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**Objective**

***Social Services***

Organized and certified social service professional seeking opportunity in the social service field where work experience and technical expertise will contribute to facilities mission of community service and personal success.

**Work Experience**

2006 – 2015 ***Department of Labor*** ***Exeter Job Corps Academy*** Exeter, RI

 *Academic Instructor*

* Plans, prepares and delivers instructional activities that facilitate active learning experiences.
* Provides a variety of learning materials and resources for use in educational activities.
* Identifies and selects different instructional resources and methods to meet students' varying needs.
* Updates all necessary records accurately and completely as required by law, policies and school regulations.
* Performs certain pastoral duties including student support, counseling students with academic problems and providing student encouragement.
* Communicates necessary information regularly to students, colleagues and parents regarding student progress and student needs.
* Keeps updated with developments in subject area, teaching resources and methods and make relevant changes to instructional plans and activities.

**Career Experience**

2014 – Present P/T ***Adeline La Plante Memorial Center, Child and Family Services*** N. Kingstown, RI

*Behavior Specialist:* Provided therapeutic coping services for behavioral and developmentally challenged clients.

2007 – 2008 ***Parkview Nursing Home*** Providence, RI

 *Activity’s Director:* Managed healing and practical activities and events for seniors.

2006 – 2007 ***South Kingstown and Exeter -West Greenwich Public Schools*** S. Kingstown & Exeter, RI

 Substitute Teacher: Effectively followed approved curriculum and teacher provided lesson plan.

2001 – 2005 ***Saint Bartholomew’s School*** Providence, RI

 Second Grade Teacher: Taught Reading, Math, Spelling, Language Arts, Writing, Religion, Science and Health.

1998 – 2001 ***South Kingston Nursing Home*** W. Kingston, RI

*Activity’s Director*: Engaged and directed seniors in stimulating mental and physical activities.

**Education**

 ***University of Rhode Island*** Kingstown, RI

 Bachelor of Arts Sociology

 Elementary and Secondary Education Certification # 38025

 ***Rhode Island Junior College*** Warwick, RI

 Certificate of Achievement as Activity Director

 ***Rhode Island College*** Providence, RI

 Reading Readiness and Developmental Reading for Early Childhood

 Identification and Services to Special Need Children

 Master’s Course: “Introduction to Counseling” and “Juvenile Delinquency”

**Achievements and Skills**

* Exeter Job Corps Academy “*Making a Difference Award*” 2014
* Red Cross CPR/AED Certification
* Cross First Aid Certification
* Microsoft Office, Excel and PowerPoint

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