

Resume

Robert J. Powitzky, Ph.D. Clinical/Forensic Psychologist

Name: Robert J. Powitzky, Ph.D.

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Birthdate: September 25, 1946

Licensure: Oklahoma (# 877), Texas (# 2-2436, inactive status)

Education and Training:

- 1969 -- B.A., Psychology Major, Sociology Minor, Baylor University, Waco, Texas.
- 1975 -- Ph.D., Clinical Psychology, University of Texas Health Sciences Center, Dallas, Texas.
- 1975 -- Present -- Numerous advanced and post-graduate level training seminars in clinical, forensic, administrative, legal and law enforcement advanced topics.

Professional Experience:

Licensed Psychologist, Forensic/Clinical/Correctional, Private Practice,

July 2013 to Present

Provides clinical and forensic evaluation, consultation, and treatment specializing in issues of sexual abuse, substance abuse, and violence. Consultant to state and local correctional systems. Adjunct Professor, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, OUHSC, Oklahoma City. Adjunct Faculty, University of Oklahoma, Department of Criminal Justice.

Chief Mental Health Officer, Oklahoma Department of Corrections.

September, 1999 to July 2013 (Retired)

Responsible for development and implementation of all mental health services for the department. Consultant and trainer for the department's employee assistance program. Adjunct Professor, Department of Psychiatry, OUHSC. Consultant to other correctional systems and national research projects.

Licensed Psychologist, Forensic/Clinical/Correctional, Private Practice,

June, 1984 to September, 1999, Dallas, Texas

September, 1999 to present, part-time, Oklahoma City, OK

Provides clinical and forensic evaluation, consultation, and treatment specializing in issues of sexual abuse, substance abuse, and violence. Consultant to state and local correctional systems. Adjunct Faculty, U.T. Health Sciences Center, Dallas. TX.

Regional Administrator, Psychology Services, South Central Region, U.S. Bureau of Prisons.

February, 1982 to June, 1984

Administered and supervised mental health services in the South Central Region of the U.S. Bureau of Prisons. Provided consultation and training to other local, state, federal and foreign agencies.

Assistant Director, Health and Program Services, Arkansas Department of Corrections

August, 1980 to February, 1982

Responsible for medical, mental health, classification/case management, academic, vocational training, chaplaincy, and substance abuse services and programs for the department.

Chief, Psychology Services, U.S. Bureau of Prisons

January, 1977 to July, 1980

Responsible for supervision and direction of psychologists and interns for the entire Bureau. Clinical Director of all Bureau Chemical Dependency Programs. Consultant to other state, federal, and foreign agencies. Implemented and directed the Bureau's first nation-wide Employee Assistance Program.

Chief Psychologist, U.S. Bureau of Prisons Federal Correctional Institution, Seagoville, Texas

September, 1975 to January, 1977

Supervised and provided direct clinical, research, training, and consultation Services in a federal correctional facility. Adjunct faculty, U.T. Health Sciences Center and part-time faculty, University of North Texas.

Unit Manager, U.S. Bureau of Prisons Federal Correctional Institution, Pleasanton, CA

February, 1974 to September, 1975

Director of treatment and management of a specialized differential treatment Program for selected young adult male federal inmates.

Staff Psychologist, U.S. Bureau of Prisons Federal Correctional Institution, Seagoville, Texas

September, 1973 to February, 1974

Psychology Intern, U.S. Bureau of Prisons Federal Correctional Institution, Seagoville, Texas

September, 1972 to September, 1973

Resident Counselor, Turtle Creek Manor, Dallas, Texas. (Halfway house for persons previously hospitalized or placed by the Courts for mental illness)

July, 1970 to September, 1972

Caseworker/Counselor, Gatesville State School for Boys, Gatesville, Texas.

1969

Youth Activities Supervisor, Gatesville State School for Boys (Uniformed security officer).

1968

Professional Associations and Consultations:

Founding member of the Association of Mental Health Administrators, 2009-present. Member of the first Administrative Committee, 2009-2011.

Member, Advisory Council, TOPICC (The Oklahoma Partnership for Creating Change), an organization of mental health and law enforcement professionals. 2008-present.

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Member, Board of Directors, Oklahoma Psychological Association, 2003-2008.

Member, Board of Directors, Mental Health Association of Oklahoma County, 2002-2004.

Member, Board of Directors, Oklahoma National Alliance for the Mentally Ill, 2001-2004.

Member, Oklahoma State Mental Health Planning Council, 1999-present.

Member Expert Panel, SAMSHA/NASMHPD Research Project on costs of mental health services provided by other state agencies, 2004-2008.

Member of expert panel for NIC Research on staffing of specialized mental health and medical units, 2004.

Member of the International Association of Correctional and Forensic Psychologists (formerly American Association of Correctional Psychologists): Past President, 1979, and Past Secretary-Treasurer, 1978.

American Psychological Association: Board of Directors, Division of Psychologists in Public Service; Chair, Criminal Justice Section; APA Representative on the National Advisory Council of the Joint Commission on Criminology and Criminal Justice Education and Standards; Member of the 1977 APA Committee of Education Credentialing; One of 100

Consultant to and/or expert witness for over 17 federal state, municipal, and foreign prison and jail systems. Latest, Delaware DOC, as consultant for Criminal Justice Institute, Inc., 2007

National Institute of Corrections Consultant. Developed and co-directed four national Seminars on Mental Health Services Delivery in Jails and Prisons, National Academy of Corrections, Boulder, CO, 1983-1984.

Consultant/Trainer to Texas Department of Human Services, Texas Youth Commission, Dallas Incest Recovery Association, Homeward Bound, Inc., YMCA, St. Joseph's Children's Center, Promise House, The Dallas Interagency Adolescent Sex Abuse Survivors Treatment Program, and numerous psychiatric hospital units in the Dallas-Ft. Worth metro area, 1985-1999.

Examples of Publications:

Mann, B., Bond, D., & Powitzky, R.J. (2011). Collaborating for success in interagency correctional mental health reentry. *Corrections Today*, Vol(#), 30-33.

Powitzky, R., "Mental health and corrections in the 80's. *Corrections Today*, January, 1981, pp.4-7.

"A useful management tool for understanding correctional mental health services," *Correctional mental health report*, 4(5), January/February 2003, 65-66, 77-80.

"Deinstitutionalization to reinstitutionalization," *Oklahoma Psychologist*, Spring and Summer, 2007.

"Today's Correctional Mental Health Services," *Inside Corrections*, November 2008, 23-26.

“ Comparison of Correctional and Community Mental Health Service Delivery Models. In R. K. Ax & T. Fagan (Eds.), (2011) *Correctional Mental Health*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, Inc.

“ Federal Bureau of Prisons 1978 Report: Task Force and Executive Staff Report on the Role of Psychologists in Federal Prisons, in *Corrections and Mental Health*, National Institute of Corrections, Corrections and Mental Health, April, 2011,
<http://community.nicic.gov/blogs/mentalhealth/default.aspx>