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EDUCATION

Texas Tech University 2007

Doctor of Philosophy

Marriage and Family Therapy

Dissertation Title: Addressing culture in therapy: A multiple case study

Texas Tech University 2004

Master of Science

Marriage and Family Therapy

Baylor University 2001

Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Science

Major: Child and Family Studies

Laredo Community College 1999

Associate of Arts

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant professor of Graduate Counseling

Indiana Wesleyan University

2007- present

Classes: Human Development; Foundations of MFT; MFT I, II & III: Theories of Marriage and Family Therapy; Internship supervision.

TEACH Fellow

2006-2007

Texas Tech University

The Teaching Enrichment and Career Enhancement (TEACH) program is a competitive, university-based program established to help graduate students improve their teaching skills. I was one of 2 fellows in the College of human Sciences. Under the TEACH program, I attended seminars on classroom and teaching related subjects, had my teaching observed, created a teaching portfolio, and conducted a research project to improved the course I was teaching.

Graduate Teaching Instructor (2 sections)

2006-2007

Texas Tech University

Taught a course on Communication, Civility and Ethics. As a course instructor, I lecture, prepare PowerPoint presentations, create and give assignments, as well as grade students' work. For this particular course, I created a web-based WebCT course to supplement in-class interaction and materials.

Graduate Teaching Instructor
Texas Tech University
Course Manual

Summer 2006

Created a course manual for the Communication, Civility and Ethics course. In creating the manual, I researched similar courses, searched for additional readings to supplement the text, included brief summaries, discussion questions and activities for each reading as well as external resources (videos, websites, articles, etc.) for the instructor. This manual is currently being used by instructors teaching the 10 sections of this course.

Graduate Teaching Assistant (J. Maria Bermudez, Ph.D.)
Texas Tech University

Fall 2004

Assisted Dr. Bermudez in teaching a course on Cultural Diversity. My responsibilities as a TA included preparing PowerPoint presentations, occasionally lecturing, and leading group discussions.

Instructor

2002-2004

Parenting through Change

Led several full courses in Lubbock and surrounding communities. Taught a 14 week psycho-educational course for Hispanic single mothers in Lubbock and surrounding communities within a 110-mile radius. As an instructor, I lectured in English and Spanish using a program manual, led group discussions and practicing activities. I translated a parent's manual for this course from English to Spanish.

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES/COMMITTEES

Search Committee Member for Assistant Dean of
School of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Business
Indiana Wesleyan University

2010

Cultural Competency Subcommittee
Indiana Division of Mental Health and Addictions

2009

College of Graduate Studies Technology Committee
Indiana Wesleyan University

2008

Graduate Assessment Task Force
Indiana Wesleyan University

2008

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Primary Investigator

2008-present

Building a Foundation for Culturally Sensitive Counseling: A phenomenological study of the perceptions of three African American and Hispanic Communities

Developed and implement a research project in collaboration with Shepherd's Community Center in Indianapolis, IN.

Focus Group Leader

2006

Congreso Internacional de Investigación en Prevención y Atención al Maltrato Infantil: Modelos Colaborativos de Intervención con Familias en Crisis
Monterrey, NL. Mexico

Facilitated focus groups in Spanish. The focus groups were geared towards acquiring information on the experiences and needs of mental health providers in Mexico.

Research Assistant (Richard S. Wampler, Ph.D.)

2005-2006

Texas Tech University

Assisted Dr. Wampler on a variety of research projects including gathering and analyzing data from a parenting program geared specifically towards a low SES Hispanic population, and a community based in-home therapy project geared towards low SES, minority at-risk adolescents and their families.

Research Assistant (J. Maria Bermudez, Ph.D.)

2004-2005

Texas Tech University

Worked on research focused on Hispanic couples, specifically looking at conflict resolution styles in the Hispanic population. I recruited and scheduled interviews of Hispanic women for a qualitative study looking at the meanings of parenting for low SES Hispanic single mothers. I later transcribed all 20 interviews some of which some of them were conducted in Spanish.

Filial Therapy Project (Karen Wampler, Ph.D.)

2003

Texas Tech University

I was trained in filial therapy. I conducted meta-emotion interviews with parents prior to starting filial therapy sessions, gathered information of parent-child interaction during sessions and conducted post-session interviews.

Research Assistant (Richard S. Wampler, Ph.D., & J. Maria Bermudez, Ph.D.)

2002-2004

Texas Tech University

Parenting Through Change

Parenting through Change is a 14-week parenting program for divorced or never-married mothers which was being adapted for Hispanic women. As a research assistant, my responsibilities included: promoting and recruiting for a funded research project geared towards Hispanic single mothers, giving assessments, interviewing, teaching parenting courses, and translating teaching materials from English to Spanish. I also coordinated assessments and classes with extension service agents in surrounding communities.

PUBLICATIONS

Bermúdez, J.M., **Reyes, N.A.**, & Wampler, K. (2006). Conflict resolution styles among Latino couples. *Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy*, 5, 1-21.

Maldonado-Molina, M., **Reyes, N.A.**, & Espinosa-Hernandez, M.G. (2006). Latino Families: Cultural and Methodological Considerations for Prevention Research. *Family Relations*, 55, 403-414.

Aguirre, C., Bermúdez, J.M., Parra Cardona, J.R., Zamora, J.A. & **Reyes, N.A.** (2003). The process of integrating language, context, and meaning: the voices of bilingual and bicultural therapists in Rastogi, M. and Wieling, E. Eds. *Voices of Color: first-person accounts of ethnic minority therapists*.

PRESENTATIONS

Justice, J., & **Reyes, N.A.**, Rosenberger, J. (October, 2009). *Respecting all learning styles: Effective Teaching for higher education*. Roundtable presentation at the 2009 Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference in San Diego, California.

- Bermúdez, J. M., Zak-Hunter, L., Branchetti, K., Silva, L., & Dunn, C., & **Reyes, N.** (October, 2009). *Culturally Responsive Parenting Classes*. Poster presentation at the AAMFT National Conference in Sacramento, California.
- Justice, J., & **Reyes, N.A.** (March, 2009). *Effective Teaching for higher education: Creative techniques to meet all learning styles*. Workshop presentation at the 2009 Mid-West Scholars Conference in Indianapolis, Indiana.
- Reyes, N.A.** (November, 2008). *Putting cultural research into practice: Understanding and overcoming barriers in serving the Hispanic community*. Workshop presentation at the 2008 Latino Behavioral Health Summit, Fort Wayne, Indiana.
- Reyes, N.A.,** & Wampler, R.S. (October, 2008). *Addressing Culture in Therapy: A multiple case study*. Poster presentation at the 2008 AAMFT National conference, Memphis, Tennessee.
- Wampler, R., Wilkins, E., **Reyes, N.A.,** & Aguirre, C. (November, 2007). *Working with traumatized families in the community*. Workshop presentation at the 2007 NCFR National conference, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
- Reyes, N.A.,** Aguirre, C. & Wampler, R. (October, 2006). *Parenting Interventions: Overcoming Participant and Community Barriers*. Poster presentation at the 2006 AAMFT National conference, Austin, Texas.
- Reyes, N.A.,** Lee, K., & Bean, R. (October, 2006). *Ethnicity: Parenting behaviors and adolescent outcomes*. Poster presentation at 2006 AAMFT national conference, Austin, Texas.
- Aguirre, C., **Reyes, N.A.,** & Wampler, R. (November, 2005). *Parenting Interventions: Overcoming Participant and Community Barriers*. Poster presentation at the 2005 NCFR National conference, Phoenix, Arizona.
- Reyes, N.A.,** & Wampler, R. (October, 2005). *Single Hispanic Mothers Participation in Parenting Groups*. Poster presentation at the 2005 AAMFT National conference in Kansas City, Missouri.
- Bean, R., Bermúdez, M., Drew, F., & **Reyes, N.A.** (January, 2005). *Increasing your cultural excellence*. Workshop presentation at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy 32nd Annual Conference.
- Aguirre, C., Wampler, R. S., Bermúdez, J. M., **Reyes, N. A.,** & Gutierrez, M. A. (November, 2003). *Latina mothers parenting alone*. Poster presented at the meeting of the 2003 National Council on Family Relations, Vancouver, British Columbia.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Therapist Intern
Children's Advocacy Center of the South Plains

2006

The Children's Advocacy Center (CAC) serves abused children and their non-offending family members. As a therapist, I conducted weekly sessions with families in English and Spanish, lead a children's therapy group, participated in staffing meetings, and collaborated with partner agency professionals.

Therapist

Parent Empowerment Project

2005-2006

Texas Tech University

The Parent Empowerment Project (PEP) focuses on providing in-home and in-school therapy to low SES, at-risk adolescents and their families living in a largely Hispanic community. As a PEP therapist, I provided therapeutic services to both English and Spanish-speaking families on a weekly basis. In these sessions, I worked with a parent educator from the community to coordinate therapy and support services. I accompanied families to speak to school personnel and juvenile court employees, consulted and worked with probation officers, facilitated meetings with school counselors, and conducted assessments for research purposes.

Children's Therapist

2005-2006

Women's Protective Services

Women's Protective Services (WPS) is a non-profit organization that provides services for women and their families who have been victims of domestic violence. I provided therapeutic services at the WPS's shelter with both resident and non-resident families. I conducted family and individual sessions in English and Spanish. I also, conducted weekly child and adolescent therapy groups.

Therapist

2003

Filial Therapy Project (Karen Wampler, Ph.D.)

Texas Tech University

The filial project was a grant-supported research project that had a therapeutic element which focused on providing filial skills to parents of young children. After being trained in filial therapy, I conducted weekly filial therapy sessions with parents in which I taught parents filial skills, observed parent-child interactions and provided support.

Therapist

2003-2005

Texas Tech University Family Therapy Clinic

The Texas Tech University Family Therapy Clinic (FTC) is a university based clinic which provides therapeutic services to university students and the community. In my work at the FTC, I provided therapy for a diverse type of clientele. I provided individual, couple and family therapy on a weekly basis.

Instructor

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Therapist

2002-2003

Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program

Texas Tech University

The Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program (JJAEP) is a local military style school for adolescents who have a variety of offences such as running away, behavioral problems at school, drugs and assault charges. In my work at JJAEP, I provided on-site therapeutic services for students.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Council on Family Relations Supporting Member	2002-present
American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Supervisor in training Associate Member	2003-present 8/2006-present
Indiana Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Associate Member	2008- present
Texas Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Student Member	2003-2007
Texas Tech Student Association of Marriage and Family Therapy President Vice-President Student Member	2002-2007 2004-2005 2003-2004
Association of Counselor Education and Supervision	2009-present
American Counselor Association	2008-present

HONORS

TEACH fellow	2006-2007
Teaching Portfolio Award Recipient	Fall 2006
TEACH project Award Recipient	Spring 2007
Health & Social Services Fellowship	2002-2003; 2004-2005; 2005-2006, 2006-2007
Kara Dunn Scholarship	2004-2005
National Hispanic Fund Scholarship	2004-2005
Constance Bishop Goodwin Memorial Endowed Scholarship	2005-2006; 2006-2007
Texas Youth Hall of Fame (The Salvation Army)	1999
Alpha Chi Honor Society	2000
Golden Key Honor Society	2000
Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society	1998