

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS OF EDMOND A. PROVIDER

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EDUCATION

1971	B.S. Rehabilitation Counseling, Pennsylvania State University
1973	M.Ed. Rehabilitation Counseling, Pennsylvania State University
1977-1987	Rehabilitation Counseling Doctoral Candidate, 42 credits, N.Y.U.
2003	University of Florida/Intelicus Life Care Planning Program for Catastrophic Case Management, 128-post graduate hours

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Vocational Expert/Life Care Planner Occupational Assessment Services

August 1981 to Present

Evaluate the vocational potential and employability of able-bodied and disabled individuals through interviewing, reviewing records, and/or administration of vocational testing to provide a vocational appraisal as to the individual's ability to work in the competitive labor market. Develop and implement Life Care Plans for catastrophic individuals. Consult with industry and government agencies regarding Americans with Disabilities Act. Provide initial assessment, vocational evaluation, counseling, case management, and job-placement services to assist industrial-disabled and able-bodied clients return to gainful employment, given their residual functional capacity.

Vocational Expert/Physician Life Care Planning

December 2011 to November 2016

Evaluate the employability and earning capacity of disabled individuals through interviewing, reviewing records, and/or administration of vocational testing to provide a vocational appraisal as to the individual's ability to work in the competitive labor market.

Director/Rehabilitation Counselor/Phoenix Rehabilitation Center

July 2007 to December 2010

Develop Rehabilitation Center for poor, physically disabled children in the Vidigal Favela in Rio de Janeiro Brazil which involved community coordination, volunteer recruitment, fund raising, and government liaison.

Vocational Consultant Social Security Administration

*June 1997 to September 2000
October 1977 to September 1985*

Provided impartial vocational testimony in Social Security Disability hearings as to claimants' ability to perform substantial gainful activity, given their residual functional capacity.

Supervisor Vocational Facilities Mount Sinai Hospital

*December 1979 to December 1981
July 1974 to August 1978*

Supervised and administered the Sheltered Workshop and Vocational Evaluation Programs, which included the provision of supervision, counseling, work adjustment services, and job placement services to the physically disabled, mentally ill, visually impaired and industrially disabled.

Vocational Consultant

February 1975 to December 1979

Administered and developed vocational rehabilitation programs for South Beach Psychiatric Center, Staten Island Association for the Visually Handicapped and the Contemporary Guidance Service.

Rehabilitation Counselor/Federation of the Handicapped

March 1973 to July 1974

Provided individual and group counseling, vocational evaluation, work adjustment, and job placement services to severely physically disabled, visually impaired and developmentally disabled clients.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Certified Rehabilitation Counselor (#18792); Diplomate, American Board of Vocational Experts (#00448)
Certified Life Care Planner (#0501)
Professional Member of ABVE, IARPS, AREA, NAFE, RESNA
Commissioner of Life Care Planning