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B.S.W| M.S.W | R.S.W

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Registered Social Worker (RSW) with experience in Forensic Social Work, Voice of the Child Reports, court-related family services, direct individual therapy, high-conflict separation and divorce, family violence concerns, safety planning, parenting consultation, and work with at-risk youth and vulnerable individuals. Skilled in providing trauma-informed clinical support, specializing in systemic approaches that integrate CBT, Narrative Therapy, and Focusing to deliver goal-oriented interventions that cultivate inner resilience and empower clients to achieve meaningful change.

CORE QUALIFICATIONS

- Parenting Plan Evaluations, Voice of Child report involving minors and vulnerable individuals
- Parenting intervention in high-conflict separation, co-parenting dynamics, parenting coordination, and child-focused best-interests work
- Direct individual therapy with adolescents, adults, families, older adults, and caregivers, utilizing CBT-informed interventions, cognitive restructuring, emotional regulation, and development in coping skills.
- Risk assessment, safety planning, crisis intervention, family violence concerns, and trauma-informed practice
- Collaboration with police, legal professionals, schools, healthcare providers, family workers, and community services

RELEVANT SOCIAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Social Worker, Forensic Social Work, Family Services, and Older Adult Services | Jordan Valley Department of Social Services, Israel | 2020-2024

- Conducted court-requested Parenting Plan Evaluations and Voice of Child Reports involving minors, vulnerable adults, guardianship matters, and complex family systems.
- Worked with high-conflict families experiencing separation, divorce, custody disputes, family violence concerns, and child safety issues.
- Provided crisis intervention, counselling support, parenting guidance, advocacy, and resource navigation for individuals and families in distress.

Youth Social Worker | Ma'ale Efraim Department of Social Services, Israel | 2019-2020

- Provided individual and group interventions for at-risk adolescents experiencing emotional, behavioral, family-related, and safety concerns.
- Conducted home visits and risk assessments.
- Collaborated with schools, police, families, and community services.
- Developed individualized intervention plans.

At-Risk Youth Center Manager | Ma'ale Efraim Department of Social Services, Israel | 2017-2019

- Managed daily operations of a youth center serving at-risk adolescents, including staffing, scheduling, programming, and crisis intervention.
- Facilitated workshops and group activities supporting youth development, peer relationships, and independent functioning.

RELEVANT CLINICAL TRAINING EXPERIENCE

CBT Therapist in Training | Psagot Institute, Israel | 2025-Present

- Provide individual CBT-focused therapy as part of supervised clinical psychotherapy training.
- Conduct structured therapeutic sessions using CBT-informed interventions, including psychoeducation, cognitive restructuring, emotional regulation, behavioral activation, and coping skills development.

ADDITIONAL CANADIAN EXPERIENCE

Supply Teacher | The Toronto Heschel School, Toronto, ON | 2024- May 2025

- Supported children in structured educational settings while maintaining a safe, respectful, and inclusive environment.
- Collaborated with school staff to support student engagement, classroom functioning, and social-emotional needs.

EDUCATION

- **Master of Social Work (MSW),** Clinical Therapy Track, Bar-Ilan University, Israel | 2022-2024 MSW
  NOTE: recognized as equivalent to a Canadian MSW by the Canadian Association of Social Workers.

- **Bachelor of Social Work (BSW),** Ariel University, Israel | 2016-2019

Certifications and Registrations

- **Registered Social Worker –** (Ontario College of Social Workers & Social Service Workers OCSWSSW) (2026)

- **Registered Forensic Social Worker** (Ministry of Welfare and Social Affairs, Israel) (2022)

- **Registered Social Worker** (Ministry of Welfare and Social Affairs, Israel) (2019)

Professional Training

- **CBT Psychotherapy Training,** Psagot Institute, Israel| 2025-Present
- **Legal Procedures in Social Work (Forensic Social Work),** Central School for Training Social Workers, Israel | 2021-2022
- **Grief and Bereavement Intervention**, Central School for Training Social Workers, Israel | 2021
- **Intervention with Youth and Young Adults at Risk,** Central School for Training Social Workers, Israel | 2020
- **Crisis Intervention and De-escalation Training**, Cohen Harris "Hosen" Center, Israel |2020

LANGUAGES

English | Hebrew