

# TERESA TOUHEY SCHIRMER, L.I.C.S.W.

BOSTON COLLEGE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK, Chestnut Hill, MA 06/12- present

Associate Dean, Student Experience and Student Services

- x Responsible for all matters related to policies and procedures that regulate student life at the School of Social Work including academic issues that are connected to the VWXGHQWTV SHUV RgDOnR U SURIHVVLRQDO ED
- x Assist faculty with student concerns including academic, health and mental health concerns.
- x Schedule all academic courses within the School and project enrollment numbers for the university. The liaison across the University with similar academic units at BC.
- x Integral member of three person Financial Aid and Admissions Committee.
  
- x Oversees the Director of the Advising Center, Director of Career Services, Assistant Director of Academic and Student Services (PhD Program) Program Assistant (also supports Admissions, and Continuing Education)
- x Coordinate all aspects of the SSW Diploma ceremony in conjunction with the University Commencement. Work closely with University Registrar and Faculty.
- x Member of the Academic Standards Review Committee, Executive Board, Diversity and Justice Committee, Academic Officers Committee and Behavioral Evaluation Team.
- x Provides leadership in the areas of Student Services, Academic Services, and Career Services.
- x Appointed by Governor Baker to the Autism Commission 2015-2018

Assistant Director of Field Education 07/11-06/12

- x Manage team to oversee over 400 student placements a year
- x Faculty advisor for graduate students in the program.
- x Teach the 13 week field seminar for Field Supervisors
- x Supervise 30 Advisors to the student population at GSSW

Field Education Specialist 10/06 ±06/11

- x Educate, Manage and support graduate students in field education
- x Health/Mental.teTj /TT2 10teT dta18 0 TdoC> M(ntl.t/>.94(a)6.9>.94(a)-76.9>.94(0 i.laRB)S(ntl.

BOSTON COLLEGE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK, Chestnut Hill, MA 2008-2012

Adjunct Faculty

- x SCWK 7723 Diversity and Cross Cultural Issues Course
- x SCWK 7762 Basic Skills Clinical Course

TERESA SCHIRMER, LICSW, Andover, MA

- x Provide psychotherapy for adolescents, adults and couples in private practice office.
- x Manage billing, advertising and management of business
- x Focus on dual diagnosis, major mental health issues, special education and chronic medical diagnoses.
- x Consult as expert in Special Education cases in the Commonwealth

EXETER HOSPITAL, Exeter, NH

10/06 ±10/09

Social Work Consultant

- x Developed Policies, Procedures and Program manual for social work department
- x Implemented Employee Training and Competencies.
- x Managed Budget for department
- x Oversaw the professional development and supervision of staff.

CARITAS HOLY FAMILY HOSPITAL, Methuen, MA

2/97 ±10/06

Manager of Social Work and Interpreter Services Department

- x Managed the Employee Assistance Program serving over 1200 employees, concentrating on brief treatment, substance abuse and family issues.
- x Oversaw Psychiatric Assessments in the Emergency Department and the Behavioural health Department
- x Bi-monthly Speaker for Brown Bag Series of Presentations to the staff and community.
- x Manage and Direct the Daily Responsibilities of Social Work and Interpreters throughout the Hospital and Outpatient Clinics.
- x Supervised Clinicians for Psychosocial Assessments, Individual and Family work.
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- x Ten Years Experience Supervising the Performance and Learning Activities for Master of Social Work students from Boston College, Boston University, Salem State College and the University of New Hampshire.
- x Member of the Ethics Committee, Joint Cancer Committee, and Oncology Committee.
- x Ensured Compliance and Cultural Competency with all State and Federal Regulations.
- x Implemented Employee Training and Competencies and Developed Hospital Policies and Procedures.
- Developed, managed and evaluated a multi disciplinary healthcare team to the meet
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CARITAS HOLY FAMILY HOSPITAL, Methuen, MA

10/94 ±2/97

Psychotherapist / Social Work Supervisor for the Center for Behavioral Medicine

- x Assessment, Diagnosis and Treatment of Dual Diagnosis Clients.
- x Senior Clinician of Individual, Family and Group Therapy.
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WOONSOCKET JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL, Woonsocket, RI

9/92 ±5/93

Social Work Intern

- x Crisis Counseling in a Multi-Cultural School Environment.
- x Individual and Family Counseling, Specializing in Addictions.
- x Coordinated Violence Intervention, Prevention and Mediation Groups

ADVOCATES, Framingham MA

9/91- 10/94

Mental Health Counselor

- x Worked in a Supportive Living Model for Department of Mental Health Clients.
- x Facilitated and coordinated re-entries into the Community from Westborough State Hospital for Clients
- x Assisted in developing and staffing a respite home for clients in crisis

JESUIT VOLUNTEER CORPS

VICTIM OFFENDER AND RECONCILIATION PROGRAM, Orange, CA

8/88 ±8/91

St. Vincent De Paul, Counselor

- x Joined the Jesuit Volunteer Corps following graduation from Boston College
- x Worked with court mandated Juvenile Offenders and members making restitution to the Victims of their crimes
- x Assisted in obtaining funding and writing grants for this innovative program.
- x Co-led and created a group for former gang members with a focus on community outreach.

## EDUCATION

BOSTON UNIVERSITY, Boston, MA

Masters Degree in Social Work May 1994

BOSTON COLLEGE, Chestnut Hill, MA

*Bachelor's Degree* May 1988