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Board and Commission Application

Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Boards and Commissions

Public Statement

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Title *Field not completed.*

First Name Escarleth

Last Name De Leon

Today's Date 1/20/2021

Street Address 5566 Second Avenue

City Ferndale

Zip 98248

Do you live in & are you registered to vote in Whatcom County? Yes

Do you have a different mailing address? YES

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Step 2

1. Name of Board or Committee	Child & Family Well-Being Task Force
Child & Family Well-Being Task Force	Yes
2. Do you meet the residency, employment, and/or affiliation requirements of the position for which you're applying?	Yes
3. Which Council district do you live in?	District 5
4. Are you a US citizen?	Yes
5. Are you registered to vote in Whatcom County?	Yes
6. Have you declared candidacy (as defined by RCW 42.17A.055) for a paid elected office in any jurisdiction within the county?	No
7. Have you ever been a member of this Board/Commission?	No
8. Do you or your spouse have a financial interest in or are you an employee or officer of any business or agency that does business with Whatcom County?	No
You may attach a resume or detailed summary of experience, qualifications, &	Attached

interest in response to the following questions

9. Please describe your occupation (or former occupation if retired), qualifications, professional and/or community activities, and education

I am currently, a bilingual Spanish/English Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist in private practice serving children and families. I have previously worked with the preschool program, the Maternity Support Services program, and provided counseling at Community Mental Health center serving children and their families.

10. Please describe why you're interested in serving on this board or commission

I am interested in collaborating with the Board members to share my input about improving the wellbeing of children and their families in our community.

References (please include daytime telephone number):

Allison Williams (360) 319-2064
Isabel Meaker 360-2014875

Signature of applicant:

Escarleth De Leon

Place Signed / Submitted

Ferndale, WA

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Education

Seattle Pacific University, Seattle, WA

Earned a Masters Science in Marriage and Family Therapy on June 2013

Trinity Western University, Bellingham, WA, 2007-2009

Completed Bachelor's Degree in Psychology with a Certificate in Human Services

Colegio la Ilustracion, Mazatenango, Suchitepequez, Guatemala, C.A 1993-1995

Completed 4-year degree in Education, with Home-Economic emphasis.

Work Experience

Private Practice in Bellingham from January 2014 to present:

Responsible for overseeing the administrative logistics, marketing and providing direct services to clients.

Catholic Community Services, Child and Family Therapist. Bellingham, March 2013 to August 2016:

- Conducting diagnostic assessment identifying client and family strengths and needs.
- Developing, implementing, and updating client treatment plans as required, using appropriate therapeutic modalities to build on strengths and collaborating with client/family and natural and community supports.
- Providing ongoing safety/crisis planning for clients and families.
- Providing responsive crisis management
- Identifying and arranging for appropriate collaboration with other pertinent resources.
- Completing all paperwork according to agency policy, to include treatment plans, progress notes and appropriately coded event/service tickets, service level assessments, regular treatment plan reviews, transition summaries, and other documentation or correspondence required
- Consulting with designated supervisor(s), peers, psychiatrist and others in community as appropriate for quality of care.
- Participating in training and professional development as required by agency and program.
- Participating as integral part of agency clinical team to deliver individualized and tailored services to clients and function as peer support system to clinical colleagues.

Sea Mar Community Health Centers, Bellingham

January 2012-February 2013. Mental Health Provider I

Provided direct clinical services to clients such as diagnostic evaluations, developed and implemented treatment plans, assisted clients with safety/crisis planning, completed paperwork according to agency policies and collaborated with other providers to coordinate services for clients.

April 2011-January 2012. Behavioral Health Case Manager

Performed administrative tasks and case management for clients. Assisting with scheduling, processing referrals, and coordination of services with other providers for quality of care.

Bellingham, June 2008-March 2011. Maternity Support Services Community Health Worker

Performed administrative tasks:

Processing referrals, scheduling new clients for enrollment in program, maintained client lists up-to-date, prepared and led case conferences with the MSS team and closed charts.

Assisted in the day to day coordination of services, outreach to migrant farm workers, provided case management for clients, client satisfaction surveys, and other tasks as assigned.

Pleasant Valley Montessori School, Teacher Assistant.

Ferndale, April 2008-June 2008.

Supervised and facilitated a safe and fun learning environment for a mixed age group of children ranging among 2-5 years old.

Whatcom Day Academy, Bilingual Toddler/Preschool Para educator/Preschool Counselor/Shopper

Bellingham, September 2006-February 2008.

Assisted in lesson planning, classroom set up and clean up. Helped with material preparation, recess, lunch and nap time supervision. Taught Spanish to preschoolers. Led small group activities. Substituted 2 months for Spanish teacher. Provided childcare before school. Served as preschool counselor over the summer camp. Assisted with shopping for the school as needed and did other duties as assigned.

Certifications

- Gottman Level 1
- Fortaleciendo Familias Facilitator
- Certified Positive Discipline Parent Educator
- Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist
- PREPARE/Enrich Facilitator/Trainer
- Mental Health Professional
- Child Mental Health Specialist
- CANS certified
- MAP/WRAP Evidenced-Based Practices
- TF-CBT

Bilingual: Spanish/English