

Emily R. Harrington

EDUCATION

Clinical PsyD Student

Graduate School of Professional Psychology
University of Denver, Colorado

September 2015 – Present

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology and Studio Art

College of Saint Benedict
St. Joseph, Minnesota

September 2002 – May 2006

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Bilingual Student Extern

Mental Health Center of Denver, Child & Family Outpatient Team
Denver, Colorado
Supervisor: Jennifer Paz., M.Ed, PsyD

September 2016 - Present

Meet with children, adolescents, and families to provide individual and family therapy services in Spanish and English at a community mental health clinic, and participate in an interdisciplinary consultation group for Spanish-speaking providers

Bilingual Student Therapist

Professional Psychology Clinic, Trauma and Disaster Recovery Clinic, and Center for Oncology Psychology
University of Denver, Colorado
Supervisors: Athena Baca-Chieza, PsyD, Tanya Razzhavaikina, PhD, and Nicole Taylor, PhD

October 2015 - Present

Offer individual therapy in English and Spanish to adult clients in a community clinic, including providing services at the specialty clinic for trauma survivors, and the specialty clinic for cancer patients and caregivers

Bilingual Student Therapist

Dedicated to Aurora's Wellness and Needs (DAWN) Clinic
Aurora, Colorado
Supervisor: Nicole Taylor, PhD

January 2016 – July 2016

Provided behavioral health services in Spanish and English to adults at a student-run free clinic

Student Extern

Treatment Accountability for Safer Communities
Denver Juvenile Court, Colorado
Supervisor: Christina Little, PhD

October 2015 – June 2016

Provided individual therapy, group therapy, and intake assessments for adolescents presenting with substance-use

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

International Volunteer

December 2011 - March

2015

Comboni Lay Missionaries

Trujillo, Peru

- Collaborated with psychologists and social workers at Santa Rosa Special Education School, providing services and in-home visits to students and their families
- Facilitated support groups for the parents of children with developmental disabilities
- Led workshops for parents with collaboration from local professionals
- Coordinated an afterschool program for children and adolescents, providing a safe environment for individuals to complete homework assignments and participate in a variety of activities

Interpreter

February 2013 and February 2014

Los Amigos Medical Aid

Chimbote, Peru

- Interpreted for health care professionals during annual medical campaigns

WORK EXPERIENCE

Bilingual Financial Counselor

April 2015 - August 2015

Children's Hospitals and Clinics of Minnesota

Minneapolis, Minnesota

- Assisted families applying for financial assistance, including Medicaid, TEFRA, and SSI
- Collaborated with care management to connect patients and families to community resources

Bilingual Family Advocate

March 2010 - July 2011

Casa de Esperanza

Minneapolis, Minnesota

- Worked in the Family Violence Unit of the Minneapolis Police Department Criminal Investigations Division, reading daily police reports and reaching out to Latina victims of domestic violence
- Offered support and advocacy services across a multitude of areas, including: writing orders for protection and assisting with U Visa applications (visa for crime victims)
- Managed an individual caseload of participants living in domestic violence shelters and in the community, helping these women identify and achieve personal goals and develop safety plans
- Collaborated with probation officers and community crime prevention specialist at the Midtown

Bilingual Referral Specialist

October 2009 - April 2010

La Conexión

Minneapolis, Minnesota

- Connected individuals and families from the Latino community with referrals for legal, housing, and employment resources, and assisted with resumes and job applications

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

May 2016 - Present

Guest Presenter and Script Developer

Educa Radio

Denver, Colorado

Present psycho-education and mental health resources in Spanish on live radio show co-hosted by Radio SuperEstrella 1090AM and Denver Public Schools; Assist guest presenters with writing radio scripts in Spanish

Pro-Social Skills Group Co-Facilitator

Ricardo Flores Magón Academy

February 2016 – April 2016

Denver, Colorado

Created and co-facilitated a social skills group for seventh grade students, in response to the school's request for help with promoting conflict resolution and healthy communication among students

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**Research Fellow**

October 2015 - August 2017

Interdisciplinary Research Incubator for the Study of (In)Equality

University of Denver, Colorado

Supervisors: Melanie Heto, PsyD (September, 2015 – May, 2015), Henrietta Pazos, PsyD (June, 2016 – Present)

Research interdisciplinary models of providing mental health services to Latino/a communities and the effectiveness of a Latino Psychology training program and bilingual supervision on increasing trainees' linguistic and cultural competence

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Harrington, E., Meyer, L., & Pazos, H. (August, 2016). The Role of Bilingual Supervision in Training Culturally and Linguistically Competent Psychologists. Poster presented at the APA Annual Convention, Denver, CO.

Harrington, E., Meyer, L., & Pazos, H. (September, 2016). Increasing Trainees' Cultural and Linguistic Competency Through Bilingual Supervision and Latino Psychology Training. Poster presented at the National Latina/o Psychological Association Biennial Conference, Orlando, FL.

Harrington, E., Pazos, H., & Gudino, O. (September, 2016). Innovative Approaches to Training Bilingual Psychologists and Providing Interdisciplinary Mental Health Services for Latino Communities. Round table discussion facilitated at the National Latina/o Psychological Association Biennial Conference, Orlando, FL.

Harrington, E., & Pazos, H. (July, 2016). Interdisciplinary Approaches to Mental Health Services for Latino Communities. Interactive discussion facilitated at the APA Division 45 Research Conference, Stanford University, CA.

Harrington, E., Pazos, H., Orquendo-Figeroa, J., Smith-Acuña, S., Paz, J., & Muther, J. (August, 2017). The 3 Cs: Commitment, Care, and Collaboration in Building an International Exchange Program. Symposium to be presented at the APA Annual Convention, Washington, D.C.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Psychological Association, Graduate Student Affiliate

Division 45, Society for the Study of Culture, Race, and Ethnicity, Graduate Student Affiliate

National Latino/a Psychological Association, Graduate Student Member