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CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL HISTORY:

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EDUCATION:

1994 University of California, Los Angeles
Master of Social Welfare – ranked 1st in graduating class

1981 Temple University, Philadelphia
Master of Fine Arts

1978 Bowling Green State University, Ohio
Bachelor of Arts in Communications – *Summa Cum Laude*

LICENSURE:

1997- Present Licensed Clinical Social Worker
California LCS 18287

UNIVERSITY TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

2019- Present ***Associate Professor, Field Education***
USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work, Los Angeles

Teach the following courses:

SOWK 589a – Applied Learning in Field Education
SOWK 589b – Applied Learning in Field Education

SOWK 588 – Integrative Learning for Social Work Practice
 SWOK 698a – Integrative Learning for Advanced Social Work Practice
 SWOK 698b – Integrative Learning for Advanced Social Work Practice
 SWOK 699a – Advanced Applied Learning in Field Education
 SWOK 699b – Advanced Applied Learning in Field Education

Serve as Lead Instructor for SOWK 589a – Applied Learning in Field Education. Actively participate in committee and curriculum activities, which include:

Co-Lead -- OCP Virtual Field Placement Program Design/Adaptation
 Co-Lead – Feedback Informed Field Education Project
 Member -- First Year Field Placement Team
 Member – Ad Hoc MSW Curriculum Working Group
 Member -- Working Professionals Program Design Committee
 Member -- Reflective Learning Tool Redesign Committee
 Member – Social Work in the Arts Committee
 Member – End of Year Field Meeting Planning Committee
 Member -- DMH Stipend Student Interview Committee
 Member -- SOWK 589a Redesign Committee
 Trainer/Consultant – Special Patients Clinic, USC Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry
 Trainer -- Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for 2nd Year Students
 Trainer -- Motivational Interviewing Training
 Trainer -- New Field Instructor Training

2016-2019 Adjunct Faculty, Field Education
USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work, Los Angeles

Taught masters level classes on campus (C) as well as in the Virtual Academic Center (V). Courses included:

SOWK 586a – Virtual Field Practicum (V)
 SOWK 589a – Applied Learning in Field Education (V)
 SOWK 589b – Applied Learning in Field Education (V)
 SOWK 588 – Integrative Learning for Social Work Practice (V)
 SOWK 625 – Evaluation in Mental Health Settings (C)
 SWOK 698a – Integrative Learning for Advanced Social Work Practice (V)
 SWOK 698b – Integrative Learning for Advanced Social Work Practice (V)
 SWOK 699a – Advanced Applied Learning in Field Education (V)
 SWOK 699b – Advanced Applied Learning in Field Education (V)

1997-2004 Adjunct Faculty - Lecturer
Department of Social Welfare
Graduate School of Public Policy and Social Research
University of California, Los Angeles

Taught:

Direct Clinical Practice with Individuals
 Direct Clinical Practice with Couples, Families and Groups

Two-time recipient of Faculty of the Year Award (by student election).

OTHER UNIVERSITY/COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE

2011-2019 Executive Director

Drew Cares International, Los Angeles

Responsible for direction of small non-profit organization that provided finance, human resource and logistic implementation for HIV care and prevention programs funded through the US Department of Defense in Angola, Belize, Jamaica and Rwanda.

2016-2019 Co-Director

*Los Angeles Region Pacific AIDS Education Training Center
Charles R. Drew University, Los Angeles*

Responsible for all aspects of the day-to-day operations of the Pacific AIDS Education Training Center (PAETC) including faculty identification and training, curriculum development, staff and volunteer management and budget oversight and budgeting. The PAETC is a program of Charles R. Drew University, designated an Historical Black College and University, and was developed to meet the HIV education needs of providers who serve minority and disenfranchised populations. Led HIV Inter-Professional Education training program bringing together UCLA medical students, USC pharmacy students and CDU nurse practitioner students for collaborative HIV in-clinic rotation and learning experiences.

2009-2016 Associate Director

*Pacific AIDS Education Training Center
Charles R. Drew University, Los Angeles*

Responsible for all aspects of the day-to-day operations of the Pacific AIDS Education Training Center including faculty identification and training, curriculum development, staff and volunteer management and budget oversight and budgeting.

2005-2009 Psychosocial Program Consultant

Drew Cares International, Los Angeles

Conceptualized and developed HIV psychosocial treatment services for the Rwandan Defense Force. Traveled to Kigali on

four occasions to monitor services and consult with \ senior psychosocial staff.

Developed basic and enhanced curricula (each one week long) on HIV Emotional Support Counseling for the Namibian Defense Force. Trained over 60 military staff in Windhoek and Swakopmund, Namibia.

Met with delegation of Angolan Armed Forces providers in U.S. to propose innovative emotional support and alcohol treatment programs as adjunct to military HIV services. Provided psychosocial consultation to Country Director.

2002-2009 Clinical Supervisor
SPECTRUM Services and Research
Charles R. Drew University, Los Angeles

Provided social work clinical supervision to all direct service staff and program development for new service grants in this South Central Los Angeles-based HIV service organization.

1999-2001 Director of Programs
Project Angel Food, Los Angeles

Directed day-to-day operation of this daily meal delivery program for over 1000 people disabled by HIV/AIDS in Los Angeles County. Created agency's first social work internship program.

1998-1999 Clinical Director
SPECTRUM Services and Research
Charles R. Drew University, Los Angeles

Responsible for daily operation of this Ryan White Care Act funded program that focused on the mental health needs of over 200 minority clients with HIV in South Central Los Angeles. Provided individual and group clinical supervision to 2 clinical social workers, one part-time psychologist, and a psychiatrist. Began and led the South Central HIV/AIDS Network. Directed and supervision social work intern program. Prepared reports as needed.

1997-1999 Program Director
Take Action South Central - SPECTRUM Services and Research
Charles R. Drew University, Los Angeles

Conceived and wrote grant for People with HIV peer support program funded through Ryan white Care Act and the Office of AIDS Programs and Policies. Responsible for program development as well as implementation of policies and procedures. Managed staff and volunteer force. Provided clinical supervision to ensure quality of services.

1995-1998 Mental Health Clinician
SPECTRUM Services and Research
Charles R. Drew University, Los Angeles

Provided individual, couple, family and group counseling for both affected and infected patients with a variety of co-existing diagnoses ranging from substance abuse to chronic and persistent mental illness. Acted as field instructor in social work and psychology intern programs.

CONSULTING ACTIVITIES:

**1996-
Present Private Practice Psychotherapist**
Los Angeles, CA

2004-2011 Standards of Care Consultant and Writer
Los Angeles County Commission on HIV
Los Angeles Department of Health Services

2009-2011 Consumer Advisory Board Consultant
Mental Health HIV Services Collaborative
Center for Mental Health Services – Bethesda, MD

2002-2005 Consulting Clinical Supervisor
Maternal, Adolescent and Child Clinic
University of Southern California, Los Angeles

2001-2002 Consulting Clinical Supervisor
Center for Community Health
University of California, Los Angeles

1999-2004 Consumer Liaison, Member of Steering Committee
HIV Treatment Adherence, Health Outcomes & Cost Study
Center for Mental Health Services, Bethesda, MD

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2019-2020** **Chair, Nominating Committee**
Member, Board of Directors
Pacific Opera Project, Los Angeles
- 2012-2019** **President, Board of Directors**
Pacific Opera Project, Los Angeles
- 2005-2012** Member, Board of Trustees; Chair, Diversity Committee
The Oaks School, Hollywood, CA

AWARDS:

- 2002&2004** Faculty Member of the Year (by student election)
Department of Social Welfare, UCLA

REPRESENTATIVE LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS:

- Meyer, P. (2020). *HIV Ethics and HIV Co-Occurring Conditions*. Seven-hour training workshop for the Los Angeles County Department of Child and Family Service's DCSF Academy, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2020). *Triple Threat: HIV, Mental Health and Substance Abuse*. Training workshop for Los Angeles County Department of HIV and STD Program's Medical Care Managers and Retention Specialists, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2019). *Mental Health Band-Aids*, Training for rural providers, Pacific Basin Area Health Education Center, University of Hawaii (online).
- Meyer, P. (2019). *Engagement in Care and Triple Threat HIV: Mental Health and Substance Abuse*. HIV CEU Training, USC Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2019). *Triple Threat: HIV, Mental Health and Substance Abuse*. Intern training for social work students placed in the Special Populations Clinic, USC Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2019). *HIV Ethics and HIV Co-Occurring Conditions*. Seven-hour training workshop for the Los Angeles County Department of Child and Family Service's DCSF Academy, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2019). *Evidence-Based Treatment for Meth and Mental Health*. Provider Training, CARES Foundation, Sacramento, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2019). *Engagement in Care and Triple Threat: HIV, Mental Health and Substance Abuse*. Training for providers, St. John's Well Child Clinic on the campus of Los Angeles Trade Technical College, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (Quarterly, 2019) *Triple Threat: HIV, Mental Health and Substance Abuse*. Workshop for Los Angeles County Department of HIV and STD Program's Medical Care Managers and Retention Specialists, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. and Donohoe T. (2018). *HIV Interprofessional Education: A Case Study*. National Meeting of Ryan White Care Act Providers, Washington, DC.

- Meyer, P. (2018). *HIV Ethics and HIV Co-Occurring Conditions*. Seven-hour training workshop for the Los Angeles County Department of Child and Family Service's DCSF Academy, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (Quarterly, 2018). *Triple Threat: HIV, Mental Health and Substance Abuse*. Workshop for Los Angeles County Department of HIV and STD Program's Medical Care Managers and Retention Specialists, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2017). *Psychosocial Issues and HIV Disease*. Training workshop as part of Pacific AIDS Education Training Center's: Advanced Nurses in AIDS Care program, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (Quarterly, 2017). *Finding Out Fast: Using the Substance Abuse, Mental Illness Symptom Screener (SAMISS) with People Living with HIV*. Workshop for Los Angeles County Department of HIV and STD Program's Medical Care Managers and Retention Specialists, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2015). *Psychosocial Issues and HIV Disease*. Training workshop as part of Pacific AIDS Education Training Center's: Advanced Nurses in AIDS Care program, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. (2011). *Finding Out Fast: Using the Substance Abuse, Mental Illness Symptom Screener (SAMISS) with People Living with HIV*. Training workshop as part of Charles R. Drew University's Last Tuesday Series for the Pacific AIDS Education Training Center, Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P., Donohoe, T., & Espinoza, L. (2010). *From Collaboration to Curriculum: Drew, UCLA and USC Take on Engagement Into Care*. Poster for the annual meeting of the Pacific AIDS Education Training Center, Asilomar, CA.
- Vincent-Jones, C., Younai, F., Palmeros, A., Braswell, A., Bailey, C., Meyer, P., Clanon, K., & Reed, D. (2010). *Creating the Fundamentals for a Service Delivery System: Reviewing Los Angeles County's Process to Develop Standards of Care for its Ryan White-Funded HIV Service Delivery System*. Poster presentation for annual All Grantees Meeting of the Ryan White Care Act, Washington, DC.
- Meyer, P. (2010). *Legacy Update*. Presentation for the Mental Health, HIV Services Collaborative, Bethesda, MD.
- Meyer, P., Donohoe, T., & Espinoza, L. (2010). *Engagement Into HIV Care*. Training workshop as part of Charles R. Drew University's Last Tuesday Series for the Pacific AIDS Education Training Center, Los Angeles, CA.

- Meyer, P. (2009). *Leaving a Legacy: The Beginnings*. Presentation for the Mental Health, HIV Services Collaborative, Arlington, VA.
- Meyer, P. & Pillen, M.B. (2006). *Enhanced Training on HIV Emotional Support Counseling*. Five day training for members of the Namibian Defense Force, Swakopmund, Namibia.
- Meyer, P. (2006). *Heroic Aging*. Workshops for presentations for Holland America Cruise Lines.
- Pillen, M.B., Meyer, P., Bell, J., & Silver, B. (2005). *What Makes Treatment Work: Findings of a Candid Discussion with Consumers and Providers*. Presentation at the annual National AIDS Update Conference (NAUC), Oakland, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Pillen, M.B. (2005). *Counseling People Living with HIV/AIDS: Basic Training*. Four day training for members of the Namibian Defense Force, Windhoek, Namibia.
- Meyer, P. (2000). *Coordinating Consumer Representation Across 8 Sites: Lessons from the HIV Treatment Adherence, Health Outcomes and Cost Study*. Presentation at the annual American Public Health Association, Boston, MA.
- Meyer, P., Bing, E., & Erger, J. (1998). *A Delicate Balance: The Relationship of Quality of Life to Psychiatric Illness and Substance Dependence in a Cohort of Minority Men and Women with HIV*. Poster presentation for the Sixth RCMI International AIDS Symposium, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Meyer, P. (1995). *Depression in HIV Symptomatic Gay and Bisexual Men*. Poster presentation for the annual convention of the National Association of Social Workers, Philadelphia, PA.

RESEARCH PAPERS

A. PEER REVIEWED

- Tavakkoli M, Cohen MA, Alfonso CA, Batista SM, Tiamson-Kassab MLA, **Meyer P.** (2014). Caring for persons with early childhood trauma, PTSD, and HIV: a curriculum for clinicians. *Academic Psychiatry*, *38*, 696-700.
- Meyer, P.** (2004). Consumer representation in multi-site HIV, mental health, and substance abuse research: The HIV/AIDS Treatment Adherence, Health Outcomes, and Cost Study. *AIDS Care*, *16*(Supplement 1), 137-153.

Meyer, P., Tapley, E.K., & Bazargan, M. (1996). Depression in HIV symptomatic gay and bisexual men. *Journal of Gay and Lesbian Social Services*, 5(4), 69-85.

B. NON-PEER REVIEWED

Green, L., Meyer, P., Pillen, M.B., & Sacks, J. (1999). *SAMHSA HIV/AIDS Treatment Adherence, Health Outcomes, and Cost Study Administration Protocol*. Unpublished manual.

Pillen, M.B. & Meyer, P. (2005). *Counseling People Living with HIV/AIDS: Final Report*. Unpublished report.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Language/Interpretation Services Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Medical Nutrition Therapy Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Mental Health, Psychiatry Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Mental Health, Psychotherapy Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Nutrition Support Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Oral Health Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Peer Support Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Substance Abuse, Residential Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Substance Abuse, Treatment Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2005). *Treatment Education Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

Pillen, M.B. & Meyer, P. (2006). *Counseling People Living with HIV/AIDS: Basic Training*. Unpublished manual.

- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Benefits Specialty Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Child Care Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Case Management, Home Based Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Case Management, Medical Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Case Management, Psychosocial Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Counseling and Testing in Care Settings Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Direct Emergency Financial Assistance Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Early Intervention Programs Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Hospice Services Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Pillen, M.B. & Meyer, P. (2006). *Enhanced Training on HIV Emotional Support Counseling: Final Report*. Unpublished report.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Legal Services Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Medical Outpatient Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Medical Specialty Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P., & Pillen, M.B. (2006). *Enhanced Training on HIV Emotional Support Counseling*. Unpublished manual.

- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Outreach Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Permanency Planning Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Residential, Permanent Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Residential, Transitional Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2006). *Transportation Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2007). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – Transgender*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2007). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – Women*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2007). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – Youth*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2008). *ADAP Enrollement Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2008). *ADAP Enrollement Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2008). *Local Pharmacy Program/Drug Reimbursement Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2008). *Medical Care Coordination Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2008). *Referral Services Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2008). *Skilled Nursing Standard of Care*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.

- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2009). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – African Americans*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2009). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – Homeless*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2009). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – Latinos*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2010). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – Mentally Ill*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P. & Expert Panel. (2010). *Standards of Care Special Population Guidelines/Recommendations – Substance Abusers*. Los Angeles Commission on HIV. Los Angeles, CA.
- Meyer, P., Donohoe, T., & Espinoza, L. (2010). *Engagement Into HIV Care*. Training curriculum developed for the Pacific AIDS Education Training Center, Los Angeles, CA.

CHAPTERS

(Co-Authored Book/Manual)

- Acuff, C., Archambeault, J., Greenberg, B., McDaniel, J., Meyer, P., Packer, C., Parga, F., Pillen, M., Ronhovde, A., Saldarriaga, M., Smith, M., Stoff, D., Wagner, D. (1999). *Mental health care for people living with or affected by HIV/AIDS: A practical guide*. Raleigh-Durham: Research Triangle Institute.

(Textbook Editor)

- Dorfman, R., Meyer, P., & Morgan, M. (Eds.). (2004). *Paradigms of clinical social work, volume 3: Emphasis on Diversity*. New York: Brunner/Mazel.