

Lori Singer

Resuming private practice in Montreal where I had specialized in the diagnosis and treatment of

Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, DSM-V Personality Disorders, childhood sexual abuse and its related issues. Also provided psychometric testing in adults and adolescents, and administered testing and counselling to adolescents and adults who were referred for learning disabilities.

Developed a consultative, clinical supervision and teaching skills, alone or in a multidisciplinary team setting. I enjoy educating other professionals to promote autonomy and empowerment among their clients and in their communities. Expertise in risk assessment and management; trained as an Emergency Responder for critical incident stress response and debriefing. Experience in program development as well as individual case management and supervision. Provided a culturally sensitive and a contextual approach to legal, ethical and societal issues in psychology. Gained advanced computer knowledge and skills for example through my professional doctoral research in virtual reality

Prior (pre-Psychologist) experience at Corrections Canada, assessing recidivism risk and providing vocational counselling to inmates; family crisis intervention at a provincial juvenile offender facility; and experience in substance abuse and addictions; rehabilitation and reintegration of inpatients back into the community.

Private Practice in 2014+ will include face-to-face therapy for PTSD, and Personality Disorders, as well as crisis management of trauma and personality disorders, through online containment of brief online cognitive therapy. This will also include additional features for individuals and groups of anger management. In order to safeguard confidentiality, the website where all the services are offered provides for standard encryption, and secure transmission, for a safe environment

Honors and Awards:

People to People Ambassador to South Africa (appointed delegate)

Canadian Psychological Association
November 2008

As a member of the Canadian Psychological Association, I was invited to be one of the delegates to go to South Africa as part of an interchange of cultures and to discuss ethical concerns within their psychological community. It was an honor for to participate amongst those who help others to form the ethical building blocks in the field of psychology and to learn from the experience.

T.V. Psych Consultant- Canadian Case Files

Appeared in three episodes (Season 2), CRTC Program Recognition Numbers C23628, C24892, C25944
April 2005

Was asked by Global Television and their sponsors to be a Psychological Consultant for the television show "Canadian Case Files" with respect to discussing past film records of true events in Canadian criminal history of young adult and adolescent criminals within different parts of Canada. The ethical concerns were assured and I was given the go ahead to do 3 sets based on my first showing.

Licenses and Organizations:

L'Ordre des Psychologues du Quebec

Full Time Member

Licensed Clinical Psychologist, & Psychotherapist, 1997 – current.

Northwest Territories Psychological Association

Membership- Licensed, Full and Active Membership in another province in Canada

Health and Care Professions Council

Membership- Clinical Psychologist, U.K., Nov 1, 2010- June 6, 2015.

British Psychological Society

Membership- Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership, Graduate member of the Society.

Education:

Metanoia Institute (Middlesex University) London, U.K

Part-Time Professional Doctorate Program- 2 years

Counselling Psychology

Online Therapy Institute

Supervision 40 hours-2015 Current

Cyber-Facilitator Online, Certification Awarded 2013

MCGILL UNIVERSITY, Montreal, Quebec, Canada:

Master of Education in Counseling Psychology Awarded, 1994

CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY, Montreal, Quebec, Canada:

Family Life Education Certificate Awarded, 1991

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology (Specialization) Awarded, 1983

Certifications:

Autism Today: 5th National Conference-Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, Scotland

November 2009 – Present

Phase-Oriented Treatment of Psychological Trauma: Evidence-Based Treatment of Simple and Complex Trauma.

Harvard Medical School Department of Continuing Education, Boston, Massachusetts

Certificate Awarded. December 2008 – Present

Incident Command System (ICS):Special Needs Planning Considerations for Service and Support Providers; Introduction to the Incident Command System

Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security, ICS to Healthcare Organizations I-200 level: Certificate Awarded. November 2009-Present

Disaster Response for Emergency Responders

U.S. National Transportation Safety Board, Washington, D.C, NTSB Certificate Awarded. November 2008- Present.

Essential Components of a Child Custody Evaluation

Order of Psychologists of Quebec November 2007-Present

INTERNSHIP AND TRAINING EXPERIENCE:

Sir Mortimer B. Davis Institute of Family and Community Psychiatry, Montreal, Canada, 1994-

1997:Post-Graduate Psychodynamic Psychotherapy Training Program: Supervised clinical program consisting of 30 seminars and courses covering diagnosis, mental status examination, clinical interviewing skills, case studies from Freud and other psychoanalytic and psychodynamic theorists, as well as practical case management, supervision and team rounds.

Ensemble CLSC Lac St-Louis, Montreal, Canada, 1991-1992: McGill Internship conducted in a Mental Health Facility in Pointe-Claire, Quebec, supervised by a registered Psychologist. Management of clinical cases in individual and group psychotherapy, evaluations, progress notes, case presentations and psychometric testing including projective and intellectual testing. Team rounds and supervision.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE-Basic Highlights:

My clinical professional experience is varied, comprehensive and multi-faceted. It includes the following descriptions that is applicable both in Canada and the United Kingdom:

- **NHS Foundation Trust Essex Inpatient Wards**
- Management and Debriefing during an Emergency situation
- Training Lectures and Supervision (junior doctors, staff, residents, psychology student)
- Psychotherapy and testing of Trauma, and PTSD patients; consultation during psychiatric rounds.
- **ResponseWorks, Inc**
- Emergency Response Team
- Assess crisis situation, coordination resources, debrief individuals and families who survive a disaster
- Teach and supervise students and support personnel
- **Canadian Correctional Services (Federal)**
- assessing male inmates risk of recidivism, as well as their need for education, psychological intervention, and vocational skills. Researched culturally appropriate tests for culturally disadvantaged inmates with respect to timed intelligence tests. Developed models of report forms which were used as a format for other Canadian provinces

Warrendale Rehabilitation Centre, Toronto Ontario (Childcare Worker II)

- Served as a counsellor for juveniles in a secure rehabilitation facility. Conducted assessments, designed and wrote up a plan of care for each case, provided individual counselling, crisis intervention, individual and group therapy for adolescents. Provided family support,
- consultation with parole officers and social workers, coordinated shifts and provided feedback on volunteers and students.