

## BETH S. BARRETT, MSW, LCSW, CDFT

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### EDUCATION

**Master of Social Work**, May 2006      **Saint Louis University**, St. Louis, Missouri  
Health concentration; focus in pediatrics, end-of-life, and bereavement.

**Bachelor of Arts**, May 1981      **DePauw University**, Greencastle, Indiana  
Major: Economics; concentrations in psychology, theology, mathematics.

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### LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

**Licensed Clinical Social Worker**: State of Missouri, #2009009352      2009—Present

**Licensed Clinical Social Worker**: State of Illinois, #149.015203      2012—Present

**Qualified LCSW Supervisor**, Missouri      2014—Present

**Certified Diversity FaciliTrainer**, NCCJ of St. Louis      2022—Present

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### FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

**Saint Louis University**, St. Louis, Missouri

- **Associate Clinical Professor**, School of Social Work      7/2020—Present
- **Assistant Clinical Professor**, School of Social Work      8/2014—6/2020
- **Director of Field Education**      7/2016—7/2022  
Responsible for MSW and BSSW practicum programming, including policies and procedures, Office of Field Education documentation and record-keeping, new site development, orientation, student liaison assignments, student disciplinary issues, training new faculty liaisons, coordinating with local universities in the St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, managing off-campus partnership MSW field programs, and supervising field education administrative assistant.
- **Field Liaison**, Field Education Department      8/2014—Present  
Advise, assist, and mentor MSW students as professor of record as they select and participate in their practica experiences, including site visits, field support, and coordination of final evaluations. Teach coordinating Integrative Seminar courses.
- **Chair, School Social Work Specialization**      8/2014—8/2022
- **Chair, Health Specialization**      8/2015—7/2018
- **Adjunct Assistant Clinical Professor**, School of Social Work      1/2013—8/2014
  - **Field Liaison**, Field Education Department      1/2013—8/2014

Advised, assisted, and mentored MSW and BSSW students as professor of record as they selected and participated in their practica experiences, including site visits, field support, and coordination of final evaluations. Taught coordinating Practice Seminar courses.

- Instructor 8/2011—8/2014

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Saint Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri

- **Death, Dying, and Grief: Professional Practice and Self-Awareness** (SWRK 5786) - Graduate; *Course redesign; taught on-line and in-person*
- **MSW Clinical Concentration Practicum Seminar** (SWRK 5820) – Graduate; *Course redesign; taught on-line and in-person*
- **Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families, and Groups** (SWRK 5750) – Graduate; *Course redesign*
- **School Social Work** (SWRK 5720) - Graduate
- **Independent Study: End of Life Issues** (SWRK 5980) - Graduate
- **Interprofessional Team Seminar** (SWRK 5731) – Graduate; Faculty group facilitator
- **Loss, Grief, & Healing** (SWRK 5763) - Graduate
- **End of Life Care and Social Work Practice on an Interprofessional Team** (SWRK 5786) – Graduate (MSW) and Undergraduate (Nursing)
- **BSSW Practicum Seminar** (SWRK 4150 & 4250) - Undergraduate
- **Health & Human Behavior** (SWRK 5734) – Graduate; *Course redesign*

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## SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

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### Saint Louis University

#### University

- Interprofessional Education Core Development Committee, 4/2020 – 4/2021
  - CPHSJ faculty representative
- Interprofessional Education Faculty Advisory Committee, 5/2018—5/2021

#### College for Public Health and Social Justice

- Coordinating Council, 5/2019—5/2022
- CPHSJ 2025 Steering Committee (strategic planning committee), January-April, 2021
- Faculty Council Executive Committee, 8/2016—5/2018
- Academic Affairs Committee, 5/2016—5/2018
- Recruitment “Go Team” Committee, 11/2017—5/2018

#### School of Social Work

- Field Education Curriculum Committee, 8/2014—Present;

- Chair, 8/2016—8/2022
- Field Education Advisory Committee, 8/2014—Present;  
Chair, 8/2016—7/22
- Directors Advisory Council, 8/2016—8/2022
- MSW Program Committee, 8/2014—Present
- MSW Clinical Committee, 8/2014—Present; Chair, 7/2019—1/2020
- Equity & Inclusion Committee, 10/2018—8/2019; 8/2021—Present
- BSSW Core Curriculum Committee, 10/2020—9/2021
- SSW 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Planning Committee, January—May, 2021
- BSSW Program Committee, 8/2013—8/2014

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### **CLINICAL and PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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#### **BJC Hospice & Supportive Care, St. Louis, Missouri**

- Social Worker and Bereavement Specialist, Wings Pediatric Hospice and Supportive Care 2011 - 2013
- Coordinator of BJC Hospice grief camp and retreats 2011 - 2012

#### **The ALS Association, St. Louis Regional Chapter, St. Louis, Missouri** 2006 - 2011

- Patient Services Coordinator

#### **St. Louis Children's Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri** 2005 - 2006

- Medical Social Work Practicum Student

#### **BJC Hospice & Supportive Care, St. Louis, Missouri** 2004 - 2005

- Bereavement and Pediatric Hospice Practicum Student

#### **May Centers, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri** 1989 - 1990

- Assistant Mall Manager and Marketing Director

#### **Famous Barr, St. Louis, Missouri** 1985 - 1989

- Divisional Sales Manager
- Buyer

#### **Wm. H. Block Company, Indianapolis, Indiana** 1981 - 1985

- Buyer; Assistant Buyer; Department Manager, Executive Training Program

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### **PRESENTATIONS**

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#### **PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS**

Gettinger, T., Wallace, C.L., & Barrett, B. (October, 2019). Graduate students' anxiety and attitudes about death: Role of prior death experiences. *Council on Social Work Education, 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Program Meeting*, poster presentation, Denver, CO.

**Barrett, B.** (March, 2019). Beyond Self-Care: Building Resiliency for Professional Competence. *Social Work Hospice & Palliative Care Network, 2019 General Assembly*, Orlando, FL.

Wallace, C.L., **Barrett, B.**, Wladkowski, S.P., & Gibson, A. (March, 2019). Narrative Medicine & Clinical Reflection (3-hour pre-conference workshop). *Social Work Hospice & Palliative Care Network, 2019 General Assembly*, Orlando, FL.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (November, 2018). *Sharing the Sandbox: Regional Field Collaboration for Equity, Efficiency, and Effective Learning*. Council on Social Work Education, 64<sup>th</sup> Annual Program Meeting, Orlando, FL.

Wallace, C.L., Wladkowski, S.P. & **Barrett, B.** (February, 2017). Exploring boundaries and ethical issues in hospice and palliative care. *Social Work Hospice and Palliative Care Network, 2017 General Assembly*, Scottsdale, AZ. Pre-conference workshop.

#### INVITED PRESENTATIONS

**Barrett, B.** (October, 2022). *Beyond Self-Care: Building Resilience for Professional Well-Being*. Legal Services of Eastern Missouri, St. Louis, MO. Two-hour presentation provided to staff for professional development.

**Barrett, B.** (March, 2022). *Building Resilience: Utilizing Self-Care for Professional Well-Being*. Keynote speaker for Special School District Schools' Social Worker Appreciation Day, Hazelwood, MO. Two-hour CE presentation to 120 district social workers.

**Barrett, B.** (March, 2022). *Hidden Roadblocks: Identifying and Addressing Grief*. Catholic Charities Continuing Education, St. Louis, MO. Provided to staff for professional development.

**Barrett, B.** (September, 2021) *Understanding Children's Grief; Using Professional Self-Care*. Webinar in-service training for St. Louis Crisis Nursery Family Empowerment Program staff.

**Barrett, B.** (April, 2021). *Beyond Self-Care: Building Resilience for Professional Well-Being*. Saint Louis University School of Social Work Continuing Education Program Series, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** (February, 2021) *Understanding Children's Grief; Using Professional Self-Care*. Webinar in-service training for St. Louis Crisis Nursery Family Empowerment Program team leaders.

**Barrett, B.** (February, 2021) *Self-Care for Effective Helping Professionals*. Catholic Charities Continuing Education, St. Louis, MO. Webinar provided to staff for professional development (3 hours).

**Barrett, B.** (November, 2020). *Self-Care for Effective Helping Professionals*. Webinar presentation for Nurses for Newborns, St. Louis office. Provided to staff for professional development.

**Barrett, B.** (December, 2018). *Let's Party! The Importance of Celebrations & Holidays while Living with ALS*. Webinar presentation for the ALS Association National Chapter, Care Services Educational Topic Call Webinar Series.

**Barrett, B.** (July, 2018). *Understanding the Influence of Grief in Trauma Therapy*. In-service training, Washington University St. Louis Hospital-Based Violence Intervention Program, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** (February, 2018). *Change, Loss, and Grief Across the Adult Life Cycle*. Care and Counseling 2018 Spring Seminar Series, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Wallace, C. (February, 2018). *Hidden Roadblocks: Identifying and Addressing Grief*. Catholic Charities Continuing Education, St. Louis, MO. Provided to staff for professional development.

**Barrett, B.** (January, 2018). *Change, Loss, and Grief throughout the Adult Life Cycle*. Places for People Continuing Education, St. Louis, MO. Provided to staff for professional development.

**Barrett, B.** (September, 2017). *How to have Difficult Conversations: From Diagnosis to Death*. Saint Louis University School of Social Work Continuing Education Program Series, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.S.** (February, 2017). *Maintaining Relationships during a Journey with ALS*. Webinar presentation for the ALS Association National Chapter, Care Services Educational Topic Call Webinar Series.

**Barrett, B.** (July, 2016). *Loss, Grief, and Professional Self-Care*. In-service training, The ALS Association, St. Louis Regional Chapter, St. Louis, MO. Provided to chapter staff.

**Barrett, B.** & Karavousanos, K. (July, 2016). *Good Grief! Can't You Just Get Over It?* Gateway Alliance for Compassionate Care at End-of-Life speaker series, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** (September, 2015). *Coping with Changes, Loss, & Grief Throughout the Adult Life Cycle*. Catholic Charities Continuing Education, St. Louis, MO. Provided to staff for professional development.

**Barrett, B.** (September, 2015). *Change, Loss, and Grief in the Adult Life Cycle*. Saint Louis University School of Social Work Continuing Education Program Series, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** (September, 2015). *Barriers to Learning*. In-service training, Carver Elementary School, Saint Louis Public School District., St. Louis, MO. Provided to school faculty and staff.

**Barrett, B.** (April, 2010). *Helping Children Understand and Cope with ALS: From Diagnosis through Death*. Invited teleconference presentation for the ALS Association, Greater Philadelphia Chapter. Provided for patients and caregivers with children.

**Barrett, B.** (October, 2009). *Come Play With Me: Approaches for Therapeutic Work with Children of Patients with ALS*. Invited webinar presentation for Patient Services, ALS Association National Office.

**Barrett, B.** (June, 2009). *Come Play With Me: Approaches for Therapeutic Work with Children of Patients with ALS, Day 2*. Invited presentation for The ALS Society of Canada's National Conference, Halifax, Nova Scotia. Focus on developing children's programs for Canadian chapters and the clinical setting.

**Barrett, B.** (June, 2009). *Come Play With Me: Approaches for Therapeutic Work with Children of Patients with ALS*. Invited keynote presentation for The ALS Society of Canada's National Conference, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

**Barrett, B.** (January, 2009). *Come Play With Me: Approaches for Therapeutic Work with Children of Patients with ALS*. Invited presentation at The ALS Association 2009 Leadership and Clinical Conference, Newport Beach, California.

**Barrett, B.** (January, 2009). *Introduction to ALS* informational forum. Panel discussion participant, The ALS Association 2009 Leadership and Clinical Conference, Newport Beach, California.

**Barrett, B.** (January, 2009). *Bereavement Program, St. Louis Regional Chapter*. Invited poster presentation, The ALS Association 2009 Leadership and Clinical Conference, Newport Beach, California.

**Barrett, B.** (January, 2008). *Helping Children Understand and Cope with ALS: From Diagnosis through Death*. Invited presentation at The ALS Association 2008 Leadership and Clinical Conference, Newport Beach, California.

#### **FIELD INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION TRAINING**

Rosenthal, P. & **Barrett, B.** (February, 2023). *Field Instructor as Teacher, Mentor, and Supervisor*. Field Instructor Certification Training, Session #5, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via webinar).

**Barrett, B.,** Rosenthal, P., Stafford, J, & McDermott, C. (August, 2022). *Facilitating the Learning Process and Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via webinar).

**Barrett, B.** (May, 2022). *Facilitating the Learning Process and Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training for SLU MSW @ Xavier learning site Field Instructors, Cincinnati, OH (via webinar).

Rosenthal, P. & **Barrett, B.** (February, 2022). *Field Instructor as Teacher, Mentor, and Supervisor*. Field Instructor Certification Training, Session #5, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via webinar).

**Barrett, B.,** Rosenthal, P., Stafford, J., & Caine, J. (January, 2022). *Facilitating the Learning Process and Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via webinar).

**Barrett, B.,** Rosenthal, P., Stafford, J., & Caine, J. (August, 2021). *Facilitating the Learning Process and Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via webinar).

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.,** Harpring, J., & Caine, J. (January, 2021). *Facilitating the Learning Process and Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via webinar).

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (August, 2020). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via prerecorded webinar).

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.,** Harpring, J., & Caine, J. (August, 2020). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO (via webinar).

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (January, 2020). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.,** Harpring, J. & Caine, J. (January, 2020). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (August, 2019). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.,** & Harpring, J. (August, 2019). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (June, 2019). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (August, 2018). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.**, & Harpring, J. (August, 2018). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (January, 2018). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.**, Harpring, J. & Mennes, C. (January, 2018). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (August, 2017). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.**, Harpring, J. & Mennes, C. (August, 2017). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (July, 2017). *Supervision and the Student*. Field Instructor Certification Training, US Department of Veteran Affairs, St. Louis Healthcare System In-Service, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P. & **Barrett, B.** (May, 2017). *Supervision and the Student*. Field Instructor Certification Training, Barnes-Jewish Hospital In-Service, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Harpring, J. (February, 2017). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.**, Harpring, J. & Mennes, C. (February, 2017). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

**Barrett, B.** & Stafford, J. (August, 2016). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Rosenthal, P., **Barrett, B.**, Harpring, J. & Mennes, C. (August, 2016). *Facilitating the Learning Process*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.

Williams, C. & **Barrett, B.** (January, 2015). *Successful Beginnings*. Field Instructor Certification Training, St. Louis Field Education Collaborative, St. Louis, MO.



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**GRANTS AND RESEARCH FUNDING**

Consultant-Social Work, *Evaluation of non-cognitive behaviors reflective of positive leadership in the clinical context*. Irma Ruebling Endowed Research Fund, 2021. Principal Investigator: C. Sebelki. (Funded).

Senior Faculty, Integrated Behavioral Health Practice Fellowship for Children and Youth (IBHP-CY). Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Behavioral Health Workforce Education and Training Grant, 2021. \$1.8 million. Principal Investigator: M. Mancini. (Funded).

Senior Faculty (1 year), Opioid Workforce Expansion Program (OWEP) Professional grant. Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), 2021. Principal Investigator: M. Matthieu. (Funded).

Consultant-Field Education, Clinical Practice with Children and Youth Behavioral Health Education and Training Grant Field Stipend Program. Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Behavioral Health Workforce Education and Training Grant, 2014. \$460,000. (Funded).

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**PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS**

**Supervisor for Social Work Licensure**, October, 2014—Present.

- October, 2014—May, 2017; 2 supervisees.
- August, 2019—Present; 2 supervisees.

**Field Instructor for MSW Practicum Students, Saint Louis University**, January, 2013—July, 2014; January, 2016—May, 2016; August, 2022—May, 2023.

**Field Instructor for MSW Practicum Student, University of Missouri, Saint Louis**, August, 2016—May, 2017.

**“Daybreak: A Couples’ Grief Retreat,” February, 2012.** Developed and executed BJC Hospice’s first one-day retreat designed for couples who have experienced the death of a child; only event of its kind in the St. Louis area; **co-facilitator, February 2013; presenter and activity leader, February, 2014; activity leader, October, 2015.**

**Field Instructor for MSW Practicum Student, Washington University**, January—August, 2012.

**Field Instructor for MSW Practicum Student, University of Illinois**, May-December, 2010.

**The ALS Association 2009 National Clinical Conference Planning Committee**, March-December, 2008.

**The ALS Association 2008 National Clinical Conference Planning Committee**, March-December, 2007.

**“Loss & Grief: A manual to help those living with ALS, their families, and those left behind,”** Barrett, B. for the ALS Association, St. Louis Regional Chapter, May, 2007. Wrote and compiled this practical tool for use with patients and their families in addressing end-of-life issues, facilitating family discussion, and to provide resources, activities and information on grief. Sections are designed for patients, caregivers, and parents of children, with separate pullouts for children 12 & under, teens, and young adults.

**“ALS Activity Book: Helping children understand the puzzle of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis,”** by Riggs, M., Zuellig R., and Barrett, B., revised March, 2007. Assisted in updating this hands-on tool by contributing educational and developmental guidelines as well as additional activities, games, and learning pages for working with children as they learn about ALS, identify and process emotions, and create positive ways to help themselves and their families throughout their journey with ALS.

**In-service presentations, The ALS Association, St. Louis Regional Chapter, 2006-2011.** Provided educational seminars to healthcare workers and hospice agencies on ALS, symptom management, and best practices care. Also, provided end-of-life presentations regarding the needs and issues specific to ALS patients.

**“Young Adults & Grief: Information Packet,”** Barrett, B. for BJC Hospice and Supportive Care, April, 2005. Produced an age-appropriate bereavement packet for young adults, containing community and internet resources, educational materials, and emotional support information, which is distributed to patients’ families through bereavement services.

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## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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- **NCCJ of St. Louis FaciliTrainer Certification Program,** St. Louis, MO, September, 2021—January, 2022.
- **Social Work Licensure Supervisor training,** State of Missouri, January, 2014—Present.
- **Field Supervision Training, St. Louis Education Field Collaborative,** November, 2011—Present. Trained as qualified Field Instructor for practicum students.
- **Certified in Thanatology: Death, Dying, and Bereavement (CT),** national designation conferred by the Association of Death Education and Counseling 2007—2019
- **Mid-America Transplant Services Designated Requestor,** “The Caring Question” Program training for organ donation, January 2006

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## PROFESSIONAL and COMMUNITY SERVICE

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**National Association of Deans & Directors,** Field Sub-Committee, April & May, 2020

**Qualified LCSW Supervisor** for State of Missouri

2014—Present

**Gateway End-of-Life Coalition, St. Louis, Missouri** March, 2015—Present

- Board of Directors, March, 2015 – November, 2019
- Advisory Board, November, 2019 – Present

**ALS Association, St. Louis Regional Chapter, St. Louis, Missouri** 2013—Present

- Advisory Director, May, 2019 – Present
- DEI Committee Consultant, March, 2022 – Present
- Program and Services Committee, 2013 – Present; Chair, 2015 - 2018
- Unification Committee, December, 2021 – June, 2022
- Board of Directors, March, 2014—May, 2019
- Board Executive Committee, January, 2015—August, 2017

**BJC Hospice and Supportive Care, St. Louis, Missouri** 2005—Present

- “Weavings” grief retreat weekend for mothers, Small Group Leader, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022; General volunteer, 2006, 2007, 2011.
- “Daybreak” grief retreat for parents, Session Facilitator, Volunteer, 2013, 2014, 2015;
- “Labyrinth” grief retreat for teens, 2005, 2006; group facilitator, activity volunteer.
- “Stepping Stones Bereavement Camp,” Clinical Staff Volunteer, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021; Activity Leader, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021; Cabin Facilitator, August, 2005.

**Friends of St. Louis Children’s Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri** 2004—Present  
Twigs group member

**Annie’s Hope: The Bereavement Center for Kids, St. Louis, Missouri** 2011  
Co-facilitator, grief retreat weekend for single mothers

**Ranken Jordan Pediatric Specialty Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri** 2002 - 2004  
Volunteer, weekly

**Make-A-Wish Foundation, St. Louis, Missouri** 2002 - 2004  
Volunteer and Wish Granter

**Sts. Joachim and Ann Care Service, St. Charles, Missouri** 1997 - 2002  
Volunteer Case Manager and Co-chair Adopt-A-Family program

**Francis Howell School District, St. Charles, Missouri** 1996 - 2001  
Co-facilitator, District Curriculum & Instruction Committee; Principal Selection Committee; Redistricting Committees; School Improvement Team, PTO Executive Board; Spectra Parents’ Group (gifted program) Treasurer; Classroom volunteer and Room Parent

**First Congregational Preschool, Clayton, MO** 1994 - 1996  
Executive Board (President, Vice President) and Volunteer

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**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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- Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)
- National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
- Social Work Hospice and Palliative Care Network (SWHPN)
- North American Network of Field Educators & Directors (NANFED)
- P.E.O. (philanthropic educational organization)