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QUALIFICATIONS

Dedicated, accomplished medical graduate, board certified in adult and child and adolescent psychiatry, with leadership strength seeks position in psychiatry, applying advanced training across spectrum of mental, emotional, and behavioral disorders to establish positive treatment environment. Background includes chief resident and clinical examiner in general psychiatry at *Stony Brook University Hospital*, and fellowship in child and adolescent psychiatry at *Albert Einstein College of Medicine at Long Island Jewish Medical Center*, direct care counseling in residential care setting, and extensive community service. Team player and excellent communicator who applies sound clinical judgment and acumen with interpersonal ease, effectively interacts with patients, families, staff, and colleagues. Additional capabilities in research and teaching.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- LONG ISLAND MIND AND BODY PLLC, Garden City
Psychiatrist October 2014-Present
- LONG ISLAND BEHAVIORAL MEDICINE PC, Islandia, NY
Psychiatrist June 2012-Present
- BROOKHAVEN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL MEDICAL CENTER
Attending Psychiatrist March 2011-June 2012
- Outpatient Mental Health Clinic
- PRIVATE PSYCHIATRIC PRACTICE, *Rachna Sharma MD PC*, Commack, New York
Psychiatrist January 2008-June 2012
- HOPE FOR YOUTH, Amityville, New York
Attending Psychiatrist September 2009-March 2011
- Therapeutic Foster Care Program
- NORTH SHORE CHILD AND FAMILY GUIDANCE CENTER, Roslyn, New York July 2008-Present
Attending Psychiatrist
- General Mental Health
 - Turnabout Therapeutic Foster Care Program
 - Substance Abuse Program
 - Right From the Start Program
- CENTRAL NASSAU GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING CENTER, Hicksville, New York
Attending Psychiatrist July 2008-July 2009

EDUCATION & TRAINING

NSLIJHS/ALBERT EINSTEIN COLLEGE OF MEDICINE AT LONG ISLAND JEWISH MEDICAL CENTER, New Hyde Park, New York

Fellowship in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, July 2006- June 2008; Completed June 2008

NYU PSYCHOANALYTIC INSTITUTE, *New York University School of Medicine*, New York, New York
Certificate in Psychodynamic Psychotherapy, September 2005-May 2007; Completed May 2007

STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL, Stony Brook, New York

Residency (PGY-1 to PGY-4) in General Psychiatry, July 2002-June 2006; Completed June 2006
-PGY-4, Chief Resident

~ Monitor inpatient unit, overseeing admissions and assignments to residents; conduct rounds as needed.

~ Perform diverse administrative and clinical duties, including operation of day program and leadership of medication group.

~ Member of Residency Training Committee and House Staff Committee.

~ Organize and conduct PRITE review; teach medical students; organize retreats; make call schedules.

~ Facilitate and ensure problem resolution with residents and/or faculty.

-PGY-3

~ Co-leader, Psychotherapy Group

-PGY-2

~ Co-leader, "Ethical Discussions" for medical students

ROSS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, Portsmouth, Dominica, West Indies

Doctor of Medicine, April 2002

~ *Recipient*, Honors in Psychiatry, Pharmacology, Microbiology, Behavioral Sciences, Pathology, Surgery, Family Practice, Radiology, Neurology

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK (SUNY) GENESEO, Geneseo, New York

Bachelor of Arts in Biology, May 1998

~ Minor, Human Development

~ *Teaching Assistant*, Psychology/Child Psychology, 1995, 1998

~ Study Abroad Program, Mother Teresa Home, 1995 – 1996 (Dec-Jan)

~ Dean's List, 1994, 1996

LICENSURE & CERTIFICATIONS

Board Certification in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, November 2008

Board Certification in General Adult Psychiatry, May 2007

New York State Medical Licensure, October 2006

USMLE, Step 3, Passed 2003

USMLE, Step 2, Passed 2001

USMLE, Step 1, Passed 2000

Clinical Skills Assessment, Passed 2001

Certificate (#0-615-395-1), Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG), 2002

Certificate, Basic Cardiac Life Support (BLS), 2010

RESEARCH

- PUTNAM HALL, Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook, New York 2005
- 2006
- Researcher to Judith Crowell, M.D.
- Assist in a study of the affects of mental illness or past trauma experienced by the mother on interactions with her child.
- Perform coding of maternal behavior from videotaped parent-child interactions.

COMPREHENSIVE PSYCHIATRIC EMERGENCY PROGRAM (CPEP),

Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook, New York

2005 - 2006

Researcher to Gabrielle Carlson, M.D.

- Collect and review chart data for a study of children and adolescents presenting for emergency psychiatric services for suicidal ideation, behavior and/or depression and correlate with the use and benefit of SSRI treatment.

AWARDS

Recipient, Clinical Excellence Award, New Hyde Park, New York 2008

Recipient, Resident of the Year Award, Stony Brook, New York, 2006

Recipient, Community Service Award, Geneseo, New York, 1998

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Member, National Eating Disorder Association, 2007-Present

Member, Indo-American Psychiatric Association, 2004 - Present

Board Member, GLIPS, 2008-2009

Member, American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, 2004 - 2009

Member, American Psychiatric Association (APA), 2002 – 2009

PRESENTATIONS

LONG ISLAND JEWISH MEDICAL CENTER, NEW HYDE PARK, NEW YORK

A Boy who wants to be a Girl: A Case Presentation of Gender Identity Disorder. Grand Rounds Presentation, June 5, 2008.

STONY BROOK HOSPITAL, Stony Brook, New York

Internet Stings and Pedophilia; Should Psychiatrists Care. Grand Rounds Presentation, June 6, 2006.

STONY BROOK HOSPITAL, Stony Brook, New York

Cultural Assessment in Clinical Practice. Grand Round Presentation, June 14, 2005.

