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A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To appoint Ms. Elizabeth Corson Mohler to the Citizen Review Panel.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Citizen Review Panel Elizabeth Corson Mohler Appointment Resolution of 2018”.

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia appoints:

Elizabeth Corson Mohler
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Washington, DC 20008
(Ward 3)

as a member of the Citizen Review Panel, established by section 351 of the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect Act of 1977, effective April 12, 2005 (D.C. Law 15-341; D.C. Official Code § 4-1303.51), to serve for a term ending three years after the effective date of this resolution.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution, upon its adoption, to the appointee, the chairperson of the Panel, and to the Office of the Mayor.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in the District of Columbia Register.

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PROFILE

Determined, results-oriented manager and clinician. Expert in crisis management and in navigating fluid work environments. Highly skilled in interpersonal relations and team building. Experienced in program development and in developing and managing budgets. Strong verbal and written communication skills. Readily masters new information.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

LATIN AMERICAN YOUTH CENTER

2014- Present

Washington, DC

Social Services Director - May 2017-Present

- Provides leadership for Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders Treatment Program.
- Seeks funding opportunities and continues to build internal program capacity Participates in the preparation of proposals.
- Prepares the annual budget in coordination with the COO and CFO.
- Reviews and approves mental health and substance use disorders clinical manuals.
- Develops, implements and monitors administrative and programmatic procedures to facilitate and enhance the delivery of services.
- Oversees all personnel matters, including: Hiring and firing, training, supervising and evaluating.
- Leads all compliance activities in accordance to DBH Chapters 63 and 34 that regulates the provision of substance use disorders and mental health services respectively;
- Sits on Suitability Committee of the District of Columbia Juvenile Behavioral Diversion Program.

Clinical Supervisor – May 2014-May 2017

- Led program transition from paper to electronic consumer records via Department of Behavioral Health Integrated Care Applications Management System (iCAMS). Trained all staff in iCAMS, acts as program “super user.”
- Established and directed Community Based Intervention (CBI) program. This is the first fully bilingual Spanish/English CBI in the District of Columbia, which fills a longstanding gap in services for Latino families in DC.
- Implemented Adolescent Community Reinforcement Approach (A-CRA), an evidence-based program for substance use disorders treatment. Certified A-CRA supervisor and clinician.
- Directed Quality Assurance activities for Behavioral Health Program.
- Developed and delivered training program for staff.
- Facilitated Affiliation Agreement for clients to receive psychiatric services with partner agency.
- Supervised team of six masters and bachelor level clinicians who provide mental health, substance use disorders services to DC youth.

FOUNDATIONS FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY

2010-2014

Washington, DC

Senior Supervisory Social Worker

Led unit of five social workers and one family support worker in therapeutic foster care program. Provide clinical and administrative supervision to staff. Promote practice model that empowers families involved in the child welfare system to plan for their children’s futures.

- Monitored unit performance which averages 95% of required benchmarks.
- Coached and facilitated family team conferences using agency practice model to assist families in moving toward permanency.
- Collaborated with family members, foster parents, court system, DC government and other private agencies to ensure best outcomes for children.
- Recognized by team members for effective leadership and maintaining a positive work environment.
- Planned and executed successful retreat for 80+ staff with no financial support from agency.

WALTER REED ARMY MEDICAL CENTER

2008-2010

Washington, DC

Social Worker, Adult Behavioral Health Clinic

Provided assessment and psychotherapeutic treatment to soldiers in the Warrior Transition Unit returning from Iraq and Aghanistan, as well as other active duty military members and their families.

- Provided intake assessment for approximately 75 patients.
- Carried ongoing caseload of more than 30 patients.
- Developed and led group therapy program for female soldiers.

DIDI HIRSCH COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

2003-2008

Los Angeles, CA

Was rapidly promoted to management positions at non-profit community mental health center serving low income, minority populations.

Program Coordinator II, Child Outpatient Program

- Coordinated and managed day-to-day operations of large child/adolescent outpatient program (350+ clients).

Child and Family Therapist II

- Supervised Associate Clinical Social Workers.
- Provided psychotherapy to children ages 4-18.

CalWorks Therapist

- Provided psychotherapy to CalWorks participants as part of Welfare-to-Work plans.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Certificate for Advanced Trauma Training – Level I, Ferentz Institute	2017
Certified Supervisor and Clinician, Adolescent Community Reinforcement Approach	2015
National Association of Social Workers, Metro DC Chapter, <i>Member at Large</i>	2013-Present
National Association of Social Workers, Metro DC Chapter, <i>Treasurer</i>	2011-2013
Exploring Complementary and Adjunctive Medicine in the Military, <i>Interim Chair</i>	2009-2010

EDUCATION

Yale University

Bachelor of Arts, cum laude

University of California, Los Angeles

Master of Social Welfare