

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATION:

Ph. D., Clinical Psychology,  
University of Pittsburgh, 1986

M. S., Clinical Psychology,  
University of Pittsburgh, 1978

B. A., Summa Cum Laude,  
Hamilton College, 1976

### RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE:

May, 1987 - Present: Clinical Psychologist, Clinical & Forensic Psychology, Inc. P.S. Our firm provides forensic and clinical psychological services including individual, conjoint and family psychotherapy; and consultation in developmental disability issues. We specialize in psychological analysis and assessment of individuals in the context of civil, criminal and administrative legal proceedings. These services include criminal responsibility assessment and forensic therapy (e. g., sex-offender treatment), personal injury assessment (e.g., psychological damages in employment litigation); child custody evaluation; and disability assessment. Consultation and expert testimony can be provided, as needed, in each of these areas.

January, 1987 - May, 1987: Part-time Lecturer, Department of Education and Liberal Arts, University of Alaska-Juneau.

January, 1986 - February, 1987: Clinical Coordinator, Sex Offender Treatment Program, MEN, Inc., Juneau, Alaska.  
Directed State contract received by non-profit organization to provide sex offender treatment to incarcerated and community-based offenders in the State of Alaska Department of Corrections. Duties included developing, implementing, and administering programs; staff supervision and training; consultation with collateral field personnel (probation officers, public defenders, District Attorney, women's shelter staff, etc.); conducting community workshops on issues related to sex offender treatment.

November, 1982 - December, 1985: Staff Psychologist, Waupun Correctional Institution (WCI), Bureau of Clinical Services, State of Wisconsin Division of Corrections. WCI is an 848-bed, maximum-security state prison for adult males. Duties included provision of individual, group, and marital psychotherapy; crisis intervention; staff consultation; administration of psychological evaluations. Specialized functions included Coordinator of sex offender treatment programming; Primary Supervisor of Intern Training; Facilitator of a post-traumatic stress disorder group for Vietnam veterans; and Administrator of group therapy programming.

September, 1983 - December, 1983: Group Facilitator, Alternatives to Aggression treatment program, Family Service, Madison, Wisconsin. Duties involved providing structured therapies to wife-batterers.

September, 1981 - August, 1982: Clinical Psychology Intern, State of Wisconsin Division of Corrections. This APA-approved internship provided supervised experience in individual, marital, and group psychotherapy; staff consultation; and psychological evaluation. The following facilities were used as training sites: Waupun Correctional Institution, Fox Lake Correctional Institution (medium-security prison); Ethan Allen School (juvenile detention center) and Milwaukee-area Community Corrections offices. Specialized in treating sex offenders, violent/aggressive inmates; and in crisis counseling.

February, 1980 - July, 1980: Consultant, Community Broker Police-Social Work Liaison Team. This was a collaborative project between police and social workers to handle domestic disturbance calls. Duties of the Brokers were two-fold: 1) to offer on-the-scene crisis intervention when responding to domestic disturbance calls

with police; and 2) to offer follow-up services of mediation and counseling to police-referred cases.

June, 1978 - August, 1981: Instructor of Psychology, University of Pittsburgh (Teaching Fellow). Taught courses in Behavior Modification, Models of Behavior Change, Personality Theory. Lecturer in Abnormal Psychology, Program Evaluation, Women and Psychology, Mental Health Consultation.

September, 1977 - August, 1980: Student Therapist, Clinical Psychology Center, University of Pittsburgh. Supervised therapy and assessment work with outpatient adults and couples.

September, 1977 - June, 1978: Psychology Trainee, Veterans Administration Hospital, Butler, PA. Assessment and therapeutic services provided to a general medical population, both in- and outpatient (e. g., competency evaluations, therapy for chronic pain and anxiety, short-term marital counseling); alcohol therapy group leader.

April, 1977 - August, 1977: Student Trainee, Pittsburgh Child Guidance Center. Offered behavioral treatment to outpatient children and their families; school consultation, play therapy.

January, 1977 - April, 1977: Student Trainee, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Resocialization Treatment Center, Pittsburgh. Behavioral assessments and treatment provided to psychiatric inpatients and day hospital patients in both individual and group modalities.

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

Whitehill, M., Hersen, M., & Bellack, A. S. Conversation skills training for socially isolated children. Behaviour Research and Therapy, 1980, 18, 217-225.

Whitehill, M., DeMyer-Gapin, S., & Scott, T. Stimulation seeking in antisocial preadolescent children. Journal of Abnormal Psychology, 1976, 85, 101-104.

Van Hasselt, V. B., Hersen, M., Whitehill, M. B., & Bellack, A. S. Social skill assessment and training for children: An evaluative review. Behaviour Research and Therapy, 1979, 17, 423-437.

Weinberg, H. I., & Whitehill, M. B. Hostage decompression and treatment in a maximum-security prison: A case study with 18-month follow-up. (Submitted for publication.)

#### **SELECT UNPUBLISHED WORK:**

Whitehill, M. B. Psychopathy and interpersonal relationships, 1986. (Doctoral dissertation.)

Whitehill, M. B. (Chair) Preliminary recommendations for a Division policy and procedure for assisting hostages, 1983.

Whitehill, M. B., Weinberg, H. I., & Kaemmerer, G. V. Clinical Services involvement with hostages taken in disturbance of 01/31/83, 1983.

Whitehill, M. B., & Schulberg, H. C. Domestic violence and prevention strategies for the community psychologist, 1981.

Whitehill, M. B. Etiology of primary psychopathy, 1976.

Whitehill, M. B. The psychopath: A stimulation seeker? An examination of research derived from Quay's hypothesis, 1974.

#### **GRANTS:**

Principal author, Alternatives to domestic violence and its victims: Women and the police (AGD-80-D-010-1717). Submitted to the Pennsylvania Commission of Crime and Delinquency 05/08/80; approved 07/01/80. Sponsored by the Women's Center and Shelter of Greater Pittsburgh, this grant provided monies for training local police in family crisis intervention techniques, and for additional shelter staff.

#### **PAPER PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES:**

Whitehill, M. B. The role of the forensic psychologist in sexual harassment litigation. Workshop presented at the Thirteenth Annual Symposium in Forensic Psychology, American College of Forensic Psychology, Vancouver, CND, 1997.

- Whitehill, M.B. The use of psychologist experts in child sexual abuse cases. Presented to Trial Defense Services regional conference, Ft. Lewis, Washington, 1995
- Whitehill, M.B. (Moderator) Abuse survivors and allegation survivors. Presented at "All You Ever Wanted to Know About Child Sexual Abuse Allegations," Tacoma, WA, 1994
- Whitehill, M. B. Legal and ethical dilemmas in community-based sex-offender treatment. Workshop presented at the Ninth Annual Symposium in Forensic Psychology, American College of Forensic Psychology, Santa Fe, NM, 1993.
- Whitehill, M. B. (Moderator) What the prosecution wants in the SSOSA evaluation and from sex offender treatment providers. Panel Presentation at the Winter Conference of the Washington Sex Offense Specialists Association, Lynnwood, WA, 1993
- Whitehill, M. B. Traumatic stress disorders and their sequelae: A new look at crisis intervention. Featured presentation, Fall Conference of the Wisconsin Psychological Association, Madison, WI, 1992.
- Whitehill, M. B., Peterson, R.G. & Mazer, I.R.. Treating sex offenders in the community: An analysis of select program tasks. Workshop presented at the Eighth Annual Symposium in Forensic Psychology, American College of Forensic Psychology, San Francisco, CA, 1992
- Whitehill, M. B., Mazer, I. R., & Peterson, R. G. "Hands-on" training in sex offender treatment. Workshop presented at the Fall Convention of the Washington State Psychological Association, 1991.
- Whitehill, M. B., Peterson, R. G., Mazer, I. R., & Staurset, S. Law vs. psychology vs. ethics in the treatment of sex offenders. Workshop presented at the Fall Convention of the Washington State Psychological Association, Bellevue, WA, 1990.
- Whitehill, M. B. & Peterson, R. G. Scientific and ethical issues in sex offender evaluation and treatment. Workshop presented to the Pierce County (WA) Department of Assigned Counsel, Tacoma, WA, 1990.
- Whitehill, M. B. Clinical syndromes associated with childhood victimization. Presentation at the Sixth Annual State Conference

on Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment, Washington Association of Child Abuse Councils, Sea-Tac, WA, 1989.

Whitehill, M. B. Psychopathy and interpersonal relationships. Paper presentation at the Fifth Annual Symposium in Forensic Psychology, American College of Forensic Psychology, San Diego, CA, 1989.

Whitehill, M. B. The impact of domestic violence on children witnesses. Presentation to the King County Child Abuse Coalition, Renton, WA, 1988.

Whitehill, M. B. Sociopathic sexual offenders: Issues in diagnosis and treatment . Presented at Sexual Abuse: Assessment, Treatment, and Consequences. Sponsored by the Sexual Abuse Clinic. Union, WA, 1987.

Whitehill, M. B., & Brogan, S. Treatment issues for the male sex offender. Presentation at the Southeast Regional Training on Child Sexual Abuse, Alaska Network on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, Juneau, AK, 1986.

Whitehill, M. B. (Chair) Psychological interventions with Vietnam veterans in correctional settings. Symposium presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Los Angeles, CA, 1985.

Whitehill, M. B. Hostage decompression and treatment in a maximum-security prison. Symposium presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, CND, 1984.

Whitehill, M. B. Conversation skills training for socially isolated children: An analysis of generalization. Paper presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, New York, NY, 1979.

Whitehill, M. B. Therapeutic interventions with violent families: Behavioral approaches to spouse abuse and anger management. Lecture given at the Annual Statewide Conference for Crisis Intervention, Monroeville, PA, 1980.

Whitehill, M. B. Police consultation. Presentation at the Regional Meeting, Consultation and Education Directors, Pittsburgh, PA, 1980.

Whitehill, M. B. Consulting with police: Entry strategies and rapport-building. Presentation to the Office of Educational and Regional Programming, Warrandale, PA, 1980.

Whitehill, M. B., Weinberg, H. I., & Kaemmerer, G. V. Policy implications of Clinical Services involvement with hostages taken in disturbance of 01/31/83. Presentation at an Adult Section Meeting, Fox Lake Correctional Institution, Fox Lake, WI, 1983.

Whitehill, M. B. Domestic violence and the police. Guest interviewee, Good Day Pittsburgh, WPGH-TV, Pittsburgh, 1981.

Whitehill, M. B. Family violence: Its origins and extent. Guest interviewee, WPGH-TV, Pittsburgh, 1981.

Whitehill, M. B., Parisi-Dunne, D., & Snodgrass, C. Violence in the home: Domestic violence and child abuse. Guest panelists, Women's Time, WPXI-TV, Pittsburgh, 1981.

Whitehill, M. B., & Morgan, R. Why men batter. Guest panelists, Pittsburgh Today, KDKA-TV, 1980.

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS/LISTINGS:**

American College of Forensic Psychology  
American Psychological Association  
Division 12: Clinical Psychology  
Division 41: American Psychology-Law Society  
National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology  
Society for Traumatic Stress Studies  
Washington State Psychological Association  
Washington Sex Offense Specialists Association

#### **CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS:**

Personality Disorder  
Forensic Assessment and Consultation  
Forensic Investigations of Allegations of Sexual Abuse  
Testimony of Children/Child Interviewing Techniques  
Sex Offender Treatment  
Post-traumatic Stress Disorder  
Criminal Violence

## **SPECIAL HONORS AND AWARDS:**

Public Health Service Fellowship, Clinical Psychology, 1976.

Phi Beta Kappa, 1976.           Sigma Xi, 1976.

Degrees awarded in France (academic year 1974-75)

- a) Le Certificat d'Etudes Politiques, L'Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Paris, June, 1975. For the successful completion of a specialized one-year program in political science and international law.
- b) Le Certificat Pratique de Langue Française (1<sup>er</sup> degré), January, 1975. Attests to language fluency.
- c) Le Diplôme d'Etudes Françaises (2<sup>ième</sup> degré), June, 1975. For demonstrated written and spoken French in a particular area.  
*Option:* Economy/Geography-Demography.

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