

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- 1975 M.S.S. Graduate School of Social Work and Social Research, Bryn Mawr College Bryn Mawr, PA. Casework and Social Service Management
GSSWSR Scholarship
- 1972 B.S. University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT. Sociology
Department of Sociology, Highest Honors, Frost Memorial Award

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2022 – Present Associate Teaching Professor Emeritus, (Full-Time Retired); Associate Teaching Professor (Part-Time)
- 2019 – Present Associate Teaching Professor, University of Washington
- 2019 – 2022 Adjunct Associate Teaching Professor, UW Department of Health Systems and Population Health, UW School of Public Health
- 2018 – 2019 Senior Lecturer, School of Social Work, University of Washington
- 2018 – 2019 Adjunct Senior Lecturer, UW Department of Health Services, UW School of Public Health
- 1985- 2018 Lecturer, School of Social Work, University of Washington
- 1995- Present Field Faculty, School of Social Work, Office of Field Education, University of Washington
- 2012- 2019 Adjunct Lecturer, Department of Health Services, UW School of Public Health
- 2015-2018 Core Faculty, NL-SBIRT Interdisciplinary Training Grant, UW School of Social Work
- 1999-2009 Adjunct Lecturer, Maternal Child Health, UW School of Public Health
- 2007-2009 Co-Director of Practicum, School of Social Work, University of Washington
- 1983-1984 Clinical Field Instructor, School of Social Work, University of Tennessee, Memphis, TN.
- 1979-1980 Clinical Instructor, School of Social Work, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
- 1977-1978 Adjunct Instructor, College of Social Professions, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.

LICENSURES & CERTIFICATIONS

- 2000 - Present Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker, State of WA. (LW 00005307)
- 1978 - Present Academy of Certified Social Workers, NASW
- 1988-2000 Certified Social Worker – State of Washington.
- 2016 SBIRT Certification – 4 hour - Northwest Addiction Technology Transfer Center
- 2016 Motivational Interviewing – 12 Hour - University of Washington School of Social Work & King County Mental Health, Chemical Abuse and Dependency Services Division

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 9/19 – Present Assistant Director, Center for Integrative Oncology and Palliative Care, UW School of Social Work
- 9/11 – Present Co-Facilitator of CL Seminar and Co-Director – Carol LaMare Scholars Program, UWSSW

9/95 – 2021	Field Faculty, Field Placement Coordinator and Liaison, Office of Field Education, School of Social Work, University of Washington
9/95 – 2021	Concurrent MSW/MPH Field Advisor, UW School of Social Work
9/15 – 6/18	Core Faculty and Field Coordinator – Northwest Leaders in Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (NL-SBIRT) Interdisciplinary Training Grant – SAMHSA funded.
6/07 - 6/09	Co-Director of Office of Field Education, School of Social Work, University of Washington
3/07 – 6/07	Interim Director of Office of Field Education
4/87 - 6/95	Co-Investigator, Children’s Head Injury Outcome Study. Seattle Children’s Hospital; CDC Grant Funded, Seattle, WA.
7/85 - 6/87	Associate Director, Social Work Department, University of Washington Medical Center (UWMC); Seattle, WA.
9/82 - 12/84	Clinical Social Worker, Comprehensive Regional Hemophilia Clinic, Department of Hematology, University of Tennessee Center for the Health Sciences, Memphis, TN.
4/81 - 1/82	Family Therapist and Family Life Education Coordinator, Family Service of Memphis, Memphis, TN.
11/78 - 7/80	Chief Social Worker, Department of Primary Care, United States Public Health Service Hospital, Seattle, WA.
9/76 - 5/78	Director of Social Services, Appalachian Regional Hospital, Hazard, KY.
10/77 - 3/78	Adjunct Instructor, College of Social Professions, University of Kentucky, Off Campus-based Program, Hazard, KY.
6/75 - 7/76	Clinical Social Worker, Older Adult Program, United South End Settlements, Boston, MA.
9/74-5/75	Management Intern, Department of Social Work, Philadelphia Geriatric Center, Philadelphia, PA.
9/73-9/74	Casework Intern, The Children’s Aid Society, Philadelphia, PA.
3/7 1-9/72	Activity Group Therapist, The Children’s Center, Salt Lake City, UT.
7/70-2/71	VISTA Volunteer, Salt Lake City, UT.
6/69-9/69	Psychiatric Social Work Aide, Central State Hospital, Milledgeville, GA.

SCHEDULED AND UNSCHEDULED TEACHING AND TRAINING UWSSW

2022 – Present	Carol LaMare Integrative Seminar (SW 598-D)
2011 - Present	Carol LaMare Seminar on Oncology and Life Limiting Illness (SW598) With Taryn Lindhorst (biweekly through academic year).
1995 - Present	Field Education (SW523 Introduction to Field Education, SW524 Foundation Practicum, SW525 Advanced Practicum)
1995 – Present	Practicum Placement and Liaison (SW 524, SW525(Field Liaison with Students and Field Instructors – Average 80 Students/year as Primary Liaison since 1995 based on Full time Status.
2017 – 2018	NL-SBIRT Student Field Seminar with Ron Jackson Autumn and Spring Quarters
2016	NL-SBIRT Regional Conference – SBIRT Training for Field Instructors
2008 – 2014	Completed “mini-FI training” at VA Medical Center one or two times/year.
2008 - Present	Field - Instructor Trainings (conducted 2-3 times/year) (10 Modular Series) until 2016 when On-Line Field Instructor Training commenced
1995 – 2008	Field Instructor Orientations (conducted 3 X/year)
2003 – 2005	Field – Instructor Advanced Training in Advanced Supervision
2003 - 2008	Advanced Practice in Health Care - Prevention, Primary Care and Emergency Room Practice (SW540). First of two-quarter sequence
1998 – 2007	Practicum Instructor Orientation Series

1994 - 2007	Advanced Practice in Health Care I & II (SW 563/64), Two-quarter sequence advanced practice course for Health/Mental Health Concentration. School of Social Work, University of Washington.
1985-93	Assessing Reactions to Illness and Disability, (SW 543), required course for fulfilling certification in Health Care, School of Social Work, University of Washington.
1979-1980	Co-Facilitator, Psychiatry Seminar, UW General Internal Medicine Residency Program
1976-1978	Field Instructor, for 7 Distance-Program Students, University of Kentucky, Hazard, KY.
1976-1978	Integrative Field Seminar, Distance Students, Hazard Campus, University of Kentucky
1976 - present	As part of my positions in medical centers presented numerous formal lectures, seminars and psychosocial rounds to social workers, social service groups, community groups, interdisciplinary hospital staff and medical residents on a broad range of topics related to adjustment to illness or disability, loss and grief, working with patients who are challenging, parenting, child development, family functioning, communication skills, couple-communication, lifespan development, child abuse, aging, dementia, death and dying.

THESIS COMMITTEES, INDEPENDENT STUDIES AND CAPSTONE PROJECTS

1998 - Present	Independent Studies with MSW Students (SW599) – Average of 3 MSW Students/Year in primarily 1 credit projects on focused areas of Health Care.
2006	Capstone project Committee for 3 students in HIV Certificate Program.
2004 - 2005	MSW Thesis Committee (member)– Chris Anne Schmitz -“Dealing with breast cancer: Coping, household functioning and marital adjustment”
2003 - 2004	MSW Thesis Committee (member) - Charles Hoy Ellis - “The Lazarus syndrome: gay men, HIV/AIDS, & life after death”

PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES AND IN PEER REVIEWED AND IN-PRESS ARTICLES

- Tajima, E., McCowan, K., Lindhorst, T., Haggerty, H., **Rivara, J.** & Ramey, A. Promoting SBIRT training for social work students across field settings. *Journal of Social Work Practice in the Addictions*. 2018.
- Lindhorst, T., Ercin, H., Williams, M., **Rivara, J.** & Behar, L. Creating a specialized palliative care and oncology social work training program. *Journal of Social Work in End-of-Life and Palliative Care*. 2018.
- Rivara JM**, Jaffe KM, Polissar NL, Fay GC, Liao S, Martin KM. Predictors of family functioning and change 3 years after traumatic brain injury in children. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil*. 1996 Aug;77(8):754-64. PubMed PMID: 8702368.
- Massagli TL, Jaffe KM, Fay GC, Polissar NL, Liao S, **Rivara JB**. Neurobehavioral sequelae of severe pediatric traumatic brain injury: a cohort study. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil*. 1996 Mar;77(3):223-31. PubMed PMID: 8600862.
- Fay GC, Jaffe KM, Polissar NL, Liao S, **Rivara JB**, Martin KM. Outcome of pediatric traumatic brain injury at three years: a cohort study. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil*. 1994 Jul;75(7):733-41. PubMed PMID: 8024416.
- Rivara JB**, Jaffe KM, Polissar NL, Fay GC, Martin KM, Shurtleff HA, Liao S. Family functioning and children's academic performance and behavior problems in the year following traumatic brain injury. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil*. 1994Apr;75(4):369-79. PubMed PMID: 8172493.
- Polissar NL, Fay GC, Jaffe KM, Liao S, Martin KM, Shurtleff HA, **Rivara JB**, Winn HR. Mild pediatric traumatic brain injury: adjusting significance levels for multiple comparisons. *Brain Inj*. 1994 Apr;8(3):249-63. PubMed PMID: 8004083.
- McDonald CM, Jaffe KM, Fay GC, Polissar NL, Martin KM, Liao S, **Rivara JB**.

- Comparison of indices of traumatic brain injury severity as predictors of neurobehavioral outcome in children. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil.* 1994 Mar;75(3):328-37. PubMed PMID: 8129588.
- Rivara JB.** Family functioning following pediatric traumatic brain injury. *Pediatr Ann.* 1994 Jan;23(1):38-44. PubMed PMID: 8152863.
- Rivara JB, Jaffe KM, Fay GC, Polissar NL, Martin KM, Shurtleff HA, Liao S.** Family functioning and injury severity as predictors of child functioning one year following traumatic brain injury. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil.* 1993 Oct;74(10):1047-55. PubMed PMID: 8215855.
- Fay GC, Jaffe KM, Polissar NL, Liao S, Martin KM, Shurtleff HA, **Rivara JM, Winn HR.** Mild pediatric traumatic brain injury: a cohort study. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil.* 1993 Sep;74(9):895-901. PubMed PMID: 8379832.
- Jaffe KM, Massagli TL, Martin KM, **Rivara JB, Fay GC, Polissar NL.** Pediatric traumatic brain injury: acute and rehabilitation costs. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil.* 1993 Jul;74(7):681-6. PubMed PMID: 8328886.
- Jaffe KM, Fay GC, Polissar NL, Martin KM, Shurtleff HA, **Rivara JM, Winn HR.** Severity of pediatric traumatic brain injury and neurobehavioral recovery at one year--a cohort study. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil.* 1993 Jun;74(6):587-95. PubMed PMID: 8503748.
- Rivara JB, Fay GC, Jaffe KM, Polissar NL, Shurtleff HA, Martin KM.** Predictors of family functioning one year following traumatic brain injury in children. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil.* 1992 Oct;73(10):899-910. PubMed PMID: 1417464.
- Jaffe KM, Fay GC, Polissar NL, Martin KM, Shurtleff H, **Rivara JB, Winn HR.** Severity of pediatric traumatic brain injury and early neurobehavioral outcome: a cohort study. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil.* 1992 Jun;73(6):540-7. PubMed PMID: 1622302.

OTHER PUBLISHED MATERIAL

- Sheets C, Watson T, Brandeis L, **Rivara J.** (2012). Education for health care social work practice in the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). In Spitzer @ (2012) Education for Health Care Social Work Practice: Issues and Directions. Petersburg, VA: The Dietz Press.
- Carrigan L, **Rivara J.** Maintaining health/mental health internships in turbulent times: from the school's perspective. *Continuum Society Social Work Leaders in Health Care.* 2000 Jul-Aug;20(4):19-21. PubMed PMID: 11184544.

GRANTS

- 2015 Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral and Treatment (SBIRT) Training Program. U.S. Department of Social and Health Services, Health Resources Administration (\$600,000). Role: Core Faculty & Field Coordinator
- 1993 Outcome of Closed Head Injury in Childhood. Centers for Disease Control, #R49-CCR002299/7, Principal Investigator, June 1993-May 1995. Award: \$123,446.
- 1990 Pediatric Head Injury: A Longitudinal Cohort Study. Centers for Disease Control, #R49-CCR002299/04-06. June 1990-May 1993. Award: \$750,000. Co-Investigator.
- 1987 Outcome of Closed Head Injury in Childhood. Centers for Disease Control, #R49-CCR002299/01-03, April 1987-March 1990. Award: \$525,815 Co-Investigator

PEAR REVIEWED AND INVITED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 Haggerty, K., Lindhorst, T., McCowan, K., Lafazia, A., **Rivara, J.**, Tajima, E., Jackson, R. & Schack, S. "Creating Relevant Excellence: SBIRT Training in Partnership with the County's Public Behavioral Health and Recovery Division and the School of Social Work. Society for Social Work and Research. Washington, D.C.

- 2015 Lindhorst, T., Behar, L. **Rivara, J.** “Creation of a Specialized Oncology/Palliative Social Work Training Program.” Association of Oncology Social Workers, Seattle, WA, May, 2015, Seattle, WA.
- 2001 **Rivara J,** Carrigan L. “Passing the torch: Inspiring vision and voice in supervising students in the field”. Invited workshop presenter” 25th anniversary – NASW WA State Chapter. March 15, 2001, Tukwila, WA.
- 10/99 **Rivara J,** Pomerico M. “Spawning the next generation: Practicum instruction in a perinatal setting. Invited workshop Presenter. National Association of Perinatal Social Workers, May 19-22, 1999, Seattle, WA.
- 5/98 **Rivara JB.** “Family outcomes following traumatic brain injury”. Poster presentation: Fourth World Conference on Injury Prevention and Control, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 10/94 **Rivara JB.** “Family Functioning: Its Role as a Predictor of Family and Child Outcomes in the First 3 Years Following Childhood TBI”. Fourth Conference of the International Association for the Study of Traumatic Brain Injury. St Louis, MO.
- 11/90 **Rivara JB.** “Family Functioning One Year Following Head Injury in Children.” 52nd Annual Assembly, American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. San Antonio, TX.
- 12/89 **Rivara JB.** “Family Functioning Three Months Following Head Injury in Children.” Eighth Annual Symposium, National Head Foundation. Chicago, Illinois.
- 11/89 **Rivara JB.** “Family Functioning Three Months Following Head Injury in Children.” 51st Annual Assembly, American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.
- 10/88 **Rivara JB.** “Psychosocial Aspects of Chronic Illness.” Arthritis Foundation of British Columbia. Annual Professional Conference. Vancouver, B. C.
- 4/87 **Rivara JB.** “Childhood Injuries: A Red Flag For Family and Environmental Distress.” 22nd Annual Meeting of the Society of Hospital Social Work Directors. Orlando, Florida.
- 10/83 **Rivara J.** “Coping with Hemophilia,” Board of Directors, Memphis Area Chapter, National Hemophilia Foundation, Memphis, TN.
- 5/83 **Rivara J.** “Parental Adjustment,” Annual Conference National Hemophilia Foundation, Memphis, TN.
- 11/78 **Rivara J.** “The Social Work Generalist in Rural Health Care: A Training Model,” First Annual Conference, Social Work and Health Care, Seattle, WA.
- 5/77 **Rivara J.** “Identifying Families with Parenting Problems,” Kentucky Welfare Association Annual Conference, Hindman, KY.

COMMUNITY SERVICE (1995-Present)

UW School of Social Work (*elected)

- 2018 – 2021 Recruitment and Promotion Committee
- 2018 - 2021 Co-Chair – Health Care Concentration
- 2003 - 2021 Field Lead – Health Care Concentration
- 2015 – 2018 Advisory Committee – Northwest Leaders in Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
- 2015 – 2021 Advisory Board – Northwest Leaders in Behavioral Health Program (NLBHP) – School of Public Health.
- 2010 – 2021 Coordinated Process for Competitive Placements; arranged and facilitated meetings with students and coordinated Competitive Placement Processes at SCH, UWMC, Swedish, Later added SBIRT in 2015.
- 2010 – 2020 Provide consultation in the resubmission of Interdisciplinary Training Grants including our students at Seattle Children’s Hospital: Pediatric Pulmonary Center and Leadership Education for Adolescent Health.

2000 - 2021 Faculty Advisor/Mentor to 8-10 Foundation MSW Students/Year

2000 - 2021 Health and Mental Health Concentration Working Faculty Group

1998 - 2021 Brown Bag Winter/Spring Series for Advanced Health and Mental Health Concentration Students

1997 - 2021 Faculty Advisor to MSW/MPH Concurrent Students in the UW School of Social Work and in the US Department of Health Services, UW School of social Work
Conduct fall informational meeting and mentoring to 2-6 in each cohort student/year. In 2018 have 16 students in 3 cohorts. Plan average of 3 social gatherings per year for all students to connect.

1997 – 2021 Coordinate writing and revisions each year of the MSW/MPH Overview written handouts and Website Information with SSW Students Services and COPHP, Department of Health Services and Department of Global Health at the UWSSW.

1998 – 2021 Organize and facilitate Fall Information Session for new SSW students on Concurrent program in Social Work and Public Health

1998 – 2021 Write average of 12 letters of reference for students applying for scholarships, summer internships, doctoral program or jobs. Served as reference for many MSW students in H/MH Concentrations for jobs following graduation.

2015 - 2018 NL-SBIRT – Planning and Implementation Committee

2014 - 2016 MSW Admissions Committee

2012 - 2013 Collaborated with Student Services in writing section on resume development for SSW website.

2012 – 2013 Revision of Field Instructor Modular Series – Co-revised Module 4, 9, 10 to begin upcoming Online Field Instructor Training (FIT).

2011 – 2018 Served as Lead for OFE Advanced Placement Team for Placement Rounds

2011 – 2017 Admissions Committee

2011 – 2013 Worked with Associate Dean of Curriculum to begin a course a the SSW on Social Work Practice with Veterans. And Also in finding Classroom teacher for Community Mental Health Course for Spring quarter 2013 (identified and facilitated meeting with SW from Harborview working with the High Utilizer Program.

2010 - 2012 Member of Faculty Recruitment Committee – for recruitment of 2 Assistant Professors.

2008 – 2010 SSW Disability Committee

2009 - 2011 Faculty Council - Elected (*)

2009 - 2011 FC – Subcommittee on Standing Committees

2007 - 2009 MSW /Steering Committee: (*) – Voting Member – Subcommittee on Determination of Practicum Start; EPAS Competency Taskforce (both Large and small).

2008 Represent OFE at 2008 NW Field Coordinators consortium at Eastern Washington University 1/29-1/30/2008

2007 - 2008 EDP Extended Degree Program Task Force

2007 – 2009 EDP Health/Mental Health Concentration Committee

2007 - 2009 EDP Task Group EDP Health/Mental Health Concentration Workgroup

2007 - 2009 MSW Steering Committee (*)

2007 - 2008 Program Director Committee – in role as Interim and Co-Director

2007 – 2008 Practicum Advisory Council - in role as Co-Director

2007 - 2008 Represented OFE team as Interim Director at NW Field Coordinator’s Consortium BYU, Utah 2/1-2/06

2006 Coordinated OFE teams planning of NW Field Coordinators Consortium at UWSSW 4/27-28.

2005 Represented OFE at NW Consortium Practicum Coordinators meeting at Walla Walla College 3/31/05-4/1/05. Arranged for UW SSW to host in spring 2006.

2005 - 2007 SSW Distinguished Alumni Committee: Faculty Chair.

2005 Ad-hoc Sub-Committee of Executive Committee on Work-Load credit representing OFE interests.

2005 - Present	Coordinated with Seattle Children's Hospital for SSW to write support letters every 2 years for their first ACA Oncology Training Grant resulting in stipend for MSW students. Renewals since have resulted in the training of 7 students.
2005	Helped recruit students to participate in an interdisciplinary training video on chronic illness.
2005	Member of Clinical Faculty Planning Committee for developing training videos for MSW students.
2004 – 2005	SSW Planning and Design Team.
2004 – 2005	On Faculty Council – Subcommittee to make recommendation for Promotion of two Clinical Faculty Appointments to Clinical Assistant Professor.
2004 – 2005	Co-developed document with 3 other faculty for SSW Development Office to outline Health Care Concentration data and proposed needs for a \$50,000 donation to SSW for focused area in Health Care.
2004 – 2005	Co-organized with Development Office and the VA SW Department Director a “Field Trip” for UW President and Dean of SSW a trip to VA Puget Sound Medical Center. Accompanied and toured
2003 – 2005	Faculty Council - Elected (*)
2003 – 2005	SSW Clinical/Contextual (C/C) Committee for Curriculum Planning – New curriculum
2003 – 2005	One of 3 Clinical/Contextual faculty to meet for information sessions to applicants at SSW and also to students in the program around this new concentration.
2003 – 2005	Participated on committee on CSWE Practicum Preparation and Formal Accreditation.
2003 - 2014	Field Lead – Health/Mental Health Concentrations
2002 – 2003	Worked with Development Office to identify list of all Alum in past 5 years and sent survey regarding interest in becoming FI's (leading to 15 new field sites).
2000 – 2001	Curriculum Action Team – Subcommittee on Practice
2000 - 2010	Faculty Representative (one of three) on Student- Disability Committee
2000 – 2001	Admissions Committee
1997 – 2005	Student Appreciation Awards Event
1998 - 2001	Educational Outreach Committee
1998 – 2001	Continuing Education Committee
1998 - 2001	Disability Committee
1997 – 1998	Search Committee – Evening Practicum Coordinator .
1995 - 1996	Distance Learning Committee
1995 - 1996	Admission Committee

UW Health Sciences

1997 – 2021t	In my role as Faculty Advisor for MSW/MPH Concurrent Students I, I initiate and coordinate with student service Director and the MSW Program Directors office from the SSW, and Faculty and Staff from the Department of Health Service and the Department of Global Health around annual fall “information sessions” at the School of Social Work. I attend student events; Capstone Presentations and Thesis Presentations and attempt to proactively address and troubleshoot anticipated challenges with my School of Public Health colleagues.
2016	Admissions Committee - Department of Health Services, School of Public Health
2013 - 2017	IPE SW Health Faculty Group for Foundation Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Schools. Participated in monthly groups with OPE Faculty Leading Large IPE Student Sessions. Coordinated 10 VA Social Work /students and 10 VA Staff to participate. This session was recognized with an UW PR article in the Forum.
2013 - 2015	SSW Faculty Sponsor for Interdisciplinary Student IPE Institute for Health Care Improvement (IHI) Open School (OS)Chapter. Recruited 3 students to participate from SSW

2011 Search Committee to School of Public Health for Student Services Director: Provided consultation on Practicum Reorganization after appointment to new Director

2009 - 2010 Advisory member and unpaid consultant on UW/Harborview head injury grant.

2007 - 2012 Health Sciences Schools - Committee Member on Concurrent Programs with School of Public Health.

2004 - 2007 SW Faculty Representative of HS Interdisciplinary Project at Aloha Inn Clinic

2006 Capstone project Committee for 3 students for 3 students in HIV Certificate Program.

2005 – 2006 Co-chair of Planning Group for Health Science Lecture presented by Barbara Majors – on Bring New Orleans s Back Commission.

2004 - 2005 SSW Faculty Sponsor for HRSA Interdisciplinary Grant for Leadership Conference

2003 - 2005 Interdisciplinary Training Faculty for Quentin Burdick Interdisciplinary Rural Health Program

2002 - 2005 Interdisciplinary Ad Hoc committee composed of faculty from Health Sciences Schools to strategize on recruitment of students into the InterProfessional Courses offered by the Health Sciences

1996 - 1998 MSW/MPH Group Ad-hoc group member.

1996 - 1998 Social Workers in Public Health Planning Committee

Wider Community

2011 - 2014 Community Advisory Board – NAVOS

2009 - 2012 Benefits in my home for NAVOS, Statewide Poverty Action Network

2002 - 2004 Harborview Medical Center Auction – Committee Chair.

2001 - 2003 Crisis Clinic Fundraising Committee and Annual Benefit

2001 - 2002 NASW – WA Chapter – Nominations Committee

1998 - 2002 AMIGOS de las Americas - Benefit Event Planning Committee

1996 - 2001 Editorial Board, Journal of Pediatric Rehabilitation.

1997 Amigos de las Americas Benefit Chair

1997 Crisis Clinic Board – Fundraising and Annual Benefit, Chair.

1995 Consultation to Department of Social Work, University Hospital on competency requirements for JCAH review

1991 Guest lecturer. Research in the human services. Lakeside School Mathematics Department.

1989 - 1990 State task force on head injury in children. WA State Department of Social and Health Services.

1989 National Head Injury Foundation Annual Meeting. Chicago Illinois Task force on the Family.

1988 - 1995 Washington State Head Injury Foundation. Professional Chapter.

1989 - 1992 Epiphany School. Parent Association President. Board of Directors

1986 Society of Social Work Directors in Health Care, Washington State Chapter. Annual State Educational Conference: Conference Planning Committee, 1986.

1985 - 1987 Health Care Concentration Field Instructors’ Group (group of field instructors representing health care organizations used by the School of Social Work as practicum sites). Co-Chair, 1986-1987.

1984 Invited speaker. Elementary School Teachers, Memphis, TN. “Chronic Disorders: The Child with Hemophilia.”

1982 -1984 National Hemophilia Foundation. Board of Directors.Memphis Chapter.

1983 Invited Speaker. Board of Directors, Memphis Area Chapter, National Hemophilia Foundation, Memphis, TN. “Coping with Hemophilia.”

1981 Invited Workshop Speaker. Planned Parenthood of Tennessee, Memphis, TN. “Dealing with the Difficult Client.”

1980 Invited speaker. North Seattle Community College, Seattle, WA. “Assessment Techniques - Child Abuse and Neglect.” Sociology Class.

4/78 Invited speaker. Department of Human Services Staff Development Session, Hazard, KY. "Child Abuse The World of Abnormal Rearing."
1977 Invited speaker, Hazard Community College, Hazard, KY. "Assessment of Child Abuse and Neglect," Sociology Class.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2018 – Present Social Work Hospice and Palliative Care Network (SWHPN)
2020 - Present Coalition of HealthCare Social Workers (CHSW-WA)
2010 - Present Washington State Society of Clinical Social Workers (WSSCSW)
1978 – Present Academy of Certified Social Workers
1975 - Present National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
2010 - 2021 Washington State Society for Social Work Leaders in Health Care

1978-80, 85-87 Society of Hospital Social Work Directors
1988 - 1995 Washington State Head Injury Foundation.
1982 - 1984 National Hemophilia Foundation

SELECTED AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

1997-2010 Elected by MSW students to "Hood" at Graduation for 9 of 13 years
2003 Nominated for UWSSW End of Year Teaching Award
2000 National Association of Social Work – Washington Chapter – "*Social Work Educator of the Year*"
1987 Society for Social Work and Research - Honorable Mention for Research Paper "Predictors of family functioning and change 3 years after traumatic brain injury in children".