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### PERSONAL PROFILE

Recognized as expert witness at various times 2018-2021 in Dauphin, York, and Philadelphia Counties for adoption, family reunification, domestic violence.

Recipient of 2016 Jane Alexander award from women's section of York County Bar for advancing the rights and safety of women by career or example.

Honored in inaugural 25 Extraordinary Women in York County by YWCA in 2014.

Certified as Nationally Certified Custody Evaluator (NCCE), member of Professional Academy of Custody Evaluators (PACE) 2018- present.

Certified as Juvenile Sex Offender Treatment Specialist (CJSOTS); member of Association for Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) 2005-2016.

Consultant for Immigration & Naturalization Service for issues re: domestic violence.

Proficient with didactic, clinical, or community organization tasks in both individual and group settings.

Self-directed and strong personal commitment to social work and client advocacy.

Excellent skills in assessment and crisis counseling.

Exceptional written and oral communication skills.

Experienced in developing materials clients understand, use, and find helpful. Skilled in working with hostile or violent clients.

Specialized knowledge and experience in batterer intervention, anger management, domestic violence, sex offender treatment, women's issues, human sexuality, special needs adoption/foster care, and feminist counseling.

# **EMPLOYMENT - CURRENT**

Private practice counseling doing business as Relationship Risk Solutions 2021-present.

### EMPLOYMENT – HISTORY

SpiriTrust Lutheran Domestic Abuse Solutions (formerly Lutheran Social Services ADVANCE). Program Coordinator (includes group facilitation, individual therapy, anger management counseling, & custody evaluator) 2000-2021, Co-Facilitator (p-t) 1996-99, 1989-93.

Diakon Specialized In-Home Program (SPIN) for youth who have acted out sexually, Family/Individual Therapist (part-time) 2002- 2014.

Yorktowne Psychological & Addiction Associates.

Family/Individual Therapist. (part-time) 2002-2014.

York County Assistance Office, York.

Caseworker 1995-1999, 1987-89, 1966-74.

YWCA, York, Downtown Child Care Center.

Director, 1995.

York Hospital, emergency department.

Patient Representative (part-time) 1995-97.

Crisis Intervention, York.

Crisis Caseworker (part-time) 1975-81, 1986-91.

Tri-County Commission for Community Action, Harrisburg.

Manager, Teen Parenting 1986-87.

Hoffman Homes for Youth, Littlestown.

Therapist 1985-86.

U.S. Government, Germany. 1982-86.

Tressler-Lutheran Services Associates, Camp Hill/York.

Adoption Specialist 1978-81.

Atkins House (for female offenders), York.

Staff Assistant (part-time) 1979-80.

### **EDUCATION**

Walden University, Doctoral Program Social Work & Human Services, 2016-2018.

Lincoln University, PA, Master of Human Services, 1999.

University of Maryland School of Social Work, MD. 49 credits, 1976.

Lock Haven University, PA, Bachelor of Arts, 1969.

### **ACADEMIC HONORS**

Dean's List, Walden University, 2016.

Grantee 1997 Scholarship, Lincoln University of PA.

Eligible for Honors Fraternity, Lincoln University of PA, 1998.

Dean's List University of Maryland School of Social Work. 1975.

Dean's List Lock Haven University, 1969.

Collegiate Assessment of Academic Proficiency, 1999.

Scores at 99-96 percentile compared to other local students at Lincoln University.

Scores at 97-83 percentile compared to students nationally.

### RESEARCH COURSES AND PROJECTS

# SpiriTrust Lutheran Domestic Abuse Solutions (ADVANCE, Lutheran Social Services of South Central PA); self-directed research.

- 2014 Co-designed *PFA Compliance & Accountability Monitoring Project* (PCAM)to promote victim safety by monitoring compliance with special relief conditions of PFAs when there is no probation supervision.
- 2014 Created project to gather data on ADVANCE clients to identify common background factors
- 2014 Created project to gather data on PFA recidivism and court-ordered ancillary Services for background to propose new court actions

- 2008 Participated in creation of assessment form to be used for data collection instrument for project collaboration with York College of PA
- 2003 Created database for collection of information on participants in Women Choosing Non-Violence
- 2003 Cross-referenced data on men in York County Prison and the ADVANCE program as background info for grant-writing.

# **Lincoln University 1997-1999**

HUS 634, 644 Social Research/ Problem Solving Skills I & II

**HUS 654 Program Evaluation Skills** 

Thesis: Peer support networking for counselors in batterer intervention programs

# University of Maryland, School of Social Work 1974-76

SOWK 770 Research I

SOWK 773 Urban Research

1975 Field Practicum Project at Tressler Lutheran Services, Adoption Program-Adoption saves money for Pennsylvania: A cost-benefit analysis.

### **CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- Fathering after domestic violence
- Women using force in relationships
- Intimate partner violence
- Adult learning styles

## TESTIMONY TO PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE

1981. By invitation provided testimony to bicameral committee writing legislation on abortion.

### TEACHING/TRAINING EXPERIENCE

Guest speaker, York College of PA, Penn State-York, & York Art Institute,

1976-present. Domestic Violence, and Anger and Stress Management.

Trainer, Planned Parenthood of York,

1973-75. Problem Pregnancy Counseling.

Internship Supervisor for Harrisburg Area Community College, York College, Millersville University and Shippensburg University,

2002- current. Students from Criminal Justice, Social Work, Psychology. Speaker, various conferences and workshops. See Workshop Presentations.

### MULTI-CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

SpiriTrust Lutheran consumers are from various socioeconomic strata and all ethnicities and religions.

- US Immigration Consultant for any nationalities/ethnicities applying for visa based on victimization from domestic violence (2014-2019).
- Tressler Lutheran Service (now Diakon) Adoption. Special needs & international adoption. Served on team that placed and supervised An Lac orphanage children (1975).
- Completed American Sign Language course and worked with deaf clients at York County Assistance Office; current occasional social contact with STL clients.

### COURSES DEVELOPED FOR PSYCHOEDUCATIONAL CLASSES WITH CLIENTS

- Passages curriculum on healthy transition from adolescence to adult men. 2013.
- ADVANCE Fatherhood curriculum for men who have abused a child. 2005.
- Anger Management for men and women. 2009. This course is recognized by York
- County Courts and PA Board of Probation & Parole as meeting the court mandate for anger management for crimes of violence.
- How to Apologize, 2008. Developed for ADVANCE.
- ACCESS-York couples counseling/enrichment, 8-session course, 1996.
- *Women Choosing Non-Violence* developed in collaboration with colleagues from batterer intervention and victims services, 1998, revised annually.
- Created many materials for use in in-home counseling with adolescents acting out sexually, 2002-14.
- Created numerous materials for Domestic Abuse Solutions curriculum for batterer intervention, 1996-current.

# WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS - 2004-2020 PARTIAL LIST

- **SpiriTrust Lutheran Workshop. Assessing Risk of Domestic Violence in the New Normal.** June 2021. 3-hour virtual training for York County counselors. (audience 47)
- SpiriTrust Lutheran Workshop. Assessing Risk of Domestic Violence in the New Normal. November 2020. 6 hour virtual training at request of Fulton County Women in Need,
- **SpiriTrust Lutheran Workshop. Assessing for Domestic Violence and Lethality in Intimate Relationships.** November 2017, NASW 6 CEs; Chambersburg, Pa.
- SpiriTrust Lutheran Workshop. Assessing for Domestic Violence in Custody and 5329 Evaluations. October 2016, NASW 6 CEs.
- **SpiriTrust Lutheran** mandatory training on domestic violence for all employees April-Sep, 2016. (audience total 628)
- SpiriTrust Lutheran Domestic Abuse Solutions (formerly ADVANCE) workshops with CE credits Anger Is How He Does It, Not Why He Does It: From Kyriarchy to Accountability with Domestic Violence Perpetrators. 11/14/14. NASW & PA Cert Board 6 CEs.

### SpiriTrust Lutheran Domestic Abuse Solutions (formerly ADVANCE) annual workshops.

Entire staff shares in presenting plenary sessions; break-out sessions are conducted by individual staff members with my breakouts listed below in italics.

# Coercive control as a tactic in abusive relationships. 2009

Sexual coercion: Put-downs, possessiveness, and porn

### Accountability: An essential component for ending domestic abuse. 2008

Words are important: The language of avoiding or being accountable

# Understanding entitlement: A major cause of domestic abuse. 2007

When Being a Victim Fosters Entitlement in Women, in Men

# Authentic masculinity: Resources for working with men. 2006

Sexual Respect and the Role of Pornography in Masculinity

# Unmasking abusive power dynamics in relationships. 2005

What every professional needs to know about domestic violence & abuse and its impact on children.

# Domestic Abuse Solutions community speaking/trainings 2017

ACCESS-Victim Witness, York YWCA 2/28/17 Audience 13.

Alliance against Sexual Violence, High Conflict Custody, 6/1/17, audience 25.

**ADVANCE** community speaking/training 2014

ACCESS/VAC training for staff & volunteers (audience 21) Gender Politics, Pornography, and Batterer Intervention. April/Sep 2016.

**ADVANCE** community speaking/training 2014

**ACCESS/VAC training for staff & volunteers (audience 16)** Gender Politics, Pornography, and Batterer Intervention. 9/18/14

**York County Adult Probation staff (audience 20):** Using the "Stick Figure exercise" for Perpetrators or Victims. 1/18/14

## Fulton County PA STOP Workshop – 6 hours (audience 40)

"Why Does She Stay?' Is the Wrong Question. 5/16/14

CASA annual training workshop (audience 60): Domestic Violence <u>Is</u> Child Abuse 4/23/14

**ADVANCE** community speaking/training 2013

**Federation of Democratic Women (audience - 23):** The Roles of Women in Domestic Violence 2/23/13

Youth Development Center (audience 10): Domestic Violence; Passages program. 2/25/13

York College class (audience 22): Domestic Violence 101. 4/8/13

Wellspan therapists training (audience 75): Panel on Working with Couples. 4/19/13

VAC/OVW staff (audience 5): What We've Learned from Working with Men Who Batter. 4/25/13

Atkins House staff (audience 8): How to Not Raise a Rapist. 5/21/13

PA NOW Conference (audience 20): Panel discussion – How BIS Groups Empower Women. 9/28/13

**DIAKON SPIN program staff (audience 15):** Domestic Violence as a Dynamic Risk Factor for Sexual Offending 10/3/13

Atkins House for Female Offenders staff (audience 10): Staff Self-care and Drumming 10/8/13

**ACCESS/VAC training for staff & volunteers (audience 15:** Gender Politics, Pornography, and BIS. 10/15/13

ADVANCE 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary dinner (audience 70). 10/22/13

**CASA training for volunteers (audience 16):** Understanding the Dynamics & Treatment for Men who Batter. 10/28/13

Touch a Life volunteers (audience 16): Recognizing and Helping Victims. 11/21/13

PA Immigration Resource Center: Domestic Violence & Who is the Victim. 12/18/13

### Maryland Domestic Violence Coordinating Council Conference: In Plain Sight.

September 25, 2009. Breakout workshop: *Blending battering intervention services and fatherhood.* 

### Muskie School of Public Service: Audio conference on violence against women.

April 23, 2009

### Domestic Abuse Project Conference. Bridging Perspectives: Intervening with men

who batter. May 12, 2009. Breakout workshops I conducted alone or with staff:

How to apologize

Merging fatherhood & BIS

Male entitlement- A cause of domestic abuse.

# BISCMI conference. Shifting the paradigm: Strategies for addressing batterers as

fathers. Sep 17, 2008. Breakout-workshops with team from ADVANCE:

Merging fatherhood & BIS

Male entitlement- A cause of domestic abuse.

### Pathways for Victims Annual Conference. 2008. Break-out workshops:

How to apologize

**Understanding Entitlement** 

### NASW-PA Annual Conference. December 1, 2004. Co-presenter of breakout workshop:

Social working with the enemy: Domestic violence and direct practice.

### **GRANT WRITING**

SpiriTrust Lutheran (formerly Lutheran Social Services of Southcentral PA.

During my employment 1989-current, I participated in United Way and other applications but have not had primary responsibility. A recent successful grant proposal was 2013 request to Hanover Exchange Club for funding ADVANCE services in Hanover.

Young Women's Club of York, 2000. Small grant for audiovisual equipment for the Women Choosing Non-Violence program.

University of Maryland, 1976. Student project secured funding to begin what is now the domestic violence program of YWCA Annapolis and Anne Arundel County.

### **VOLUNTEER SERVICE**

### Spearheaded creation of Rape Crisis Center (now Victim Assistance Center). 1972-74.

Conducted community needs assessment; wrote articles of incorporation, by-laws. Hired/trained original staffs; developed forms for service delivery & record-keeping. Provided training to community agencies, police, and hospitals.

Earned more money as speaker for RCC than all other speakers combined 1974-81.

### Co-founder, ACCESS-York (shelter for battered women). 1973-75.

After successful incorporation of RCC, I was recruited to help establish shelter for battered women. Participated in community needs assessment, incorporation, developing fo rms. Provided training to community agencies, police, and hospitals.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Lethality/Risk Assessment. Poster designed for Batterer Intervention work. 2013; 2120.

A Father's Job... Poster designed for Batterer Intervention work. 2018.

Accountability: Standards for PA Batterer Intervention Services. 1992. Harrisburg: PCADV. Co-authored with team from PA Batterer Intervention Network.

Domestic Violence Handbook for Human Service & Health Care Providers. 2004, revised 2009. Domestic Violence Task Force. Co-authored with committee of Task Force.

 $Pamphlets \ for \ residents \ of \ York \ County. \ \ Co-authored \ with \ Committee \ of \ York$ 

County Domestic Violence Fatality Review:

If Your PFA is Not Approved.

What to Do If You Have Been Served with a PFA.

### **CONTINUING EDUCATION** - PARTIAL LIST 2004-2021

Family Peace Initiative Learning Academy. Cracking the Code: Understanding Different Motives of Those Who Batter and the Connection or Risk and Lethality. June 18, 2021. 5 CEUs.

Battering Services Coalition of Michigan. Peer Supervision and Consultation. Weekly Zoom call. 2021.

A Polyvagal Guided Approach to Trauma. Family Peace Institute. March 5, 2021. 4.5 CEUs.

Come Together, Right Now, Over Zoom. BISC-MI 2020 conference. 10 CEUs.

"You Can Steal Someone's Belief in God." YWCA ACCESS-York. June 17, 2016.

Best Practices for Serving Immigrant Survivors in Rural Areas. May 10, 2016. 2 hours.

Considerations for Addressing Domestic & Sexual Violence in Southeast Asian

Communities. PA Immigration Resource Center. Sep 15, 2015. 2 hours.

Developing Sexual Respect in Battering Intervention Groups. Jan 26, 2016. Webinar.

Active Shooter Scenario Training. Sorenson, Wilder & Associates. 2015. 2.75 CE hours.

BISC-MI conference Addressing the Narrative. April 15-17, 2015. 20 CEUs.

Best Practices for Addressing Sexual Harm by Youth. 10/7-10/12/12. Certification as Juvenile Sex Offender Treatment Specialist, by Joann Schladale, NEARI.

Leadership & supervision styles. 8/31/09. Shippensburg University. 3 CEUs.

Building blocks to Integration: Meeting the treatment needs of juvenile sex offenders & their victims. 8/6/09. Edison Court, Inc. 6.5 CEUs.

Sexual predators on the internet & Megan's law. 4/22/09. York County Child Abuse Prevention Council & York CASA, 6 hours.

PA Pathways for victims services. 11/21/08. Penn State. 8 hours.

The effects of trauma on the self. 4/18/07. The Meadows. 5.5 CEUs.

Kinesic interviewing. 11/30/07. Juvenile Court Judges' Commission. 18 hours.

Mental health & family violence: A community collaboration. 5/4/06.

York County Task Force on Domestic Violence. 6.5 hours.

And they are all our children: Interventions & treatment of sexually acting-out Children. 5/12/06. Children's Home of York. 6 hours.

Breaking the victim/victimizer cycle. 8/5/05. Sexual Abuse Prevention & Education Network. 14 hours.

Children & adolescents who molest children. 5/13/05. Juvenile Court Judges' Commission. 9 hours.

Sex, drugs, & companionship. 1/21/05. PA Department of Health. 12 hours. From roots to wings: The future of batterer intervention. 11/4/05. Batterer Intervention Services Coalition of Michigan. 23 hours.

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Member, Professional Academy of Custody Evaluators. 2016 – current.

Member, Association for Treatment of Sexual Abusers, 2009 – 2016.

Member, Task Force on Domestic Violence for York County, 1990- current.

Member, York County Fatality Review Team, 2005- current.

Member, Alliance Against Sexual Violence, 2001 – current.

Member, PA Batterer Intervention Service Network, 1990-current.

Board of Directors, Atkins House (halfway house for female offenders), 1997-98.

Board of Directors, Planned Parenthood, 1971-81.

Board of Directors, Rape Crisis Center, 1986.

Board of Directors, ACCESS-York, 1987.

### REFERENCES

Kenneth Watts, Manager, TAX ACT; formerly my supervisor as Director of Social & Specialty Services, SpiriTrust Lutheran.

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Nancy Parker, M.H.S. Entrepreneur, former colleague, friend.

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Additional references available upon request.