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 Philadelphia, PA

EDUCATION

Master's in Marriage and Family Therapy

Temple University – 2014

Certifications

- Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (2015)
- Certified Substance Abuse Family Counselor (2020)

Training & Workshops

- Facilitator, Family Recovery Strategies Workshop, Pennsylvania Recovery Coalition
- Speaker, The Role of Family in Substance Abuse Treatment, National Family Therapy Conference

SKILLS

- Family & Couples Therapy
- Addiction Intervention Strategies
- Co-Dependency Counseling
- Trauma-Informed Care
- Conflict Resolution
- Relapse Prevention Planning
- Psychoeducation Workshops
- Parent & Caregiver Coaching
- Community Resource Referrals
- Case Documentation

MICHAEL THOMPSON

SUBSTANCE ABUSE FAMILY COUNSELOR

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Empathetic Substance Abuse Family Counselor with experience helping families navigate addiction recovery. Experienced in family therapy, intervention planning, and relapse prevention education. Passionate about rebuilding relationships affected by substance dependency.

EXPERIENCE

- 2018 - Now

Substance Abuse Family Counselor

Philadelphia Family Recovery Center / Philadelphia, PA

- Conduct structured therapy sessions to help families understand addiction's impact and develop healthier communication patterns.
- Guide intervention processes, assisting loved ones in creating a nonjudgmental and supportive environment for recovery.
- Educate family members on relapse prevention techniques and coping strategies tailored to their specific situation.
- Act as a liaison between families, rehabilitation facilities, and legal professionals to ensure comprehensive support for clients.

- 2014 - 2018

Family Addiction Specialist

Hope Haven Counseling / Camden, NJ

- Designed and implemented support groups specifically for spouses and children of individuals struggling with addiction.
- Assisted families in navigating the complexities of addiction-related legal and financial challenges.
- Delivered workshops on establishing boundaries and fostering accountability without enabling destructive behaviors.
- Partnered with addiction treatment centers to integrate family therapy into rehabilitation programs.