Jamarkus Guest, MSW

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EDUCATION

Master of Social Work

University of West Florida Date of graduation: 2021

Bachelor of Science – Social Work

University of West Florida Date of graduation: 2020

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Outpatient Therapist

12/23 - current

Children Home Society

Pensacola, Florida

- Provide outpatient counseling services to children and their families.
- Traveling out into the community to collaborate with schools, communities, and the Department of Children and Families

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Therapist

07/2022 -11/23

Exclusive Hawaii Rehab

Location Hakalau, Hawaii

- Alcohol and substance use counseling with a trauma lens
- Conducted a 40-hour training for EMDR training

Clinician 06/2021- 7/2022

Pittington Counseling

Location Orlando, Florida

• Provided counseling in a private practice setting for children and adults.

Behavioral Health Technician

04/2020- 06/2021

Centurion Managed Care

Location Milton, Florida

- Implemented interventions for patients in a correctional mental health/healthcare setting
- Participated in weekly multidisciplinary treatment planning meetings
- Supervised patients and provided formal education in routine activities of daily living

- (hygiene, eating, recreation, etc.)
- Providing care and activities programming as well as social rehabilitation and leisure activities
- Assisted in the preparation and maintenance of records about patient mental health

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Formative research
- Transcription of interviews
- Writing introduction, background, and discussion for publishable manuscripts
- APA 7 proficiency

PUBLICATIONS

VanHook, C., Samuel, K., Baber, L., **Guest, J.** (publication in process). Young black men and mental health care: An intersectional framework.

Caldwell, C. & Guest, J. (publication in process). Hidden voices: Black men in social work.