

JOHNNA MATTHEWS

EDUCATION

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL
Master of Social Work
Specialization in Mental Health

2000

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL
Bachelor of Social Work
Minor in Spanish

1998

AWARDS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS

PIP Certification in Mental Health and Social Work Administration
Social Worker of the Year – Tuscaloosa VA Medical Center
Trained in Motivational Interviewing
Certified in Social Skills Training for Mental Illness

Issued 2005 – Renews 2018
2005

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL

Adjunct Instructor – SW 411 – Human Behavior and the Social Environment

2016-2017

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, and administered all grades. Met with students upon request, and graded all written work.

Adjunct Instructor – SW 542 – Social Work Practice with Communities and Organizations

Provided online instruction and administered all grades. Talked with students 1:1 upon request.

University of Montevallo, Montevallo, AL

Adjunct Instructor - SWK/PSYC 322 – Human Behavior and the Social Environment

2013-2016

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, and administered all grades. Met with students upon request, and graded all written work.

Adjunct Instructor – SWK/PSYC 380 – Mental Health Issues and Services

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, and administered all grades. Met with students upon request, and graded all written work.

Adjunct Instructor – SWK/PSYC 203 – Introduction to Social Welfare and Social Work

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, and administered all grades. Met with students upon request, and graded all written work.

Adjunct Instructor – SWK 390 – Social Work Practice with Groups

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, and administered all grades. Met with students upon request and graded all written work. Facilitated Group Lab, providing the students with an immersive experience with group social work.

Adjunct Instructor – SWK 410 – Social Work Practice with Individuals and Families

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, and administered all grades. Met with students upon request, and graded all written work.

Field Liaison – SWK 455 – Social Work Practicum

Served as the liaison between the University of Montevallo, the students, and the field placement agency during the students' social work practicum. Provided evaluation of and support to the students as well as the supervisors at the respective agencies.

Adjunct Instructor – SWK 456 – Social Work Integrative Seminar

Served as co-instructor of course, graded written work, and administered grades. Met with students in small groups to evaluate their progress in social work practicum.

CLINICAL/PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Chilton Shelby Mental Health Center, Pelham, AL

Outpatient Therapist**2014 – 2015**

Served as an outpatient therapist for both insured and private pay clients. Provided individual, family and group therapy services to clients with varying mental health diagnoses. Served children, adolescents, and adults.

Tuscaloosa VA Medical Center, Tuscaloosa, AL

Clinical Social Worker**2001 – 2014**

Worked in both inpatient and outpatient mental health service areas, including intensive case management, acute psychiatry, geriatric psychiatry, and long-term psychiatry. Served on numerous committees, including the Ethics Committee, Controlled Substance Inspection Committee, various social work committees, and hospital-wide committees. Served as Social Work Programmatic Lead for three years during the absence of a social work service.

Catholic Family Services, Tuscaloosa, AL

Social Worker**2000**

Provided individual and couples therapy. Provided consultation and case management to women/couples considering adoption as a resource for an unplanned pregnancy.

Department of Human Resources, Birmingham, AL

Social Worker**2000**

Served as child welfare in on-going services. Provided case management services to children and families involved in neglectful and abusive situations.