Accomplishments:

Supervisory

- Built strong teams by maintaining good rapport with supervised staff
- Interview, hire, determine job duties, and evaluate the progress of those supervised
- Conduct employee meetings to reinforce teamwork concept
- Led at the state level; providing a vision for our program
- Passionate advocate for support staff and consumers served
- Continue to keep consumers as our primary concern

Vocational Counseling

- Compiled occupational, educational and economic information to aid clients in carrying out vocational and educational objectives.
- Assist individuals to understand and overcome vocational obstacles due to physical, mental, emotional, and social problems.
- Appraise interests, aptitudes, disabilities and personality characteristics for vocational and educational planning.
- Maintenance of case records, development and implementation of rehabilitation plans in compliance with federal and state regulations
- Became a Certified Rehabilitation Counselor and leader of the Rehab **Technology Team**

Employment: Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

1/2009 to Present Vocational Rehabilitation Manager

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Frankfort, KY Vocational Rehabilitation Assistant Director 05/2005 to 12/2008

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Elizabethtown,KY Vocational Rehabilitation Manager 12/2003 to 5/2005

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Louisville, KY Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor 10/1995 to 12/2003

Education: University of Louisville Louisville, KY

Louisville, KY

Masters in Education with a Community Counseling concentration 2001

University of Louisville Louisville, KY 1994

Bachelors of Arts in Psychology

Volunteer: Learning Disability Association of KY Louisville, KY

12/2009 to 5/2012

Panther Athletic Association Louisville, KY

President 05/2010 to Present

Muscular Dystrophy Association Louisville, KY

04/2005 to Present

Professional Organizations:

National Rehabilitation Association Since 2001

Kentucky Rehabilitation Association Since 2001

Kentucky Association for Rehabilitation Leaders Since 2003

Center for Accessible Living Board Member Since 2016