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SUMMARY

Bilingual English and Spanish **student assistance professional** with five years supporting middle and high school students through prevention, early intervention, counseling, screening, referral coordination, recovery support, and family engagement. Delivers individual and **family counseling** within established service guidelines, partners with **student assistance teams**, and connects high risk students with school and community resources. Facilitates groups, classroom presentations, staff development, parent sessions, and school wide awareness programming addressing alcohol, tobacco, other drugs, mental health, violence prevention, and wellness. Maintains confidential records, completes timely data entry, contributes information for funding and evaluation, and supports prevention planning. Applies **child and youth development** knowledge through culturally proficient, equity centered practice that recognizes bias, institutional barriers, and community context. Fluent Spanish supports accessible communication with students and caregivers.

EXPERIENCE

Student Assistance Specialist

August 2024 - Present

Evergreen Youth Wellness Network

Yakima, WA

Leads bilingual prevention and early intervention services across two secondary schools, coordinating counseling, screening, referrals, recovery groups, prevention plans, staff learning, family communication, confidential records, and timely data entry.

- Delivered bilingual counseling and **prevention** services across two secondary schools, strengthening student wellness and school engagement.
- Facilitated recovery groups for students with early substance concerns, supporting reflection, goals, and healthier choices.
- Completed standardized screenings in English and Spanish, connecting families with behavioral health and community services.
- Maintained **confidential records** and timely service data, supporting funding documentation and **program evaluation**.
- Built site **prevention plans** with student support personnel, scheduling presentations, family outreach, and staff learning sessions.
- Provided **staff development** on substance use prevention, **mental health**, warning signs, and culturally responsive referrals.

Youth Prevention Counselor

June 2021 - July 2024

Valley Community Prevention Services

Sunnyside, WA

Provided youth counseling and **early intervention** for school, family, and community referrals involving **substance use**, mental health, violence related risk, and barriers to learning, while coordinating groups, presentations, coalitions, documentation, and follow through.

- Provided prevention counseling for adolescents referred over **alcohol**, tobacco, **drug use**, mental health, and violence risks.
- Facilitated education and support groups using prevention curricula, coping strategies, discussion, and recovery support concepts.
- Engaged caregivers through bilingual meetings, clarifying concerns and practical follow up within confidentiality requirements.
- Coordinated referrals with counselors, behavioral health providers, youth programs, and **community coalitions**, improving continuity.
- Delivered presentations on protective factors, healthy decisions, **prevention** resources, and pathways to early assistance.
- Contributed complete service data and case documentation to evaluation reviews, refining outreach and group scheduling.

Prevention Program Assistant

October 2020 - May 2021

Community Youth Support Project

Yakima, WA

Supported supervised prevention programming for middle and high school participants, preparing bilingual materials, assisting intake and resource navigation, maintaining program files, supporting coalition coordination, and applying **human services** coursework.

- Supported supervised prevention activities on substance awareness, coping, school engagement, and help seeking.
- Conducted structured intake and resource navigation under supervision, routing families toward qualified services.
- Maintained confidential files and entered attendance, referral, and activity information into program databases.
- Prepared bilingual **prevention** materials and presentation resources, improving access for **Spanish** speaking participants.
- Supported coalition meetings by organizing youth service resources, recording action items, and tracking follow up.
- Applied child development coursework during supervised youth interactions, escalating concerns to qualified staff.

PROJECTS

School Wellness Prevention Planning 📅 2025

Created coordinated prevention planning materials for school sites, aligning identified student needs with presentations, family outreach, staff learning, referrals, and recovery support resources.

Bilingual Family Referral Access 📅 2023

Improved family access through bilingual referral communication, practical resource explanations, confidential follow up, and coordination with school and community behavioral health partners.

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Certified Prevention Professional recognition, awarded 2023 for prevention practice and professional development.
- Mental Health First Aid credential, awarded 2024 for preparedness supporting youth and community wellness.
- Community coalition leadership, organized youth service resources, action items, and partner follow up across participating organizations.

EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science in Human Services

Yakima Valley College GPA: 3.5

2020
Yakima, WA

Coursework: Child and youth development, counseling foundations, family engagement, community resources

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Prevention Professional 2023
- Mental Health First Aid 2024

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Counseling Services:** Individual counseling, Family counseling, Early intervention
- **Substance Prevention:** Alcohol prevention, Tobacco prevention, Drug intervention
- **Screening and Referral:** Standardized screening, Referral pathways, Resource navigation
- **Student Assistance:** Student assistance teams, Recovery groups, School support
- **Mental Health Support:** Mental health education, Mental Health First Aid, Wellness support
- **Prevention Programming:** Prevention plans, Awareness programming, Protective factors
- **Family Engagement:** Caregiver meetings, Bilingual communication, Family outreach
- **Data and Records:** Confidential records, Real time data entry, Funding documentation
- **Evaluation Practices:** Program evaluation, Service data, Team reviews
- **Training and Presentations:** Staff development, Classroom presentations, Parent presentations
- **Equity and Inclusion:** Culturally responsive practice, Racial equity, Institutional bias awareness
- **Community Partnerships:** Community coalitions, Behavioral health referrals, Youth programs

SKILLS

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| • Youth counseling | • Violence prevention | • Family engagement | • Staff development |
| • Family counseling | • Standardized screening | • Child development | • Program evaluation |
| • Substance prevention | • Referral coordination | • Community coalitions | • Spanish fluency |
| • Mental health support | • Recovery support groups | • Prevention planning | |

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- School student assistance teams, collaborating with counselors, staff, families, and community providers.
- Community prevention coalitions, connecting youth services and strengthening shared referral pathways.

LANGUAGES

- English (Native)
- Spanish (Native)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Work Status : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST