

GIZELLE JONES LISW-S

EDUCATION: M.S.W. The University of Michigan

Major: Interpersonal Practice
Minor: Administration

B.A. Bowling Green State University

Major: Psychology

Minor: Sociology

State Licensure: Licensed Independent Social Worker Supervisor (1991)

CAREER HISTORY AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Jewish Family Service – Akron, Ohio

10/99 to Present

Executive Director

- ❖ Provide individual and family counseling to senior and their families
- ❖ Develop and coordinate workshops and community education programs
- ❖ Develop and implement programs for seniors and their families.
- ❖ Develop and coordinate all supportive programs for seniors and their families.
- ❖ Develop and maintain agency budget
- ❖ Supervise all agency personnel
- ❖ Write grants and seek out additional funding for agency programs
- ❖ Network and develop collaborations with community organizations
- ❖ Provided family therapy to children and their families for 10 years

Private Practice- Fairlawn, Ohio

09/2011 to Present

Independent Contractor for the office of Dr Bharat Shah

- ❖ Provide individual counseling

Private Practice – Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio

01/98 to 8/2000

Independent Contractor for the office of Clifford Perea, M.D.

- ❖ Provide individual, family and marital counseling.
- ❖ Consultant/coordinator for an alcohol and drug abuse program for women.

Family Solutions – Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio

09/95 to 02/98

Licensed Independent Social Worker

- ❖ Provide individual, family and group counseling
- ❖ Supervisor of community outreach services.

Kaiser Permanente – Akron, Ohio

08/91 to 09/95

Psychiatric Social Worker

- ❖ Provide individual, family and group counseling.
- ❖ Case management of severe mentally disabled adults.
- ❖ Psychiatric evaluation and crisis management.
- ❖ Knowledge and skill used in Substance Abuse Assessment.

Family Services of Summit County – Akron, Ohio

Licensed Independent Social worker

Portage Path Community Mental Health Center- Akron, Oh

Social worker

Child and Adolescent Service Center- Canton, Oh

Social worker

**COMMUNITY
ACTIVITIES**

**Family Life and Parent Education Coalition 2001 to 2010
Coalition secretary in 2002; President 2003-2004**

United Way Food and Shelter Board Member 2001 to present.

Goodwill Board Member 2013 to the present

Mental Health Board of Summit County Board Member 2008 to present.

Senior Independent Living Coalition 2009 to the present.

**The Game Change: Committee to promote LGBT education awareness
2014-present**

Women's Endowment Fund Board Member 2015

Awards:

Akron Urban League's Women of Power Award 2014

