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**PROFILE:** Social work supervisory experience utilizing my skills from private practice, clinical social work, staff supervision and appraisals, program development and leadership. Masters degree and New York State Licensure in Clinical Social Work, "R" Privilege

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

***Private practice; integrative mental health and addictions treatment; clinical supervision; program development; case management; public speaking; freelance writing; employee assistance.***

- Providing group, individual, couples, family, and adolescent treatment for substance use disorders, Mood Disorders and Personality Disorders.
- Performing morning rounds, case assignments, and staff supervision.
- Treating adolescents, adults and families in both inpatient and outpatient settings.
- Managing Intensive Outpatient, Day Treatment, Ambulatory Detoxification, Harm Reduction, and MICA programs.
- Monitoring compliance with regulatory agencies including OMH, OASAS, CMS, Medicare and Medicaid.
- Participating member of QA-PI (Quality Assurance-Performance Improvement) committee.
- Conducting staff performance appraisals, hiring, disciplinary, and termination procedures.
- Developing and managing clinical programs for treatment facilities and HMO's.
- Public speaking and media consulting.
- MCO/Insurance Behavioral Health and Medical Case Management, Medicare Waste, Fraud and Abuse Prevention; Crisis Intervention; Event Coordination; Care Plans.
- Writing published articles and book reviews as subject matter expert on addictions and mental health.
- Planning, presenting & developing NASW Addictions Institute Conference in New York, NY.

<b><u>Expert Witness, Addictions and Mental Health</u></b>	<b><u>(2016 – Present)</u></b>
<b><u>Private Practice</u></b>	<b><u>(1993 – Present)</u></b>
<b><u>Award Winning Mental Health and Addictions Author, Editor and Contributing Writer</u></b>	<b><u>(2011 – Present)</u></b>
<b><u>Contractor at CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention)</u></b>	<b><u>(2014 – 2015)</u></b>
<b><u>Healthfirst</u></b>	<b><u>(2012 - 2013)</u></b>
<b><u>St. Vincent's Hospital: The Maxwell Institute Addiction Treatment</u></b>	<b><u>(2006 - 2012)</u></b>
<b><u>Harris Rothenberg International</u></b>	<b><u>(2004 – 2006)</u></b>
<b><u>Full-time Private Practice</u></b>	<b><u>(1996 – 2004)</u></b>
<b><u>U.S. Naturalization and Immigration Organizational Development Communications and Trainer</u></b>	<b><u>(1996 – 1997)</u></b>
<b><u>The Washton Institute on Addictions</u></b>	<b><u>(1993 – 1996)</u></b>
<b><u>Continuum Health Partners: Beth Israel and St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital Centers</u></b>	<b><u>(1987 – 1993)</u></b>

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN ADVERTISING AND MARKETING

Communications/copywriting; sales/marketing; campaign development; pre/post-production responsibilities.

- Creating television, radio, and print campaigns for corporate accounts (including alcohol brands, pharmaceuticals, consumer products and services and pro bono campaigns targeted at diverse demographics) at internationally renowned advertising agency.
- Production work on film edits, shoots, and recordings.
- Writing and marketing advertising campaigns.
- New business pitches and marketing presentations.
- Computer literacy skills.

Saatchi & Saatchi Advertising

(1979 – 1985)

Bloomingdale's; Paul Stuart

(1985 – 1987)

## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
- Psychology Today
- The Expert Institute
- Employee Assistance Professionals Association (EAPA)
- Addictions Institute Planning Committee, NASW New York City Chapter
- International Association of Healthcare Professionals

## EDUCATION

- MSW: New York University Graduate School of Social Work; May 1993
- BA English Literature; UC Berkeley
- English Literature Major; Harvard University

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- Recognized as one of Worldwide Leaders in Healthcare, 2015 Edition by the International Association of Healthcare Professionals
- Award for Most Memorable, Outstanding Article in 2014 – *LinkedIn*
- Outstanding Achievement Recognition – *Healthfirst Corporate*
- Employee Excellence Award – *Saint Vincent's Hospital/Westchester*

## ADDENDA

- Addiction and Mental Health public speaker and media consultant for books, broadcasts, documentaries, webinars, newspapers and journals.
- Award Winning Author.
- Expert Witness Regarding Addictions and Mental Health.
- Disaster Response, Trauma and PTSD media source for critical incidents including the 9/11 World Trade Center crisis and its aftermath.
- Recurring Speaker/Presenter and Committee Member of The NASW Annual Addiction Institute Conference, New York, New York.
- Speaker/Presenter at Hunter College School of Social Work with Saint Luke's Roosevelt Hospital on Treating MICA Adolescents and Their Families; Hunter School of Social Work, New York, NY.
- Former District Examiner for New York State Credentialed Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Counselor (CASAC) test applicants.
- Member of NASW New York City Addictions Institute Committee for Training and Development, Policy and Planning.

References available upon request.

## **PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES**

- 1) **Dr. Scott Kellogg, Psychotherapist at The Transformational Chairwork  
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- 2) **Dr. Andrew Tatarsky, Founder and Director, The Center for Optimal Living  
Past President, Division on Addiction of the New York Psychotherapy  
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