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**EDUCATION AND REGISTRATION**

- Apr. 2002      University of Toronto, **Master of Social Work (MSW)**
- Apr. 1992      University of Western Ontario, Kings College,  
**Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)**
- Apr. 1988      Humber College of Applied Arts and Technology,  
**Social Service Worker Program (SSW)**, Graduated with Honours
- Spring 1998-  
Present      **Registered in the Ontario College of Social Service Workers and Social Workers**  
(formerly the Ontario College of Certified Social Workers) Reg. no. 322871
- Dec 2002-  
Present      **Member of Ontario Association of Social Workers**, membership no. 8093

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Spring 2011  
Present      **Instructor/Developer**, George Brown College, School of Emergency Management,  
Course: EMRG 9048 - Disaster Recovery - Behaviour and Mental Health
- Feb 2004-  
Present      **Supervisor**, Psychosocial Health, Ontario's Emergency Medical Assistance  
Team (EMAT) Part-time (PSH team coordination/supervision, bi-annual training, deployment as  
needed)
- July 2002-  
Present      **Social Worker**, , Sunnybrook and Women's College Health Science Centre,  
Trauma; Emergency, General Medicine, Critical Care, SARS Unit  
**MSW Student Field Instructor**: 4 students
- June 1993-  
July 2002      **Community Health Counsellor/Community Support Counsellor**, Reach Services (formerly the  
Community Aftercare Program), Toronto East General Hospital (TEGH)

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**EMERGENCY/DISASTER RESPONSE RELATED COMMITTEES**

- July 2011-  
Present      **Member**, Ontario Psychological Association Disaster Response Committee
- June 2011-  
Present      **Member**, Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre, Code Orange (External Mass Casualty) and Code  
Green (Evacuation) Planning Committees
- Nov 2007  
Present      **Member**, National Emergency Psychosocial Formerly the *Interagency Psychosocial Working  
Group* with the Public Health Agency of Canada.  
looking at issues of standardization and training around psychosocial response in Canada.
- Jan 2007  
Present      **Member**, *Surge, Sort and Support Working Group* with the Public Health Agency of Canada.  
(mandate is the creation of an online course for hospital staff to teach hospital staff from across  
Canada to be able to respond intelligently to a Mass Casualty Incident.)
- Oct 2003-  
Present      **Member**, *Psychosocial Emergency Response and Recovery Services (PERRS) Committee*  
Public Health/City of Toronto

**EMERGENCY/DISASTER RESPONSE RELATED EXPERIENCE**

July 2011 **Northern Forest Fire Evacuations:** (EMAT) Thunder bay, Greenstone (Geraldton and Longlac)  
 June 2010 **G8:** (EMAT) Huntsville  
 Oct/Nov 2005 **Kashechewan First Nation E Coli Evacuation:** (EMAT) Sudbury  
 Feb 2003 **SARS:** (D4-SARS Unit), Sunnybrook Health Science Centre  
 Oct 2001 **911 Response:** New York/New Jersey, National Organization Victim Assistance (NOVA)

## EMERGENCY/DISASTER RELATED SPECIAL SKILLS AND TRAINING

2009 **Disaster Mental Health courses,** North Carolina Center for Public Health Awareness  
 Oct 2008 **Safety Function Action,** DEEP Centre, Train the Trainer  
 Nov 2007 **Basic Emergency Management,** George Brown College  
 Feb 2007 **Surge Sort and Support,** Disaster Behavioural Health, DEEP Center, University. Of Miami  
 1999/2000 **NOVA Basic and Advanced Certificates,** The National Organization For Victim Assistance.  
 Past Training **Certificate, Managing Acute Traumatic Stress, Certificate, Basic CISD, Certificate, Suicide Intervention Workshop**

## EMERGENCY/DISASTER PRESENTATIONS

June 2011 **Presenter,** “The Basics of a Hospital Psychosocial Response to a Mass Casualty Incident”, Vancouver, Sponsored by Provinces Health Services Authority and Providence Health Care  
 Winter 2010 **Co-Instructor,** “Ready, Willing and Able” a comparative psychosocial response model workshop  
 and 2011 Faculty of Social Work, University of Toronto (2 days) Co-Instructors: Ted Bober and John Hill  
 May 2010 **Presenter,** Canadian Association of Emergency Physicians’ (CAEP) 2010 Annual Conference in Montreal. Topic: Psychosocial Elements of a Hospital Response.  
 Sept 2009 **Presenter,** Distress Centre Annual Conference. Topic: Basics of Psychological First Aid  
 Nov 2009 **Presenter,** Mt. Sinai Psychiatry Education Day, Topic: Basic Hospital Psychosocial Response  
 Nov 2009 **Co-presenter,** Safety Function Action, DEEP Centre, with Jim Schultz in Toronto  
 May 2009 **Presenter,** World Association Of Disaster and Emergency Medicine, Victoria BC, Presentations:
 

- Decontamination a reflection on Gender and Cultural Psychosocial Realities
- Hospital/Community: An Integrated Psychosocial Response

## EMERGENCY/DISASTER ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Fall 2011 **Developer,** Centennial College, Psychosocial Issues of Disaster, to be part of a future emergency management bachelor level program.  
 Sept 2011 **Psychosocial End User Lead,** “Establishing an integrated National CBRNE Training System for Health, Psychosocial and Communication Responders”, A CBRNE Research and Technology Initiative (CRTI TD 180), Start date delayed from Sept 2009.  
 Fall 2011 **Author,** Family Unification (chapter 14), “Disaster Preparedness for Health Care Facilities” Produced by the Centre for Excellence in Emergency Preparedness (CEEP), Anticipated Publishing Spring 2012  
 April 2010 **Lead,** Family Reunification, for the Toronto Central LHIN G20 Preparedness Committee and the Toronto Hospitals Emergency Preparedness G8/G20 Summit Committee  
 Winter 2009 **Subject Matter Expert,** Hospital Psychosocial Health Response, IDEAS@Work (an online and table top code orange training program) Centennial College  
 Fall 2009 **Subject Matter Expert,** Hospital Psychosocial Health Response. Authored the Psychosocial Response recommendations for the Sunnybrook Health Science Centre’s Code Orange plan.  
 Spring 2008 **Subject Matter Expert, Psychosocial Health,** contracted to author Psychosocial/Behavioural Health Response Recommendations for the National Office of Health Emergency Response Teams to be used with their mobile medical teams.  
 April 2005-2009 **Lead Facilitator,** Family Support/Psychosocial Response Training *IDEAS Network (Interprofessional Disaster and Emergency Action Studies)*, Participated in the creation of multiple disaster exercises on issues including terrorism, pandemic and CBRN events.