is licensed by the Florida Commission of Independent Education to offer a PhD in Clinical Sexology to healthcare providers holding a Master's degree in a healthcare-related field.

#### **Therapist Certification Association**

President

The board of counseling and education professionals for this association certifies healthcare professionals who have completed specialized education and experiential training in the various fields of study offered by Therapy Certification Training. These specializations include Substance and Behavioral Addiction, Sex Offender Treatment, Kink Conscious Therapy, and Hypnotherapy and Sexual Dysfunctions.

#### International Transgender Certification Association

President, Instructor, and Supervisor:

This training program educates and prepares Clinicians and other service providers for a specialization as a Transgender Care Therapy, Professional, or Specialist.

#### Sex Therapy Training Institute

President, Instructor, and Supervisor:

This training program educates and prepares Counselors, Social Workers and Psychologists for a specialization in Sex Therapy.

#### Addictions Therapy Training Institute

President, Instructor, and Supervisor:

This is a training program for Counselors, Nurses, Social Workers and Psychologists to become Certified Addiction Professionals in the State of Florida.

#### Matrix Addictions Training

Co-Owner, Vice President, and Instructor:

This was a training program for Counselors, Nurses, Social Workers and Psychologists to become Certified Addiction Professionals in the State of Florida.

#### Carlos Albizu University

Adjunct Professor in the Master's Program Group Counseling Substance Abuse Counseling Human Sexuality

#### 01/2016 to present

01/2012 to present

01/2012 to present

09/2009 to present

### 11/2007 to 12/2010

#### 07/1999 to 05/2016

## 01/2011 to present



#### Florida International University

Adjunct Professor Graduate Psychology Department: Human Sexuality

#### 07/2007-08/2007

#### Barry University

Adjunct Professor Adult School of Continuing Education: Human Sexuality

04/1999-08/2001

#### Workshops and Individual Classes

Addict America: The Lost Connection - Presents the concept of addiction to stimulation with the subsequent disruption in relationships and spiritual emptiness. Offers practical interventions and exercises to live in recovery that are relevant for everyone. Clinical Supervision - Developed for licensed, clinical professionals to meet the requirements to provide supervision to clinical interns in the State of Florida. Transgender Sensitivity Training – Developed for educating law enforcement, medical personnel, clergy, and others who come into professional contact with transgendered individuals. **Domestic Violence -** Developed for presentation for Continuing Education Credits Alcoholism and Substance Abuse - Dade Counseling Association, 1999 Women and Intimacy - Barry University, 1997 Dual Diagnosis - Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, 1995 Agape Women's Home, 1994 Sexuality and Addictions -Dept. of Children and Families, 1999 American Academy of Clinical Sexologists, 1996 Mt. Sinai Addictions Treatment Center, 1995 Barry University, 1996-99 St. Thomas University, 1997-98 Incest and Culture - Center for Innovative Programs, 1995 Assessment and Treatment Planning - Miami Institute of Psychology, 1994 Program Compliance with Florida Statute 10E-16 -

Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, 1994-95

Media and Professional Presentations

http://www.youtube.com/drcarolclark Carlos Albizu University – October 2011 Shining Through Book Store – October 2011 Dr. Mike Radio Show – January 2012 University of Central Florida Mental HealthCounseling Conference – February 2012 Bookstore in the Grove – February 2012

### PROFESSIONAL

MEMBERSHIPS:	American Mental Health Counseling Association
	American Academy of Sex Educators, Counselors, and Therapists (AASECT)
	World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH)
	Florida Alcohol and Drug Abuse Association
	Florida Mental Health Counseling Association
	Diplomate of the American Board of Sexology
	Society for the Advancement of Sexual Health
	Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing International Association

**REFERENCES:** Available upon request