

Chris Applicant

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Education

Bachelor of Social Work, May 2015

West Chester University of Pennsylvania, West Chester, PA

Social Work Experience

Social Work Practicum

Keystone Charter High School, Philadelphia, PA

September 2014 - present

- Provide individual assessment of diverse teenagers diagnosed with learning disabilities and behavioral disorders
- Co-facilitate sessions of a peer mentoring program for teen girls to encourage self-esteem and teamwork
- Collaborate with team of social workers and observe meetings between social workers, faculty and parents to develop individualized plans for students
- Developed and implemented various forms of games and play to develop participants' self-confidence and social skills

Related Experience

Lead Counselor, Counselor-in-Training Program

XYC Summer Camp, Lake Winston, VT

Summers 2012 - 2014

- Prepared twelve youth ages 14-16 to become responsible summer camp counselors
- Developed daily classes that implemented lecture, group activities, and discussion to develop responsibility and leadership
- Led hiking, biking, and other outdoor activities to build teamwork and confidence

In-Home Child Care

Various Employers

August 2010 – May 2013

- Provided care to children, from infants to 10 years old
- Engaged children in social, educational, and recreational activities and assisted two children with mathematics and reading aptitude

Language Proficiency

Conversational in Spanish (reading, writing, and speaking)

Other Skills and Interests

Hiking, rock climbing, kayaking
CPR, AED, & First Aid Certification (June 2012)