

Objective: *Seeking a position in Clinical Social Work*

Experience:

Kaiser Permanente **Denver, Colorado**
Palliative Care Clinical Social Work Intern **2010-2011**

- Clinically trained and implemented the Advanced Illness Coordinated Care (AICC) research intervention within the Kaiser Permanente system; developed in accordance with the Individual Review Board (IRB) approved multi-site evidence based research.
- Worked with existing health care providers to address social, emotional, spiritual, and pain management needs of those persons experiencing advance illness across multiple dimensions of care.
- Initiated client centered advance care planning discussions, including completion and medical chart documentation of *pro se* documents as client desires.
- Provided culturally appropriate care based on client self report.
- Direct contact with clients and their families in order to assess solution focused interventions based on client's understanding of their diagnosis, prognosis and goals of care as well as making care plan recommendations.
- Attended interdisciplinary team meetings and rounds to assist in developing interventions for complex patients.

March of Dimes NICU Family Support Program **Denver, Colorado**
at Children's Hospital
Family Support Intern - Neonatal Intensive Care Unit **2010**

- Provide educational materials that introduce parents to the staff, equipment, procedures and conditions that they may encounter in the NICU.
- Support and preparation for those with high-risk pregnancies, information and support for siblings and the extended family, support for Spanish-speaking families, a photo keepsake program, easing the transition from NICU to home, and bereavement support.

The Denver Department of Human Services & The Mayor's **Denver, Colorado**
Commission to End Homelessness
Denver's Road Home Intern Representative **2009**

- Administration of Grants written for nonprofit organizations across the Denver Metro area.
- Planned and formulated educational material for a new program designed to help homeless men and women who are involved or have been in the criminal justice system reenter the workforce.

Brookdale Senior Living **Lakewood, Colorado**
Executive Chef **2009**

- Provided the management of all food service operations for a senior living facility consisting of 100 people.
- Oversaw and implemented nutritional and dietary requirements of seniors

Share Our Strength (S.O.S.) - Operation Frontline **Denver, Colorado**
Chef Instructor **1995-1997**

- Conducted Classes for lower socio-economic women regarding nutrition and food shopping economically.
- Taught basic cooking skills and techniques for high quality and nutritionally balanced food.

