

Curriculum Vitae  
Mariam Fatehi, LMSW  
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**EDUCATION**

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2024 (expected)	PhD Candidate	School of Social Work, University of Georgia <i>Dissertation:</i> Adverse childhood experiences and caregiver relationship quality: risk and protective factors among emerging adults for prescription pain reliever misuse. <i>Committee members:</i> Drs. Orion Mowbray, Rachel Fusco, Michael Robinson
2018	MSW	School of Social Work, University of Georgia
2006	MA	Clinical Psychology, Tehran Institute of Psychiatry School of Behavioral Sciences and Mental Health (Rank #1 among clinical psychology departments in Iran), Iran University of Medical Sciences, (summa cum laude) <i>Dissertation:</i> Comparison study of temperament, characteristics and ego strength between youth who live in group home and youth who live with their parents. <i>Committee members:</i> Dr. Behrooz Birashk; Ms. Behnaz Afkham
1999	BA	Clinical Psychology, Department of Psychology, Azad University-Roudehen, Iran

**CERTIFICATION**

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2022                      Certification in Quantitative Methods in Family and Social Sciences, University of Georgia

**AREAS OF INTEREST**

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Mental Health, Substance Misuse, Adverse Childhood Experiences, Parent-Child Relationship, Emerging Adults

**PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES**

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1. **Fatehi, M.**, Fatehi, L. Mowbray, O. (2023) Autism spectrum disorder, parent coping, and parent concerns during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Children and Youth Services Review*. 149, 106923.  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chidyouth.2023.106923>
2. Alvarez-Hernandez, L. A., Childs, E. M., **Fatehi, M.** & Yeo, H. (2022). How perception relates to student utilization of college campus counseling services. *Journal of American College Health*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07448481.2022.2129973>
3. **Fatehi, M.**, Choi, J., Cho, H., An, S., Choi, G.Y., & Hong, S. (2022). Impact of adverse childhood experiences in the manifestation of intimate partner violence victimization and perpetration among college students: gendered perspective. *Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work*, 19(3), 1-19.  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/26408066.2022.2073796>
4. Mowbray, O., **Fatehi, M.**, Robinson, M., Skinner, J., Risler, E. & Dias, C. (2022). An assessment of program eligibility among participants in day reporting centers. *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology*, 1-13. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0306624X221086564>

5. Mowbray, O., **Fatehi, M.** (2021). Longitudinal trends in opioid-related mortality. *Journal of Social Work Practice in the Addictions*, 21(2), 1-13. <https://doi.org/10.1080/1533256X.2021.1893965>
6. Mowbray, O., Campbell, R.D., Disney, L., Lee, M., **Fatehi, M.** & Scheyett, A. (2021). Peer support provision and job satisfaction among certified peer specialists. *Social Work and Mental Health*, 19(2), 1-15. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15332985.2021.1885090>
7. **Fatehi, M.**, Miller, S. E., Fatehi, L. & Mowbray, O. (2021). A scoping study of parents with a history of childhood sexual abuse and a theoretical framework for future research. *Trauma, Violence, & Abuse*. 1524838020987822. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1524838020987822>
8. Mowbray, O., **Fatehi, M.**, Jennings, P., & Grinnell-Davis, C., & Elkins, J. (2020). Caregiver problem drinking and trajectories of traumatic stress among child welfare involved youth. *Children and Youth Services Review*. 105171. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chilyouth.2020.105171>
9. Villarreal-Otalora, T., Boyas, J.F., T., Alvarez-Hernandez, L. R, **Fatehi, M.** (2020) Ecological factors influencing suicidal ideation-to-action among latinx adolescents: an exploration of sex differences. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 118, 105444. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chilyouth.2020.105444>
10. Mowbray, O. Campbell, R., Lee, M., **Fatehi, M.** & Disney, L. (2020). A systematic review of psychosocial recovery-based outcomes in peer support services. *Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work*, 1-26. <https://doi.org/10.1080/26408066.2020.1805385>
11. Boyas, J.F., Villarreal-Otalora, T., Alvarez-Hernandez, L. R, **Fatehi, M.** (2019). Suicide ideation, planning, and attempts: The case of the Latinx LGB youth. *Health promotion perspectives*, 9(3), 198. <https://doi.org/10.15171/hpp.2019.28>
12. Falsafi, P., Abedin, A.R., & **Fatehi, M.** (2011) Appraisal of the relationship between typology and rate of marital agreement. *Procedia - Social and Behavioral Sciences*, 30, 1526-1529. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.sbspro.2011.10.295>
13. Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.**, & Dehghani, M. (2010). Construction, preparation, and normalization of Premarital Agreement Scale. *Procedia - Social and Behavioral Sciences*, 5, 838-841. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.sbspro.2010.07.195>
14. Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.**, & Ruben-Zadeh, Sh. (2010). Appraisal of counseling services at the Family and Child Clinic. *Journal of Mental Health*. 3(3), 55-62. In Persian.

## **BOOK REVIEWS**

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**Fatehi, M.** (2020). [Review of the book *Social Welfare for a Global Era: International Perspectives on Policy and Practice*, by J. Midgley]. *Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work*, 17 (3), 370-371.

## **NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS**

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1. Mowbray, O., Robinson, M.A., Skinner, J., Risler, E. & **Fatehi, M.** (2023). Evaluation of family treatment courts in the state of Georgia: Year 5. Athens: University of Georgia.
2. Choi, Y. J; **Fatehi, M.** (2022). Evaluation of an integrated program of family violence intervention and substance use treatment. The project's final report submitted at the Standing to Achieve New Directions (STAND, Inc.).
3. Shannon, S., Mowbray, O., **Fatehi, M.** & Moore, L. (2021). Athens-Clarke County criminal justice system data analysis report. Athens: University of Georgia. The project's final report submitted at the Athens-Clarke County Unified Government.

4. Mowbray, O., Robinson, M., Risler, E., Skinner, Scheyett, A., **Fatehi, M.** & Doran, E. (2019). State of Georgia DRC Program Assessment Tool (DRC-PAT): Instrument development and assessment of outcomes. Athens: University of Georgia. The project's final report submitted at the Department of Community Supervision, State of Georgia. <https://dcs.georgia.gov/document/publication/uga-report-october-2019/download>
5. Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.** & Dehghani, M. (2010). Construction, preparation and normalization of premarital agreement Scale (PAS). Tehran: Shahid Behesti University.
6. Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.** & Farzadi, H. (2020). Drug abuse prevention using life skills in group therapy among resident in university dorms. Tehran: Tehran Psychiatric Institute.

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & POSTERS**

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1. Mowbray, O., **Fatehi, M.**, Graves B. & Cooper, Z. (2024). *Service use outcomes among peer support, wellness, and respite center users*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 28th Annual Society for Social Work Research, Washington, D.C. (Accepted)
2. **Fatehi, M.**, Mowbray, O. (2023). *Examining the role of gender in the association between medication assisted treatment and treatment completion among emerging adults*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, Phinex, AZ. <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2023/webprogram/Paper49851.html>
3. **Fatehi, M.**, Mowbray, O. (2023). *Examining treatment length of stay and medication assisted treatment among emerging adults with opioid use disorder*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, Phinex, AZ. <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2023/webprogram/Paper49837.html>
4. Mowbray, O., **Fatehi, M.**, Michael, R., Graves, B., & Paseda, O. (2022). *Outcomes of forensic peer support provision for persons in community supervision settings*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, Washington, DC. <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2022/webprogram/Paper45787.html>
5. Mowbray, O., **Fatehi, M.**, Robinson, M., Risler, E., Skinner, J., Disney L. & Patel, D. (2021). *Examining time to completion among participants in day reporting centers*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco (Online). <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2021/webprogram/Paper41286.html>
6. Mowbray, O., Campbell, R., Disney, L., Lee, **M.**, **Fatehi, M.** & Scheyett, A. (2021). *Peer support provision and job satisfaction among certified peer specialists*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco (Online). <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2021/webprogram/Paper41283.html>
7. **Fatehi, M.**, Choi, J., Cho, H., An, S., Choi, G.Y., & Hong, S. (2021). *Impact of adverse childhood experiences in the manifestation of intimate partner violence victimization and perpetration among college students: Gendered Perspective*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco, (Online). <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2021/webprogram/Paper43138.html>
8. **Fatehi, M.**, Mowbray, O., Robinson, M., Risler, E., Skinner, J., Disney, L. (2021). *An examination of fidelity to day reporting center eligibility criteria among a statewide sample*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco, (Online). <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2021/webprogram/Paper43183.html>
9. **Fatehi, M.**, Miller, S., Fatehi, L. & Mowbray, O. (2020). *A scoping study of parents with a history of childhood sexual abuse and a theoretical framework for future research*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS) 36th Annual Meeting, Atlanta. (Online).

10. **Fatehi, M.** & Gordon, R.M. (2020). *The inter-relationship of theoretical orientations: Towards a comprehensive paradigm*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the American Psychoanalytic Association's (APsaA) 2020 National Meeting, New York.
11. Villarreal-Otalora, Boyas, J.F., T., Alvarez-Hernandez, L. R, **Fatehi, M.** (2020). *Ideation-to-action continuum among Latinx youth: an Ecological systems perspective*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, Washington, DC.  
<https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2020/webprogram/Paper38748.html>
12. Boyas, J.F., Villarreal-Otalora, T., Alvarez-Hernandez, L. R, **Fatehi, M.** (2020). *Suicide ideation, planning, and attempts: The case of the Latinx LGB youth*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, Washington, DC.  
<https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2020/webprogram/Paper38242.html>
13. Mowbray, O. **Fatehi, M.**, Lee, M., Campbell, R., Scheytt, A., (2020). *How is the efficacy of peer support programs for mental health measured?.* Accepted for an poster presentation at the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, Washington, DC. <https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2020/webprogram/Paper39661.html>
14. **Fatehi, M.**, Mowbray, O., Jennings, P., & Oshields, J. (2019). *How do opioid-related suicides and homicides compare over time: finding from the national violent death reporting system*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco, CA.  
<https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2019/webprogram/Paper34124.html>
15. Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.**, Mohammadi-fard, Z., & Monirpoor, N. (2011) *Drug abuse prevention using life skills in group therapy among resident in university dorms, Tehran, Iran*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the First Conference on Drug Abuse Prevention in Qum, Iran.
16. Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.**, & Dehghani, M. (2010). *Construction, preparation, and normalization of Premarital Agreement Scale (PAS)*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the World Conference on Psychology, Counseling, and Guidance, Antalya, Turkey.
17. Ruben-Zadeh, S., Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.**, & Motie, H. (2010). *The Examination of some aspects of personality and jungian typology among Iranian Jewish*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the 1<sup>st</sup> National Congress of Psychodynamic in Iran, Tehran.
18. Motie, H., Abedin, A.R., **Fatehi, M.**, & Ruben-Zadeh, Sh. (2010). *The examination of some aspects of personality and jungian typology among the Azari ethnic of Iran*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the 1<sup>st</sup> National Congress of Psychodynamic in Iran, Tehran.
19. Abedin, A.R., & **Fatehi, M.** (2008). *Some aspects of temperament and Jungian typological assessment of the Iranian immigrants to the United States*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Psychology, Athens, Greece.
20. **Fatehi, M.**, Abedin A.R., Fatehi, L. (2007). *Temperament, character and ego strength of social welfare residents*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the Xth European Congress of Psychology (ECP), Prague, The Czech Republic.
21. **Fatehi, M.**, Birashk, B., Afkham, A., Abedin, A.R., & Fatehi, L. (2006). *Comparison of temperament character of adolescents and young adults, residence in Tehran welfare centers with a non-clinical group*. Accepted for an poster presentation at the second Congress of Family Pathology in Iran, Tehran.
22. Nekookar, V., Fatehi, A.R., Abedin, A.R., & **Fatehi, M.** (2005). *Using fuzzy logic to correct personality profiles in MCMI-II Test*. Accepted for an oral presentation at the 7<sup>th</sup> Conferences on Intelligent Systems (CIS2005). Khaje Nasir Toosi University of Technology, Tehran.

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## FUNDING & AWARDS

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2022 - 2024	Recipient for <i>the Jane S. and W. Harry Willson Graduate Fellowship</i> in two academic years This fellowship was established to recognize excellence in graduate education. \$4500, University of Georgia
2023	Recipient for travel fund to attend scientific conferences \$750, Graduate School, University of Georgia
2019 - 2023	Recipient for travel fund to attend scientific conferences in four years \$2650 in total, School of Social Work, University of Georgia
2021 - 2022	Recipient for <i>the Graduate Education Advancement Board Fellowship</i> \$2500, University of Georgia
2022 - 2024	Recipient for Graduate Assistantship Award for three years \$22,770 each year, Graduate Peer Support Network, Graduate School, University of Georgia
2020 - 2021	Dean's Teaching Assistantship Award \$16,665, University of Georgia School of Social Work
2019	Dean's Summer Scholarship University of Georgia School of Social Work
2018 - 2020	Dean's Research Assistantship Award for two years \$20,000 each year, University of Georgia School of Social Work
2017	Superior Academic Performance (international student tuition waived for three semesters) University of Georgia School of Social Work

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## RESEARCH PROJECT EXPERIENCE

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2020 - 2022	<b>Evaluation of Family Treatment Drug Courts in the State of Georgia</b> Role: Graduate research assistant; Assisted in data analysis and writing result and discussion sections of the project final report. Funding Source: State of Georgia Criminal Justice Coordinating Council PI: Dr. Orion Mowbray Awardee: University of Georgia School of Social Work
2021 - 2022	<b>Integrative Family Violence Intervention Program and Substance Use Treatment: Root Solution Intervention Evaluation Project</b> Role: Graduate research assistant; Assisted in data analysis and contributed in writing all sections of the project final report. PI: Dr. Y. Joon Choi Awardee: University of Georgia School of Social Work
2021	<b>Athens-Clarke County Criminal Justice System Data Analysis</b> Role: Graduate research assistant; Assisted in data analysis Funding source: Athens-Clarke County Unified Government PI: Sara Shannon Awardee: University of Georgia, Sociology Department
2019 - 2020	<b>State of Georgia DRC Program Assessment Tool (DRC-PAT): Instrument development and assessment of outcomes.</b> Role: Graduate research assistant; Assisted in writing introduction and literature review of the project final report and assisted in analysing data and writing first drafts of two related manuscripts. PI: Dr. Orion Mowbray

Funding source: State of Georgia Department of Community Supervision  
Awardee: University of Georgia School of Social Work

- 2018 - 2021 **Impact of certified peer specialists and peer support on mental health and criminal justice outcomes.**  
Role: Graduate research assistant; Assisted in literature review, collecting data, organized data, site visits.  
PI: Dr. Orion Mowbray  
Funding source: Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disability (DBHDD)  
Awardee: University of Georgia School of Social Work
- 2007 - 2010 **Construction, preparation and normalization of Premarital Agreement Scale (PAS).**  
Role: Project Manager and Research Assistant, contributed to all stages of the project.  
PI: Dr. Ali. R Abedin  
Awardee: Family Research Institute, Shahid Beheshti University
- 2009 - 2010 **Drug abuse prevention using life skills in group therapy among resident in university dorms, Tehran, Iran.**  
Role: Research Assistant, assisted in data analysis and writing the project final report.  
PI: Dr. Ali. R Abedin  
Awardee: Tehran Psychiatric Institute, Iran University of Medical Sciences

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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### **Instructor**

- Spring 2021 SOWK2155 Communication as a Helping Professional, Undergraduate Course, University of Georgia - Online using Zoom platform
- Fall 2020 SOWK2155 Communication as a Helping Professional, Undergraduate Course, University of Georgia - Online using Zoom platform
- Fall 2007 Industrial and Organizational Psychology, Undergraduate Course, Fall Semester, Shahid Beheshti University, Tehran

### **Guest Lecturer**

- 2022 SOWK6350 Advanced Practice with Individuals, Fall Semester, Univeristiy of Texas Rio Grande Valley
- 2019 SOWK5326 Research Methods, Undergraduate Course, Fall Semester, University of Georgia

### **Teaching Assistant**

- 2021 SOWK5326 Research Methods, Undergraduate Course, Fall Semester, University of Georgia  
Teaching practicum – Audited all sessions, assisted in grading, lectured one session of the course
- 2020 SOWK 7133 Community Organizing and Social Action, Graduate Course, Spring Semester  
Teaching practicum – Audited all sessions, assisted in grading, lectured one session of the course
- 2009 Psychological tests, Undergraduate Course, Spring Semester, Shahid Beheshti University, Tehran  
Audited all sessions, developed exam questions, assisted in grading, lectured several sessions of the course
- 2008 Psychopathology II, Undergraduate Course, Fall Semester, Shahid Beheshti University, Tehran.

Audited all sessions, developed exam questions, assisted in grading, lectured several sessions of the course

### **Workshop Co-Instructor and Facilitator**

- 2009, 2011, 2013      Self-Awareness (16 hours), three times, Tehran
- 2007              Introduction to psychotherapy for addiction treatment (8 hours), Tehran
- 2010, 2011, 2013      Appraisal of Typology, Some Aspects of Personality, and Pre-Marital Agreement (16 hours), three times, Tehran

### **SUPERVISION/MENTORSHIP**

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Field Instructor – Supervising MSW students – Graduate Peer Support Network University of Georgia

James Slaughter (2023 - present)  
Mollie Glyn Mcgee (2022 - 2023)  
Bertha Shaunita (2021 - 2022)  
Joseph Ray Lavine (2021 - 2022)

Supervising psychologists with master's degrees in clinical psychology in providing individual, couples, and family therapy – Transformation's New Horizons Institute, Tehran

Parinaz Falsaphi (2012 - 2014)  
Hura Motie (2012 - 2014)  
Khadijeh Zalpour (2010 - 2011)

Mentoring two students in their bachelor dissertations

Ruben-Zadeh, S. (2009). *Some aspects of temperament and Jungian typological assessment of the Iranian Jewish* [Undergraduate Dissertation, Shahid Beheshti University].

Motie, H. (2009). *Some aspects of temperament and Jungian typological assessment of the Turkish ethnic of Iran* [Undergraduate Dissertation, Shahid Beheshti University].

### **PRACTICE EXPERIENCES**

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- 2021 - present      **Graduate assistant, the UGA Graduate School, Graduate Peer Support Network**  
Supervising MSW interns; facilitator for peer support groups, book club series, focus groups, and workshop; connecting graduate students to the UGA resources and providing peer-to-peer support for graduate students; coordinator.
- 08/17 - 05/18      **MSW internship, Catholic Charities Atlanta, GA**  
Assigned to the Refugees Resettlement Department: concentration on social adjustment. Search for suitable mental and physical health resources for clients to address their health problems. Assist in providing housing, employment, and educational services for refugees.
- 01/17 - 05/17      **MSW internship, DFCS, Forsyth County, GA**  
Assigned to the investigation department.
- 2005 - 2014      **Psychotherapist, Transformation's New Horizons Institute, Tehran**  
Individual, family, couple and group therapy with adults, substance abuse counselling, and supervision of intern students.
- 2005 - 2008      **Psychotherapist, Family and Child Clinic of Shahid Beheshti University, Tehran**  
Psychotherapy, substance abuse counseling and supervision of intern students.

- 2003 - 2005      **MA Internship**, Tehran Psychiatric Institute, Tehran  
 Psychotherapy, Group and individual therapy under supervision
- 1999 - 2002      **Post undergraduate internship** Tehran Psychiatric Institute  
 Worked as clinic's coordinator.

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## COMMUNITY OUTREACH

- 2/27/2022      Panel Discussion, Mental Health Disparities And Stigmas, UGA Doctor Without Borders

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## SERVICE

- Review for Scientific Journals  
 Journal of Rural Mental Health (1 manuscript)  
 Journal of Children and Youth Services Review (1 manuscript)
- International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS)  
 Translating forms, conference flyers, fact sheets, and other documents (2021 - present)
- Committee member; Global Engagement Committee, School of social work, University of Georgia (2020 - 2022)
- Executive committee member; The First National Congress of Psychodynamics in Iran (2010)
- Committee member; Specialized group of clinical committee; Iranian Psychological Association (2008 - 2010)

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## VOLUNTEER WORKS

- 2020 - 2021      Catholic Charities Atlanta, GA  
 Interpret as needed for the health, cultural and school orientation sessions for refugees.
- April 2016      American Psychological Association, "The 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Meeting, Division 39," APA.  
 Atlanta, Ga.
- 2009 - 2010      Mahak Hospital (NGO) Society to support children suffering from cancer, Tehran.  
 Play with children with cancer in play rooms, acted as a group co-therapist in one support group  
 for mothers, and assisted in completing one research.
- 1996              Zeynab Institution, Tehran Welfare Organization  
 Math tutor for middle school children who lived in group home.
- 1994 - 2003      Mercy for All \_ None profit organization (NGO), Tehran.  
 Math tutor for primary and middle school children; distributed food and clothes for families;  
 assisted in holding charity marketplace and other community activities.

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## LICENSURE

- 2019 - present      State Professional Licensed Master Social Worker (LMSW), Georgia, USA (# 8935)
- 2008 - 2015      State Professional License for Clinical Psychological Practice (LCPP), Tehran, Iran (# 1337)

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## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP & AFFILIATIONS

- 2019 - present      Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)
- 2016 - 2021      Atlanta Psychoanalytic Society (APS)