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Copley Family Clinic
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EDUCATION

- August 1982-May 1986 Post Doctoral Study - 12 Credits, Department of Psychology,
University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha Nebraska
- August 1982-Dec. 1982 Post Doctoral Study - 2 credits Department of Psychiatry
University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, Nebraska
- August 1977-May 1979 Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) University of Nebraska at
Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska
- August 1967-May 1969 Master of Social Work (M.S.W.) University of Nebraska at
Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska
- August 1963-May 1967 Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) University of Nebraska at Lincoln,
Lincoln, Nebraska

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 1997-Present Professor
School of Social Work
University of Nebraska at Omaha
Omaha, Nebraska
- 1988- Present Administrative Director and clinician
Copley Family Clinic
Omaha, Nebraska
- 1986- 1997 Associate Professor
School of Social Work
University of Nebraska at Omaha
Omaha, Nebraska
- 1981-1988 Clinical Psychotherapist
Woody Clinical Associates
Omaha, Nebraska

1984-1986	Administrative Director Chief Clinical Supervisor, Eating Disorders Program University of Nebraska Medical Center Omaha, Nebraska
1979-1984	Director Department of Social Work Meyer Children's Rehabilitation Institute University of Nebraska Medical Center Omaha, Nebraska
1979-Present	Faculty Appointment (courtesy-1986) Department of Psychiatry University of Nebraska Medical Center Omaha, Nebraska
1975-1979	Clinical Psychotherapist Family Life Institute Grand Island, Nebraska
1969-1971	Social Worker Volunteers of America Adoption Agency Shreveport, Louisiana
1968 (summer)	Clinical Social Worker Veterans Administration Hospital Grand Island, Nebraska
1979-1986	Assistant Professor (joint appointment) School of Social Work University of Nebraska at Omaha Omaha, Nebraska
1972-1979	Assistant Professor (courtesy appointment) School of Social Work University of Nebraska at Omaha Lincoln/Omaha, Nebraska
1976-1977	Instructor (part-time) Kearney State College Kearney, Nebraska

1971-1972 Instructor
Graduate School of Social Work
University of Nebraska at Lincoln
Lincoln, Nebraska

PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS, BOARD CERTIFICATIONS, LICENSES

1995 Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist
License # 46
State of Nebraska Department of Health

1994 Licensed Master Social Worker
License # 323
State of Nebraska Department Of Health

1994 Licensed Mental Health Practitioner
License # 85
State of Nebraska Department of Health

1988 American Board of Examiners in Social Work
Silver Spring, Maryland
ABE Certification # 018371

1987 Certified Masters of Social Work
Certification #323
Department of Health, State of Nebraska

1987 Diplomat in Clinical Social Work
Registry of Social Workers
National Association of Social Workers,
Washington, D.C.

1983 Approved Supervisor
American Association for Marriage & Family Therapy
Washington, D.C.

1981 American Orthopsychiatric Association (fellow)

1981 Registry of Clinical Social Workers (RCSW)
National Association of Social Workers

1971 Academy of Certified Social Workers (ACSW)
National Association of Social Workers
ACSW # 880563197

SCHOLARLY RESEARCH AND OTHER CREATIVE WORK

SUPERVISED RESEARCH ACTIVITY AND INDEPENDENT STUDIES OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

- 2002- Present: O'Rourke, Christine, Mental Illness and the Criminal Justice System, Thesis: Independent Study, School of Social Work, UNO
- 1998-2001 Kuyk, Lorna, Doctoral Dissertation Committee, Community and Human Resources Department, University of Nebraska at Omaha, UNO
- 1997 Kryger, Sharon, "Clinical Psychopathology: Study of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders. Independent study. 3 credits, Spring semester, School of Social Work, UNO.
- 1994 Obman, Lynette, "Play Therapy with Children. A research project of existing literature" 1 credit, Fall Semester, School of Social Work, UNO.
- 1990-1993 Reviewer for Elton S. Carter Thesis Competition, Graduate Studies & Research, University of Nebraska at Omaha. Reviewed thesis and provided the graduate office comments to assist in determining prospective recipients of the award.
- 1993 Hunter, Lynn, "Developing Community Based Services for Individuals with A.I.D.s Education and Community Support. Spring Semester, School of Social Work, UNO.
- 1993 Obman, Lyneete, "Social Work Services For Families and Children with and Attention Deficit Hyparactivity Disorder, Special Studies Project. Spring Semester, School of Social Work, UNO.
- 1990 A Psychological Profile of a Defendant: Research of the Individual and Family. Prepared in consultation for the Defending Attorney and Magistrate of the Federal District Court. Funded by the State of Nebraska.
- 1990 Smith, Sylvia, "Clinical Interventions with Divorced and Remarried Families, and Family Systems with children who have been abused and neglected". 3 credits, Supervisor of project. School of Social Work, UNO.
- Lorensen, Mark, Dynamics of Human Behavior and the Social Environment, Undergraduate Special Studies, 4 credits, Supervisor of project, UNO.

Sudemeier, Keri, Dynamics of Human Behavior and the Social Environment, Undergraduate Special Studies, 4 Credits, Supervisor of project, UNO.

1989-1990

Weitz, Barbara, "Negative Body Image in Women, The Influence of Weight and Size." Research Project, Committee Member, School of Social Work, UNO.

Jensen, Jan, "To Physically Resist or Not to Physically Resist: A Paramount Question Regarding Rape". Thesis Research Project, Committee member, School of Social Work, UNO.

Herbolt, Todd, "Clinical Skills in Working With Couples in Nontraditional Relationships of Intimacy, Issues of Processes, Stages, and Unique Issues of Dysfunction. Special Studies project, Fall Semester, 1989, School of Social Work, UNO.

Faulkner, Earl, "Psychological Correlates of Chemical Use in Adolescents: A Comparative Study of Adolescent Students & Adolescents In and Out of Treatment", Department of Psychology, UNO. Member of thesis committee.

1988 Halsey, Jayne, "Gender and Intimacy; Considerations for Social Work Practice with Couples", Special Studies, School of Social Work, UNO.

Mindt-Long, Kaye, "Aspects of Intimacy: Gender Influences in the Social Work Practice with Couples", Special Studies, School of Social Work, UNO.

1987 Jensen, Jan, "Women Who Are Assaulted, The Dilemmas of Self-protection, Compliance or Resistance". Thesis committee, School of Social Work, UNO.

1986 Koehler, Susan, "Metabolic Influences in the Development and Maintenance of Eating Disorders" in cooperation with the Biology Department, UNO.

Finney, Terry, Communication Skills in Couples Who Have an Alcoholic Member, Problems in Intimacy and Co-Dependency", UNO.

1985 Northam, Ed, "Marital Adjustment in Couples with Pregnancy Prior to Marriage". Thesis committee, Dept. of Counseling and Guidance, UNO.

1984 Eigenberg, Charles, Ph.D., Sabbatical Study in Family Therapy and

Systemic Interventions. Arranged with Dept. of Psychology,
Hastings College, Hastings, NE. at UNMC. for 8 months.

- 1983 Gutchewsky, Carol, "Case Management, Perceptions of Social Workers' Roles by other Professionals on the Interdisciplinary Team". at UNMC
- 1983 Krejci, John, "Juvenile Offenders and Their Families, Developing a Direct Family Service Model for Intervention and Supports, Rural and Urban Variances". UNMC.
- 1983 Koeman, Ted, "The Influences of Aftercare Services by the Social Work Case Manager, Do Families Implement More of the Interdisciplinary Team's Recommendations with Follow-up Services". UNMC.
- 1982 Koeman, Ted, "A Comparison of Services Provided to Developmentally Disabled and Handicapped Children of White and Minority Families in Omaha". UNMC.
- 1982 Zimmer, Mark, "The Development of an Epistemology of Schizophrenia, A Research Study and Development of Theoretical Foundations". UNMC.
- 1983 Erikson, John, "The Stuttering Adolescent, Family Responses and Peer Adjustment Problems A Single Subject Case Study". UNMC.
- 1980 Weber, Gwen and Parker, Tommie, "A comparative Study of Family and Professional Views of the Factors Effecting Positive Family Adaptation to a Disabled Child". UNMC.
- 1980 Lee, Lillie, "Interaction of the Diagnostic Evaluation and the Mother's Adjustment to a Disabled Child: A Comparison of Process and Theory". UNMC.

PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH

BOOKS

- Weber Burch, Gwen and Pearson, Paul, "Anorexia, Bulimia, and Obesity in Adolescence: The SocioCultural Perspective", in F. Larocca, (ed.), *Eating Disorders: Effective Care and Treatment*, St. Louis: Ishiyaku EuroAmerica Inc. 1986, pp. 183-197. (authored 95%)
- Weber Burch, Gwen, "Influencing the Community and Its Agencies Towards Family Health". J. Springer and R. Woody, (eds.), *Health Promotion in Family Therapy*, Rockville, MD, Aspen Publications, 1985, pp. 13-275.

- Weber Burch, Gwen, "Structured Assessment of Sexual Dysfunction", in L. Ritt, (ed.) *Innovations in Clinical Practice: A Source Book*. Vol. 3, Sarasota, FL, Professional Resource Exchange, Inc., 1984, pp.267-275.
- Woody, Robert, and Weber, Gwen, "A Model for Marriage and Family Therapy Education, in B. Wolman, and G. Stricker, (eds.), *Handbook on Family Therapy*, New York, Plenum Press, 1983, pp. 117-134. (authored 85%)
- Weber, Gwen, and Parker, Tommie, "Identifying and Developing Family Strengths in Families Who have a Disabled Member", in N. Stinnett, J. DeFrain et al (eds.) *Family Strengths, Roots of Well-Being*, Vol. 3, Lincoln, NE, University of Nebraska Press, May 1982, pp. 379-395. (authored 70%)
- Weber, Gwen, "The Psychological and Social Adaptations to Diabetes", in *Take Charge of Your Health: A Book for Diabetic Care*, Omaha, NE, Methodist Hospital, Spring, 1981.
- Weber, Gwen, "Preparing Social Workers for Practice in Rural Social Systems", H. W. Johnson (ed.), *Rural Human Services*, Itasca, IL, F. E. Peacock Publishers, Inc., 1980, pp. 203-214.

MONOGRAPHS

- Weber, Gwen, "Rural Mental Health: Women as Professionals and as Clients. Proceedings of Conference Rural Mental Health: 1996. National Association for Rural Mental Health.
- Weber, Gwen, *Women in Rural Environments: Developing resources for empowerment and personal development: transcending cultural barriers*. Proceedings of Conference on Problem Solving in Rural Areas. University of Texas at Austin, TX, 1991.
- Weber, Gwen, "Family Therapy Education in Schools of Social Work : A National Research Project", Washington, D.C., Library of Congress, 1979, pp. 1-110.
- Weber, Gwen, *Designing Activity Programs for Nursing Homes* contributing author, Department of Public Welfare, State of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE.

JOURNAL ARTICLES AND REVIEWS

- Weber, G. "Women's Anger: Clinical and Developmental Perspectives" by Deborah L. Cox in *Readings: A journal of reviews and commentary in mental health*, a review by invitation. 2000.
- Weber, G. "Infertility and Involuntary Childlessness: Helping Couples to Cope" by Beth Cooper-Hilbert, in *Readings: A journal of reviews and commentary in mental health*. a review by invitation. 1999.

- Weber, G. " Infertility and Identity, New Strategies for Treatment" by L. Deveraux and A.J. Hammerman, in Readings: A journal of reviews and commentary in mental health. a review by invitation. 1999.
- Weber, Gwen. "A Clinicians Guide to Menopause" (ed. by Donna Stewart & Gail E. Robinson) a review in Readings: A journal of reviews and commentary in mental health. March, 1998.
- Weber, Gwen. "Featured Interview" Newsletter: American Family Therapy Academy Inc. Milestone Bulletin Board. (ed. Karen Gail Lewis) Summer, 1997, p. 29-30
- Weber, Gwen. "Continuing Education for Mental Health Professionals in Rural Communities. Rural Community Mental Health. Journal by NARHM. in progress, December, 1996 (by invitation)
- Weber, Gwen. "A Woman's Unconscious Use of Her Body" by Dinora Pines, M.D. a review in Readings Journal of Reviews and Commentary in Mental Health. 1995. (invited and refereed)
- Weber, Gwen. "Family Approaches in Treatment of Eating Disorders, by Blake Woodside, and Lorie Shekter-Wolfson, (Eds.). a review, in Readings: Journal of Reviews and Commentary in Mental Health September, 1992, (invited and refereed)
- Weber Burch, Gwen, The Search for the Real Self: Unmasking the Personality Disorders of Our Age, by James F. Masterson, a review Families in Society: The Journal of Contemporary Human Services, Vol. 71, No. 8, 1990, pp. 508-509. (invited and refereed)
- Weber Burch, Gwen and Quattrocchi, Mary, "Eating Disorders: Identification and Treatment", Speaking for Children, December, 1986-January 1987, Vol. 5, No. 6, pp.8-11. (60%, refereed)
- Weber Burch, Gwen, "Handbook of Eating Disorders", Brownell, K., Foreyt, J. (eds), a review, in Readings, A Journal of Reviews and Commentary in Mental Health, American Orthopsychiatric Association, Vol. 2, No. 1, March, 1987 p. 26. (invited and refereed)
- Weber Burch, Gwen, "The Practice of Social Work in Public Welfare", by L. Ginsberg, a review, in Journal of Education for Social Work, Council on Social Work Education. (invited and refereed)
- Weber Burch, Gwen, "Learning and Problem-Solving", by L. Borck and S. Fawcett, a review, in Behavior Counseling Quarterly, Spring, 1983. (invited and refereed)
- Weber, Gwen, "Family Treatment in Social Work Practice", by C. Jensen, and O.

Harris, a review in Journal of Social Work Education Council on Social Work Education, Winter 1982, Vol. 18, No. 1, pp. 111-113. (invited and refereed)

Weber, Gwen, "Structural Family Therapy in the Treatment of Childhood Psychosomatic Disorders", Journal of American Orthopsychiatric Association, Fall, 1981, pp. 20-21. (refereed)

Weber, Gwen, "Social Work Practice with the Mentally Retarded" by M. Dickerson, a review in A. Sitel, (ed). A Compendium of Special Education and Resources for Severe and Profoundly Handicapped Individuals. 1982. (invited)

Weber, Gwen, "The Psychological and Social Impact of Physical Disability", by R. Marinelly and A. D.Ottos, a review in A.Sitel, (ed) A Compendium of Special Education and Resources for Severe and Profoundly Handicapped Individuals, 1982. (invited)

Weber, Gwen, "Preparing Social Workers for Practice in Rural Social Systems", Journal of Social Work Education, Council on Social Work Education, Fall, 1986, Vol. 12, No. 3, pp. 108-115. (Refereed)

NEWSLETTERS AND MEDIA ARTICLES

Weber, Gwen, "The Need for Mental Health Professionals in Rural Nebraska" A report of the research of rural mental health professionals in Nebraska. Nebraska Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Networker. (Dec. 1996)

Weber, Gwen. "Learning to Manage Stress", Newsletter, Diabetes Education Center of the Midlands. Summer 1990, p.2.

"Confronting Stress and Your Emotions. Concerns for Individuals Learning to Manage Diabetes." Newsletter, Midlands Diabetes Education Center, Fall, October, 1988.

Weber Burch, Gwen, "Managing Stress to Enhance Your Health" Newsletter, Midlands Diabetes Education Center, Omaha NE, Spring, 1987. p. 1.

GRANTS AWARDED:

1984	Peter Kiewitt Foundation Award	\$50,000.00
	Millard Foundation Award	\$20,000.00
	Gallagher Foundation Award	\$ 2,000.00
	Hitchcock Foundation Award	\$15,000.00
1981	Nebraska State Department of Public Welfare Social Security Supplemental Income Disabled Children's Program Project Coordinator	\$113,000.00

1980 Nebraska State Department of Public Welfare \$ 82,500.00
Social Security Supplemental Income
Disabled Children's Program
Project Coordinator

CREATIVE PROJECTS

TELEVISION AND AUDIO VISUAL PRESENTATIONS

- 2000 Weber, Gwen. "Marriage and Divorce: Stages of Marital Distress and the Occurrence of Divorce" Interview with Pat Persaud, Channel 6, WOWTV, Omaha, NE. Jan. 19, 2000
- 1994 Weber, Gwen and Faculty of the School of Social Work. "Discussions of Ethical Issues in Clinical Social Work Practice. 1 hr. video. School of Social Work. UNO. Omaha NE.
- 1988 Weber, Gwen, KMTV Television Program, "Changes in the American Family and Their Eating Patterns". April, Omaha, NE.
- 1987 Weber, G., "Therapeutic Interventions with Families Experiencing Stress Due to Physical or Emotional Problems", four hour videotape, North Central Regional Medical Education, Minneapolis, MN.
- 1985 Weber Burch, G., "Working with Families who Reside in Rural Areas", Video produced at School of Social Work. University of Nebraska at Omaha.
- 1983 Weber, Gwen, Woody, Robert and Jane. "Ethical and Legal Aspects of the Therapist and Client Relationship", Audio, Productions, AAMFT, Washington, D.C.
- 1982 Weber, Gwen, "The Psychological Factors Involved in Adjusting and Successfully Managing Diabetes", Nebraska Chapter, American Diabetes Association, Omaha, NE.

D: MAJOR PROFESSIONAL INVITATIONAL PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

"Working with Couples: Assessing Sexual Relationship Issues", Invited featured speaker The Heartland Conference on Families. Omaha, NE. November 2, 2000.

"Mental Health Services for Women in Rural Communities" Day Seminar, Iowa Western Community College, Harlan, Iowa, July 26, 2000.

“Developing Collaborative Relationships with Managed Care Systems as a Family Therapist”, Nebraska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Fall Conference. Ashland, NE. October 9, 1998

“A Family Therapy Model for Treating Families with an Addictive Disorder” featured speaker and workshop leader, Nebraska 1998 Conference on Substance Abuse, Treatment, and Prevention. Sponsored by Metropolitan Community College, Nebraska Council to Prevent Alcohol and Drug Abuse, and Nebraska Health and Human Services System. Omaha, NE. May 5, 1998

Assessment of personality characteristics and their influence on coping with approaching death, a case conference” Hospice team conference. Omaha, NE. March 26, 1998

“The effects of substance abuse in family dynamics: family roles and treatment interventions” featured speaker, Child Savings Institute, Omaha, NE. Jan. 29, 1998.

"Integrating Spiritual Components in Couples Therapy", Social Work and Spirituality Conference, Minneapolis, MN. June 28-31, 1997

"Diagnosis and Treatment of Mental Disorders in the DSM IV" AEA Professional Training Conference, Special Education Division and Children's Square, Council Bluffs, IA. May 9, 1997

"Treatment of Couples with Personality Disorders," Keynote speaker for Fall Continuing Education Conference of Nebraska Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. Ashland, NE. September 27, 1996

"Rural Mental Health: Women as Professionals and as Clients," National Association of Rural Mental Health annual conference, Albuquerque, New Mexico, August 23, 1996

"Working with Spiritual Issues in Clinical Practice", Expressing the Soul of Social Work, Society for Spirituality and Social Work annual conference, Blair, NE. July 15, 1996

DMS IV: Applications to Clinical Diagnosis and Practice." day seminar for summer Regional Professional Education Conference Rapid City, South Dakota. June 8, 1996

"Clinical Psychopathology: A review of the Revisions in the DSM IV", Professional Development Day, Lincoln Public School System. Lincoln, NE. Nov. 17, 1994.

Eating Disorders: Anorexia Nervosa and Bulimia: day workshop at Iowa Community College, Council Bluffs, IA. March 16, 1995

"Creating Meaningful Experiences in Your Family", Keynote address for Families First Series, Millard Public School System, Millard, NE. March 27, 1995

Challenging the Family That Doesn't Change", Continuing Education Seminar. Methodist College, Continuing Education Center, Omaha, NE. Nov. 4, 1993.

"Eating Disorders, Anorexia Nervosa and Bulimia" Annual Professional Development Day, Lincoln Public School System. Lincoln, NE. Oct. 28, 1993.

"Walking the Wire in Family Therapy: The Art and Science of Family Therapy." 1 day workshop for mid-Nebraska mental health providers, Sponsored by the Nebraska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Association and Mid-Plains Center for Professional Services. Grand Island, NE. Nov. 6, 1992.

"Enhancing Treatment Skills as a Family Therapist", 1 day continuing education course, Nebraska Methodist College, Continuing Education Center, Omaha, NE. August 6, 1992.

"Feminist Models in Supervising Women", for Institute on Supervisee-focused Supervision, at American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual conference, Dallas, TX, October 29-November 2, 1991.

"Women in Rural Environments: Developing Resources for Empowerment and Personal Development: Transcending Cultural Barriers of Oppression" Workshop session at Conference on Problem Solving in Rural Areas, Sponsored by University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, April 4, 1991.

"Intimacy in The Family: A Way of Looking at Families," Two day Workshop sponsored by the Nebraska Department of Social Services and eight other organizations, Nebraska Center for Continuing Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, NE, May 25-26, 1989.

"Adolescent Intimacy and the Development of Clinical Symptoms", American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. Annual program meeting, New Orleans, LA, October 27, 1988.

"Health Professionals Look at Women's Issues in Clinical Training and Practice", Panel presentation, American Orthopsychiatric Association Annual Conference, New York City, NY. April 23, 1985.

"Understanding and Treating Anorexia Nervosa and Bulimia, Individual and Family approaches, A Comprehensive Treatment Model", Poster presentation, American Orthopsychiatric Association Annual Conference, New York City, NY, April 23, 1985.

"Role of Case Managers in Providing Aftercare Follow-up Services to the Developmentally Delayed and Their Families", American Association on Mental Deficiency Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN. May 27, 1984.

"Identifying and Responding to Stress and Depression of Families of Disabled Children", American Association on Mental Deficiency Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN. May 27, 1984.

"Beyond Families--Feminists as Family Therapist", American Orthopsychiatric Association Annual Conference, New York City, NY. April 9, 1984.

"Ethical and Legal Aspects of the Therapist and Client Relationship in Sex Therapy", with Drs. Jane and Robert Woody, American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., October 7, 1983.

"Family Therapy--The Systems Approach to Assessment and Treatment", Florida Clinical Seminars Day Conference, Orlando, FL. July 9, 1983.

"Family Therapy for Families with a Disabled Member", American Orthopsychiatric Association, New York City, NY. April 7, 1983.

"Interdisciplinary Perspectives in the Selection and Treatment of Interventions in Working with Families of a Mentally Retarded or Disabled Child", Interdisciplinary Forum, American Association on Mental Deficiency, Annual Meeting, Dallas, TX. May 31, 1983.

"Family supports in Stressful Situations", Moderator of panel, American Association on Mental Deficiency, Annual Meeting, Dallas, Tx. May 30, 1983.

"A Theory for Family Therapy for Families with a Disabled Member", American Orthopsychiatric Association, Annual Conference, Boston, Massachusetts. April 7, 1982.

"Administrative and Management Tasks of the Director of Social Work Departments in Multidisciplinary Setting Serving the Disabled and Their Families", American Association on Mental Deficiency, Annual meeting, Boston, Massachusetts. June 3, 1982.

"Family Therapy as a Treatment Model for Families with a Disabled Child", American Association on Mental Deficiency, Annual meeting, Boston, Massachusetts. June 3, 1982.

"Family Therapy as a Treatment Model for Families with a Disabled Child", American Association on Mental Deficiency, Annual meeting, Boston, Massachusetts. June 1, 1982.

"Social Work Education in Family Treatment: Professional Issues and Curriculum Foundations". Council on Social Work Education, National Annual Program Meeting, New York City, NY. March 9, 1982.

"Family Therapy-Assessment and Interventions", Fall Social Work Institute, Sponsored by the Division of Continuing Studies, Nebraska chapter of the National Association of Social Workers, Lincoln, NE, October, 1981.

"Social and Assertiveness Skills for Sexual Fulfillment in the Disabled", National Conference on Sexuality and the Disabled, sponsored by Immanuel Medical Center, Omaha, NE, September, 1981.

"Training for a Rural-Based Service Delivery Model: Social Work Education in Mental Retardation: UAF Training Specialists Through Linkages with Community Programs", American Association of Mental Deficiency, Annual meeting, Detroit, MI, May 25-29, 1981.

"The Treatment of Families with a Disabled Child, Crisis Intervention and Family Therapy", Child Welfare League of America, Annual Regional Conference, Minneapolis, MN, April, 1981.

"Strategic Family Therapy", Child Welfare League of America, Annual Regional Conference, Minneapolis, MN, April, 1981.

"Developing Comprehensive Services to Families with a Disabled Child: Interdisciplinary Assessment Processes and Therapeutic Interventions with Families", American Orthopsychiatric Association, annual meeting, New York City, NY, March 28-April 1, 1981.

"Family Therapy", Workshop presentation at Social Work Fall Institute, Continuing Education Center, Lincoln, NE, October, 1980.

"Identifying & Developing Family Strengths in Families who have a Disabled Member", Building Family Strengths, Third Annual National Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May, 1980.

"Developing Communication Skills Between Professionals and Parents", Conference for Education for Young Children, Southeast Iowa Annual meeting, May, 1980.

"Family Therapy Education in Schools of Social Work National Research Project", Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, April, 1980.

"The Family with a Disabled Member-The High Risk Family, Developing Therapeutic Services and Programs to Enhance Family Strengths", speaker, Developing Skills in Working with Families Seminar, Omaha, NE, March, 1980.

"Changing Morals of Society - Family Life Changes or Challenges", Major speaker, Annual Conference of Nebraska Council of Youth, Lincoln, NE, March, 1979.

"Intervention Skills with Families in Crisis", Major speaker, Juvenile Justice Association Bi-annual meeting, Kearney, NE, 1978.

"Strategic Therapy Techniques for Working With Resistive Families", Nebraska Group Home Association, annual conference, Lincoln, NE, 1978.

"Children and Divorce-Professional Issues", Child Welfare League of America, Regional Annual Conference, Omaha NE, 1978.

"Social Work Practice in Non-Metropolitan Areas", Social Work Fall Institute, Division of Continuing Studies, and National Association of Social Workers, Lincoln, NE, 1975.

"Preparing Social Workers for Practice in Rural Social Systems", Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program meeting, Atlanta, GA, March, 1974.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION SERVICES

- 1984-1998 Methodist Health Care Systems, Physicians Clinic, Department of Psychology
- 1995-1998 Lutheran Social Services of Iowa, Consultant to clinical staff Council Bluffs, and satellite offices, Eastern Iowa
- 1989-1997 Diabetes Education Center of the Midlands, Consultant and lecturer, Omaha, NE.
- 1990-1991 Magistrate of the Federal District Court, Consultant to defending attorney Omaha, NE.
- 1988-1990 Family Services, Omaha NE.
- 1985-1989 Fisher House, Catholic Social Services, Consultant and advisory board Omaha, NE.
- 1984-1988 Voir Dire, Palagi Law Offices, Omaha, NE. Consultant for selected cases
- 1984-1987 Veterans Administration Medical Center, Department of Social Work, Lincoln, NE
- 1984-1985 Family Services, Professional Staff, Omaha, NE.
- 1984-1985 Grand Island Memorial Hospital, Eating Disorders Program, Grand Island, NE.

- 1983-1984 Waubonsie Mental Health Center, Clinical Staff Development, Clarinda, IA.
- 1981-1982 Pain Management Program, University Hospital, UNMC, Professional staff Consultant, Omaha, NE.
- 1980-1993 American Rehabilitation Services, Lincoln, NE
- 1978-1980 Grace Children's Home. Consultant and Acting Director (4 months) Henderson, NE.

CLINICAL SUPERVISION OF PROFESSIONALS

(This does not include University Related Supervision Activity)

- 1998-present Sharon Kryger, LMHP, LCSW, KIDS, Inc. Omaha, NE.
- 1998-present Mark Lorenzen, LMHP, LCSW, Private Practice, Omaha, NE.
- 1992-1999 Christine Beardmore, LMHP, P.C. Private Practice, Omaha, NE.
- 1992-1994 Psychology Department, Physicians Clinic. Omaha, NE.
 Susan Heath, M.S.W.
 Laura Jones, M.S.W.
 Melanie Meijering, M.S.W.
 Eileen Stanislav M.S.W.
- Janie Watson, M.S.W. Family Resources of Greater Nebraska, Grand Island, NE.
- 1990-1995 Audrey Malena, MA, Family Therapist, Private Practice, Omaha, NE.
- Sharon Nyffeler, MA, Family Therapist, Director Lutheran Family Services, Columbus, NE.
- 1990-1994 Dana Gehring, MSW, Family Therapist, Private Practice, Omaha, NE.
- 1990-1991 Christine Lewis, MSW, Family Therapist, Family Services, Lincoln, NE.
- Louise Spire, MSW, Family Therapist, Private Practice, Omaha, NE.
- Ellen Hayes, MA, Family Therapist, Private Practice

Lincoln, NE.

- 1988-1989 Theresa McKeagney; MSW Supervision
Chicano Awareness Center
Omaha Public School System
- 1983-1994 Sylvia Smith, MSW, AAMFT Supervision
Plains Area Mental Health Center
LeMars, IA
- 1983-1987 Stacy Lamb, MSW, AAMFT Supervision
Fisher House, Catholic Social Services
Omaha, NE
- 1986-1987 Group Supervision, AAMFT Supervision
(six professionals attended 22 weekly
supervisory conferences)
- 1985-1986 Michael LaCrosse, Ph.D. Director, Mental Health
Center, Norfolk, Nebraska Supervision,
Family Therapy Eating Disorders
- 1984-1985 Charles Eigenberg, Ph.D., Professor,
Dept. of Psychology, Hastings College
Supervision, Marital & Family Therapy Feminist
Therapy. Sabbatical for 1 year training.

COMMUNITY POSITIONS

- 1995-2000 First United Methodist Church, Omaha, NE.
Singles Ministry / Divorce Recovery Program. Presenter /Group Leader
- 1986- 1998 Diabetes Education Center of the Midlands, Omaha NE.
Professional Education, Lecturer and presenter at monthly programs
- 1988-1989 Department of Social Services of Nebraska, Conference Committee,
Lincoln, NE.
- 1984-1985 American Diabetes Association, Nebraska Chapter, Omaha NE.
1982-1985 Board of Directors
1982-1983 Public Relations Committee
1981-1982 Chair, Professional Education Committee
- 1984-1985 First Central Congregational Church, Omaha, NE.

Adult Education Committee

- 1981-1983 Dundee Presbyterian Church, Omaha, NE.
Adult Education Committee
Christian Education Council
Deacon
Social and Community Services Committee
- 1979-1980 Eastern Nebraska Community Office on Retardation (ENCORE)
Behavioral Evaluation Program, Omaha, NE.

SERVICE AND MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY

- 1999-2002, Chair, Elections Committee, Nebraska Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. (elected position)
- 1995-2002: Advisory Board, Nebraska Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. (elected position)
- 1993-1995 Coordinator of programs, Omaha Chapter, Nebraska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy. (Appointed by President)
- 1983 Approved Supervisor, American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy. (Completed requirements of Association)
- 1983-1988 Regional Continuing Education Committee, Nebraska Association for Marriage and Family Therapy
- 1981 Clinical membership approved by the National Membership Committee American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy

AMERICAN FAMILY THERAPY ACADEMY

- 1987-Present: Divisions of teaching and clinical service, (Invited to become member by national committee of the Academy)

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR SEX EDUCATORS, COUNSELORS, AND THERAPISTS.

- 1986-1989 Clinical Member, (by invitation upon completion of requirements of the association)

AMERICAN ORTHOPSYCHIARIC ASSOCIATION

1982-Present Fellow, (by invitation)

1976-Present Member

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

1986-Present Diplomate in Clinical Social Work (Invitation upon completion of requirements)

1981-Present Registry of Clinical Social Work (Invitation)

1971-Present Academy of Certified Social Workers (Invitation upon completion of requirements)

1968-Present Member

NEBRASKA CHAPTER OF NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

1982 Planning Committee for annual program (Invitation)

1977-1978 Executive Committee, Member at Large. (elected position)

1977-1978 Grievance and Ethics Committee (appointed by president)

1976-1977 Chair of Public Relations Committee, (appointed by president)

1976-1977 Editor of State Newsletter

1975-1976 Regional Area Representative, Executive Committee (elected position)

AMERICAN BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF CLINICAL SOCIAL WORK

1991-Present Board Certified Diplomate (by invitation)

SOCIETY OF HOSPITAL SOCIAL WORK DIRECTORS. OF AMERICAN HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION

1983-1984 President of state association. (elected)

1981-1983 President elect (elected)

1982 Chairperson, Curriculum Committee (appointed)

1980-1981 Member, Curriculum and Practicum Committee (appointed)

1978-1986 Member

SOCIAL WORKERS IN HEALTH SETTINGS ASSOCIATION

1973-1974 President of state association (elected)

1972-1973 Vice President of state association (elected)

1970-1975 Member

NEBRASKA HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION

1983 and 1973 Program planning committee for annual meeting (appointed)

1970-1984 Member

SOCIAL WORK DIRECTORS NATIONAL COUNCIL OF UNIVERSITY AFFILIATED FACILITIES

1982-1983 Member of the Executive Board (appointed)

ASSOCIATION FOR THE PSYCHOLOGY OF WOMEN

1985-1989 Member of clinical division

UNIVERSITY RELATED SERVICES

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA

CAMPUS WIDE ACTIVITIES

1992-1994 Graduate Council, Member (elected)

1992-1994 Committee B, Curriculum Development Committee, Member

1989-Present Women's Studies faculty, Member

1980-Present Graduate Faculty, Member

COLLEGE OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC SERVICE

1999-2000 Personnel Committee, CPACS

1996-1997 Excellence in Teaching committee, Member

1990, March Internal Review Team for Public Administration

1986-1988 Advisory Council, CPACS

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

Executive Body Committee, Member
1972-Present

Graduate Program Committee
2002-Present Chair

Self Study Committees

2003-2004 Micro curriculum committee, Member

1995-1996 Curriculum Committee Member

Student Development Committee Member

1982-1983 Community Representative Member

Search Committee

2001-2002 College of Public Affairs and Community Service, Member
Director of School of Social Work

Search Committee School of Social Work

2002-2003 Member

2001-2002 Chair

2000-2001 Chair

Personnel Committee,

2002-2003 Member

1999-2002 Chair

1996-Present Member

1986-1993 Member

1989-1990 Chair

Admissions Committee

1993-1995 Member

1988-1992 Member

1993-1995 Member

1986-1987 Member

Curriculum Committee

1995-Present, Member

1986-1987 Member

1979-1982 Member

Marriage and Family Therapy Advisory Council

1985-1986 Chair

1981-1986 Member

Graduate Program Review Committee

1983-1984 Member

Micro Curriculum Task Force

1982-1983 Member

Practicum Committee

1982-1983 Member

Task Force for Specialization in Health

1982-1983 Member

Rural Representative to Practicum Committee

1983-1984 Member

1972-1976 Member

Student Advisement 24-32 Graduate Students per year, Individual conferences at least twice during the academic year.

1973-1976 Administrator of Grant for Rural Social Work Education, in conjunction with Veterans Administration, Washington D.C. Recipient of Award.

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER

1985-1986 Hospital Management Organization Committee, Member

1984-1986 University Hospital, Continuing Education Committee, Member

1984-1986 University Hospital, Management Information Administration Group. Member

1985-1986 University Hospital, Assistant Directors Administrative Council Member

1986 University Hospital, Search Committee, Social Work Director, Member

1986 University Hospital, Public Relations Committee

1983 Chairperson Advisory Council, Program and Discipline Directors Meyer Children's Rehabilitation Institute Member (1982-1984)

- 1981-1984 Coordinator, Supplemental Security Income Program
Disabled Children's Program, State Department of Welfare Staff and
Program, Meyer Children's Rehabilitation Institute
- 1981-1982 Pain Management Program, University Hospital, Clinical staff consultant
- 1980-1982 Adaptive Equipment Advisory Council, Meyer Children's Rehabilitation Institute
- 1982 Education Advisory Committee, Member
- 1982 Head Trauma Committee, Member
- 1981-1982 Search Committee, Department of Speech Pathology, Member
- 1980-1981 Search Committee, Department of Psychology, Member
- 1981-1982 Stuttering Clinic Committee, Member
- 1979-1982 Social Work Education and Curriculum Task Force, Chair.
- 1979-1980 Extension Advisory Committee, Member
- 1979 Community Outreach Task Force, Member

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT LINCOLN

- 1984-1986 Department of Adult and Continuing Studies, Advisory Board.
- 1984-1985 Advisory Board, Department of Adult and Continuing Studies, Member
- 1982 Division of Continuing Studies, Planning Committee, Spring Institute, Member
- 1978-1979 Barkley Center, Multidisciplinary Staff, Social Worker on Team
- 1978 Barkley Center, Continuing Professional Development Committee, Member

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT KEARNEY

- 1976-1977 Instructor of Social Work Courses (part-time)
- 1977-1986 Advisory Board of Social Work Program (Appointed)
- 1975-1977 Committee to create social work curriculum (Invitation)

AWARDS RECEIVED FOR PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 1999-2000 Outstanding faculty member, School of Social Work
- 1995 Certificate in Recognition of Service
Nebraska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy
- 1990-1991 Excellence in Teaching Award, University of Nebraska at Omaha
- 1980-1981 Outstanding Woman of the Year Award
- 1978-1979 Social Worker of the Year Award, Nebraska Chapter
National Association of Social Workers
- 1977-1978 Exemplar Award, Nebraska Chapter
National Association of Social Workers
- 1975-1976 Superior Performance Award
Veterans Administration Hospital
Grand Island, NE.
- 1974-1975 Superior Performance Award
Veterans Administration Hospital
Grand Island, NE.

ADVISEMENT ACTIVITIES

Student advisement is an important part of my academic role at the University. Each semester I provide academic advisement to 20 to 26 graduate students who have been assigned to me for advisement. I work with each of these students through out their graduate education at the School of Social Work. These students meet with me each semester to plan their course of study, review their academic progress, assure that they are following the necessary administrative procedures such as completing their application for candidacy with the graduate college and other activities. I deal with any academic concerns related to their performance or conduct at the school, and assist them in planning for their professional careers after graduation. I typically will provide reference letters for them for employment, and offer any other supportive services possible to them as they transition into a professional role after their graduation.

Most of these advisees are graduate students who are in concentrated areas of study in mental health or in marriage and family therapy. As coordinator of the mental health curriculum, and a primary faculty member in the marriage and family therapy concentration, I work directly with these students to assure their readiness for this field of practice in social work. I often have communications from many of them after their graduation and have provided supervision, educational materials or resources, or referrals to them as requested. Advisement enables me to have an individual relationship with these students that enhances their professional development. them after their graduation and have provided supervision, education