County Council of Howard County, Maryland

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RESOLUTION NO. 123 - 2018

Introduced by: Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

A RESOLUTION confirming the appointment of Erica M. Martin to the Board of Health.

NOTE: [[text in brackets]] indicates deletions from existing language; TEXT IN SMALL CAPITALS indicates additions to existing language. Strike-out indicates material deleted by amendment; <u>Underlining</u> indicates material added by amendment.

1	WHEREAS, Section 404 of the Howard County Charter and Section 6.300 of the Howard
2	County Code provide for the County Executive to appoint and for the County Council to confirm
3	nominees to Howard County Boards and Commissions created by law; and
4	WHEREAS, Sections 6.323 and 12.101 of the Howard County Code provide for a Board
5	of Health in Howard County; and
6	WHEREAS, the County Executive has proposed the appointment of Erica M. Martin as a
7	member of the Board of Health; and was A. Man and the sum of the Board of Health; and
8	WHEREAS, the County Council ratifies the County Executive's special trust and
9	confidence in the abilities of the nominee.
10	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Howard County,
11	Maryland this day of October 2018 that the following person is appointed as a
12	member of the Board of Health to serve from the passage of this Resolution to June 1, 2023 or
13	until a successor is appointed and confirmed:
14	Erica M. Martin
15	Ellicott City, Maryland

Erica M. Martin, MSW, LCSW-C, CMFSW, ADS

Education

2005 University of Maryland, School of Social Work, Baltimore, MD Master of Social Work, Summa cum Laude Recipient of Academic Achievement Scholarship Dual Concentrator in EAP and Mental Health with MACO certification

1995 Penn State University, State College, PA Bachelor of Science - Secondary Education/ English, Cum Laude Obtained additional accreditation in Special Education K-12

Graduate Internships

Aug. 2004-May 2005: Employee Assistance Service, NSA, Advanced Field Placement Hanover, MD

- Provided full range of clinical services to DOD employees and their dependents
- Performed psychological consultation, referral, assessment, and intervention
- Performed diagnostic evaluation, consultation, and treatment for individuals and families
- Conducted and co-facilitated workshops on alcohol abuse and marital communication
- Coordinated and implemented referral network
- Participated in strategic team meetings and presentation of clinical cases

Aug. 2003-May 2004: Charlestown Retirement Community, First Year Field Placement Catonsville, MD

- Provided in-patient geriatric services for acute care residents
- Completed initial intakes, psychiatric assessments, and long-term care referrals
- Provided support, education, and therapeutic services to family members.
- Conducted workshops, caregiver support groups, and residential activities
- Collaborated as a member of an interdisciplinary medical team
- Co-facilitated educational trainings and organizational strategic planning meetings
- Worked extensively with hospice care in the coordination and implementation of benefits

Employment Experience

Feb. 2010-Present: Owner and Director of Martin Counseling and Associates (MCA) Ellicott City, MD

- Initiated and developed a comprehensive dual diagnosis program for adolescents and adults, to include wellness based treatment modalities and alternative medicine
- Provides clinical and managerial oversight of program
- Performs diagnostic evaluation, consultation, and treatment for individuals and families
- Conducts and co-facilitates parental support groups
- Functions as a liaison between the program and components of the judicial system
- Conducts comprehensive mental health evaluations for various components of the legal system
- Coordinates care with local referral network of mental health providers and psychiatrists
- Provides invention and placement services to individuals and families
- Directs and coordinates psycho-social educational support groups
- Provides community based educational awareness campaigns, as well as professional development trainings
- Organizes and participates in strategic team meetings and presentation of clinical cases

Jun. 2008-Jan. 2010: Clinical Director of Adolescent and Young Adult Services (CAC) Columbia, MD

Developed and managed a comprehensive dual diagnosis program for adolescents/young adults

Provided clinical oversight of program and staff

Functioned as a liaison between the program and components of the judicial system

Directed and coordinated eight weekly psycho-social educational groups

Developed center-wide wellness program

Jun. 2006-Jun. 2008: Social Worker- Columbia Addictions Center (CAC) Columbia, MD

Performed diagnostic evaluation, consultation, and treatment for individuals and families

Conducted DUI/DWI and other legal evaluations

Conducted and co-facilitated workshops on alcohol and drug abuse

Coordinated and implemented referral network

Participated in strategic team meetings and presentation of clinical cases

Established therapeutic goals, long-term care plans, and discharge resource

Coordinated referral network of mental health providers, psychiatrists, and in-patient

Provided therapeutic and educational support for clients and family members

Worked closely with many community outreach organizations and departments of DSS/DJS Conducted research on benefits of Auricular Therapy on adolescents (NADA Conference)

Sept. 2005- Jun. 2006: Social Worker- Good Shepherd Center Arbutus, MD

Performed diagnostic evaluations, psychosocial histories, treatment planning, substance abuse screening, consultation, and related assessments

Provided family, individual, adolescent, and group therapy; specializing in child and adolescent trauma and abuse

Provided extensive psychotherapy, case management, evaluation and referral

Established therapeutic goals, long-term care plans, and discharge resources

Collaborated as a member of an interdisciplinary team of treatment providers

Provided therapeutic and educational support for residents and family members

Functioned as liaison between the Social Work department and other departments

Implemented after school programs which provided counseling and educational support services

Worked closely with many community outreach organizations and departments of DSS/DJS

Provided educational trainings for staff members and therapeutic support agents

Supervised and audited active case files for all assigned clients

Aug. 2001- Sept. 2005: Psychiatric Assistant/Office Manager, Dr. Bruce Rosenblum, M.D. Columbia, MD

Provider of Outpatient Services

Administrative charge of outpatient system for public and private sector

Oversight of insurance and EAP contracts.

Utilization review of all medical records, insurance claims, and treatment plans

Sept. 2005-June 2007: Dr. Bruce Rosenblum, M.D. - Independent Contractor/Therapist

- Provider of individual, couples, and family therapy
- Provider of therapeutic support groups

Aug. 2001- June 2005: Sykesville Group Shelter Home- Consultant Sykesville, MD

- Monitored program in conjunction with State Department of Education
- Assessed academic need of program and supervised preparation of annual budgets
- Collaborated with instructors in the development of Individualized Education Plans
- Ensured compliance with state and federal regulations
- Trained newly employed staff and assist with necessary credentialing
- Implemented special education services for students with extensive disabilities
- Networked with home schools to ensure educational continuity
- Developed current curriculum used for all major content areas of the program

July 1999- 2001: Sykesville Group Shelter Home- Clinical Director

- Clinical charge of secure treatment facility for female adolescent offenders
- Supervised three departments and 20+ staff members
- Performed diagnostic evaluations, substance abuse screening, consultation, and related assessments
- Provided family, individual, adolescent, and group therapy; specializing in child and adolescent trauma survivors
- Provided brief psychotherapy, case management, evaluation and referral
- Established weekly therapeutic goals and long-term care plans
- Conducted weekly workshop for community and professional groups and monthly staff trainings
- Coordinated internships with local colleges and universities
- Supervision to include clinical staff, program planning & management, on-call scheduling, and medical case record utilization and review

Sept. 1995- Jan. 1997: United Children's Home-Educational Rehabilitation Counselor West Hazleton, PA

- Provided therapeutic and educational support for a self-contained classroom for all grade levels
- Functioned as liaison between the program and the local school districts
- Implemented after school programs which provided counseling and educational support services
- Worked closely with many community outreach organizations
- Supervised the Provider 50 Unit, working therapeutically with profoundly mentally delayed clients and their families
- Provided educational trainings for staff members and faculty
- Supervised and audited all active case files

Professional Memberships and Licenses

- 1995 Obtained Master's level certification in Special Education K-12
- 1996 National Teachers Association
- 2005 Employee Assistance Professionals Association (EAPA)
- 2005 Obtained LGSW Licensure
- 2008 Licensed as Auricular Detoxification Specialist
- 2010 Licensed as Certified Masters of Forensic Social Work
- 2011 Obtained LCSW-C Licensure

Resear	rch/Committees/Trainings
2000	Implementation of program-wide assessment and education initiative
2000	Letter of Commendation for exceptional performance SGSH
2001	Implemented Empirically Supported Treatments in residential setting
2001	Participated in Care Task Force/Drug and Alcohol Counseling Initiative
2004	Completed empirical, five year longitudinal study on juvenile Bi-polar Disorder
2005	Obtained certification in Crisis Intervention with groups and individuals
2005	Obtained Academic Achievement Award from University of Maryland
2005	Obtained 24 CEUs and certification in Crisis Intervention and Debriefing
2005	Advisory Board member, UMBC, Social Work Baccalaureate program
2007	Certified as in Auricular Detoxification Specialist
2007	Presenter at National SNAPP Conference (Washington, D.C.)
2007	Presented research on Auricular Treatments at NADA National Conference (MI)
2008	Promoted to Clinical Director of Adolescent Services Columbia Addictions Center
2010	Awarded position as the treatment provider for Howard County Drug/DUI Court
2010	Appointed as expert witness in Howard County
2011	Presenter and trainer for the Mediation Center of Howard County
2012	Presented for NASW on "Substance Abuse and the Dually Diagnosed"
2012	Nominated as "Best Dual Diagnosis Program" in Howard County, MD
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	000 Pottorean High School Baltimore City Schools

1998- 1999 Patterson High School, Baltimore City Schools English Instructor, grades 9-12

1997- 1998 Raymond A. Rodgers Junior School, Upper Marlboro, MD Special Education Instructor, grades 7-12

1995-1997 United Children's Home, West Hazleton, PA Special Education Instructor, grades K-12