

## CURRICULUM VITA

BEVERLY C. SEALEY, PhD, MSW, LICSW  
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### EDUCATION:

**Doctorate of Philosophy Degree. Brandies University.** Florence Heller Graduate School for Advanced Studies in Social Welfare and Policy. Waltham, MA. Social Welfare, Policy, and Research (Criminal Justice Policy). 1995. Doctoral Dissertation: Disparity in Sentencing among black and white males Sentenced for offenses of felonies of robbery in Massachusetts, 1990. A quantitative research study.

**Master of Science Degree.** Simmons College School of Social Work, Boston, MA. Clinical Social Work. 1977. Master's Thesis: Review of a Peer Reviewed Service Organization (PRSO) in Health Care.

**Bachelor of Art Degree.** University of Massachusetts, Boston, MA. Sociology. 1975.

### FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS:

- 2007 U S. Department of State, Council on International Exchange of Scholars. Fulbright Senior Scholars Award. University of Ghana, School of Social Work. Lecturer/Researcher Award.
- 2005 Simmons College. Boston, MA. Faculty Fund for Research. Research Grant to conduct a pilot study of "the affects of self-perceptions of parent-child relations and delinquency on social functioning among Black adolescent males from diverse ethnic backgrounds."
- 2004
- 1998 National Institute of Mental Health, Minority Investigator Supplemental Research Award for Underrepresented Minorities. Harvard Medical School/Judge Baker Children's Center (1998-2001). Research focus: Parent-Child Relationships and the Development of Delinquency in Adolescence.
- 1994 Society for Values in Higher Education, Teacher Training Fellow (Five day intensive course of study).
- 1984 Brandies University, Heller Graduate School. Graduate Assistantship (two years).
- 1984 Council on Social Work Education/National Institute of Mental Health Minority Fellowship Program. Clinical Research Traineeship (two years).
- 1975 National Institute of Mental Health. Clinical Traineeship (two years).

### REPETOIRE OF COURSES TAUGHT:

- Introduction to Social Work
- Social Policy and Social Welfare
- Criminal & Juvenile Justice Policy
- Health Care Policy
- International Social Work
- Faculty-lead Short-term Study Abroad courses (to Ghana, W. Africa)
- Cultural Diversity & Cultural Competent Practice
- Dynamics of Racism & Oppression
- Developing In-Service Training Programs/Staff Development in Early Childhood Settings
- Family
- Family Dynamics
- Child & Family Policy

- Counseling Theory & Practice
- Professional Ethics
- Political Strategies & Advocacy for Social Workers
- Helping Children Cope with Stress
- Emotional Disturbances in Young Children
- Working with Children
- Field Education

#### **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS/TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

2007 **Visiting Professor. University of Ghana, School of Social Work.** Legon, Ghana, West Africa. (9 months; January – September 2007).

Taught two courses, Social Policy and Social Welfare and Working with Children, to bachelor level social work students enrolled in the social work program at a premier institution of higher education. Developed curriculum, and advised both the bachelor and master's level students. Advised students on the master's thesis. Attended seminars and chaired a panel presentation on Managing Conflict, organized by students.

1990 to Present **Associate Professor (tenured)**. Simmons College School of Social Work, Boston, MA.

Responsible for classroom teaching; School of Social Work and college committees; review of doctoral comprehensive examinations, advising doctoral students, and serving on doctoral dissertation committee(s). Teach courses in Child & Family Policy; Social Policy & Services; Policy & Practice in the Justice System; Political Strategies and Action for Professional Social Workers; Dynamics of Racism, Health Care Policy, and Field Work Education. Department Chair: Present. Interim Chair (2005-06, 2000).

2002 to 2004 **Adjunct Professor (Part-time)**. Lesley University, Cambridge, MA.

Teach bachelor level courses in the Adult Baccalaureate Program for students majoring in counseling and/or human service management. Responsible for teaching courses in Human Lifespan Development, Professional Ethics, Counseling Theory and Practice, and a Research Seminar, and advise students.

1988 to 1997 **Instructor**. Wheelock College, Boston, MA.

Responsible for teaching undergraduate students enrolled in the Bachelor of Social Work Program, and the Graduate School of Education; served as faculty-field liaison to internship placement sites. Undergraduate courses taught include include: Social Welfare Seminar; Cultural Diversity and Human Needs; Family Dynamics; and, Social Work Field Education. Graduate courses include Helping Children Cope With Stress; and, Emotional Disturbances in Young Children, etc.

1984 **Teaching Assistant**. Heller Graduate School for Advanced Studies in Social Welfare, Policy, and Research. Served as a TA for doctoral level course entitled "Political Perspectives".

Fall, 1983 **Lecturer** (part-time). Simmons College School of Social Work, Boston, MA.

1981-1984 **Adjunct Associate Professor**. Simmons College School of Social Work. As an agency clinical supervisor, responsible for providing supervision and field education training of graduate students of social work.

1981-1983     **Field Instructor.** Boston University School of Social Work.  
  
Responsible for providing supervision and field education training of graduate students of social work.

1981 - 1982     **Adjunct Clinical Supervisor.** Northeastern University, Graduate School of Education, Boston, MA.  
  
Responsible for providing clinical training of a master's level student.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

1988 - 1989     **Executive Director.** Hattie B. Cooper Community Health Center, Boston, MA.  
  
Responsible for the overall management of a million dollar multi-services, non-profit, agency serving children, youth, and their families. Provided day-to-day director, leadership, program development, staff supervision, financial management, and fundraising of the agency's programs and services. Work with a community board of directors and funding sources.

1987 – 1988     **Director of Operations.** Harvard Street Health Center, Boston, MA.  
  
Responsible for the day-to-day management of the center's ancillary service departments of a comprehensive, ambulatory community healthcare center. Responsible for supervision of staff of the Human Resources Department, Pharmacy, Social Services, Mental Health Services, Women, Infants and Children Program, Purchasing, Lavatory, Building and Grounds, and Maintenance.

1984 - 1987     **Area Director** (Acting 1/86 to 5/87). Massachusetts Department of Social Services, Wakefield, MA.  
  
Responsible for the overall management of children protective services and programs, serving five geographical town and localities; program development, management of multi-million dollar budget, and work with citizens advisory board.

**Program Management Specialist** (1/84 to 1/86)  
Middleton, MA

Responsible for program monitoring and evaluation of agency and contracted services, oversee operation and functions of Quality Assurance Team, proposal development, and staff supervision.

1980 - 1984     **Associate Director/Senior Social Worker.** Department of Mental Health, Roxbury Court Clinic, Roxbury, MA.  
  
In conjunction with the program director, oversee the daily operation and staff supervision of the juvenile services department of a forensic mental health agency serving children, youth, and adolescents before the juvenile court. Conducted psycho-social evaluations and recommendations for the justices of the court. Coordinate student intern and staff in-service training program, and provided student and staff supervision. Served as agency liaison between agency and universities and colleges.

- 1977 - 1980     **Clinical Social Worker**. Family Service Association of Greater Boston, MA.  
Provide clinical social work services to children, youth, adolescents and their families, adults, and groups. Staff trainer for in-service training; developed and wrote family life education curriculum for publication. Consultation and Collaboration with community agency's.
- 1976 - 1977     **Social Worker**. Cambridge Hospital, Out-patient Psychiatry, Cambridge, MA.  
Responsibilities included the provision of outpatient clinical social work services to children, adolescents, adults, and couples; and, clinical supervision to a bachelor's level social work intern. This was a second year, nine-month, field practicum when a student at Simmons College School of Social Work.
- 1975 - 1976     **Social Worker**. Cambridge Family and Children's Services, Cambridge, MA..  
First year, twelve-month field practicum internship at Simmons College School of Social Work. Responsibilities included clinical social work to individuals, couples, children, adolescents, adults and elderly clients, foster care and adoption home studies, and child placement services.
- 1974 - 1975     **Probation Officer** (Deputy). Dorchester District Court, Juvenile Probation, Model Juvenile Probation Project, Dorchester, MA.  
Responsible for supervision of juveniles placed on court probation as a result of a CHINS petition or delinquency. Conduct clinical assessments, counseling of youth and their families, home visits, referrals, and consultation and collaboration.

**CONSULTANT EXPERIENCES:**

- 1998             **Parkside Christian Academy**, Boston, MA.  
1997  
Workshop Facilitator. Lead workshop for elementary and middle schoolteachers. Workshop entitled "Helping Children Cope with Stress" (April 1998; October 1997. Nine hours).
- 1996,            **Associated Day Care Services**, Ruggles Street/Mission Hill Day Care Center, Boston, MA.  
1995, and  
1994  
Facilitated staff retreat for Provide leadership and direction for a series of three, daylong, staff retreats (November, 1995, March and June, 1996). Conducted a staff development workshop for teachers and staff, entitled "Working with Children with Special Needs" (November, 1995, three hours); and, "Helping Children Cope with Stress", (August, 1994, three hours).
- 1991             **Boston University School of Medicine**, Boston City Hospital, Project Visit, Boston, MA.  
Conducted a workshop for day care providers and teachers, entitled "Helping Children Cope with Stress" (December, 1991, three hours).
- 1991             **City of Boston**, Holmes School Faculty Development Program, Boston, MA.  
Conducted a faculty development workshop for elementary school teachers, entitled "Helping Children Cope with Stress" (August, 1991, three hours).

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

- 2007 **Principle Investigator.** Fulbright Senior Scholars, Lecturer/Researcher Award.  
Research project in Ghana, W. Africa, comparing differences in family background, ethnicity and ethnic value orientation, and views on the family among Middle-class Ghanaians.
- 2005 to Present **Principle Investigator.** Simmons College, Faculty Fund for Research.  
Research project looking at “young adult self-perceptions or parent-child relations and Social Functioning among ethnically diverse black youth, and future orientation.
- 1998 – 2002 **Research Associate.** Harvard Medical School/Judge Baker Children's Center. Boston, \ MA.  
Research Associate with the Across Generations Project, a 20 year longitudinal study of development across three generations. Received support from the National Institute of Mental Health for Investigators from Underrepresented Populations, to develop knowledge and skills in clinical research as an independent researcher.  
The Project's goals are to learn about parenting, parent-child relationships, continuities from adolescent psychopathology and trauma to mid-adult individual adaptation and family life; adolescent predictors of mid-adult individual functioning and family life; the relation between psychopathology and developmental status in adolescence as predictors of future outcomes; and, how mid-adult outcomes are mediated by intervening developmental processes in young adulthood.
- 1997 **Consultant. BOTEC Analysis Corporation.** Cambridge, MA.  
Provided consultation and technical advise on a research project for the Boston Housing Authority to conduct a program analysis and evaluation of BHA Drug Elimination Program. The Drug Elimination Program provides a wide range of services to remove and eliminate drugs in housing developments. The focus of the research was to evaluate the success of the program for the BHA.
- 1995 - 1996 **Social Science Research and Evaluation,** Burlington, MA.  
Served as research project Co-Director and Senior Research Associate for a statewide study that analyzed the prevalence and cause of disproportionate confinement of minority youth involved in the Massachusetts juvenile justice system, for the Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency and Prevention and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Executive Office of Public Safety.

## PUBLICATIONS:

- Sealey, Beverly, C. (1994). Disparity in Sentencing: The Influence of Race on Sentencing Outcomes Among Black and White Males Incarcerated for Felony Offenses of Robbery in Massachusetts. PhD Dissertation. Heller Graduate School for Advanced Studies in Social Welfare, Policy, and Research, Brandeis University. Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms International.
- Barnes (Sealey), Beverly C. and Jennifer K. Coplon (1980). The Single Parent Experience (Workshop Model for Family Life Education). Resource Communications, Inc., Boston, MA.

## Research Reports:

Sealey, Beverly C. (1996). Disparity in Sentencing: The Influence of Race on Sentencing Outcomes in Massachusetts. Boston, MA: William Monroe Trotter Institute, University of Massachusetts at Boston.

Forcier, M., M. Berube, B. Sealey, and K. W. Smith (May, 1996). Research Report (Draft Confidential Report). Minority Disproportionate Confinement Study. Social Science Research and Evaluation, Burlington, MA.

## Articles:

Sealey, Beverly (December, 1995). "Look at the World Through Women's Eyes." Focus Newsletter. Boston, MA: National Association of Social Workers, Massachusetts Chapter, 22(12).

Sealey, Beverly (Spring, 1996). "Looking at the World Through Women's Eyes: Reflections on the United Nations Fourth World Conference on Women," Alumni Newsletter. Boston, MA: Simmons College School of Social Work.

Sealey, Beverly (March, 1966), "Reflections of the United Nations Fourth World Conference on Women: Looking at the World Through Women's Eyes," BSW Connection Newsletter, Boston, MA: Wheelock College, 3(2).

## Book and Other Reviews:

Sealey, B. C. (1999, January/February). Book Review. Policy and Practice in the Justice System, by McNeece A. and A. R. Roberts (Editors). Families in Society, Vol. 80, No. 1, pp. 96-98.

Peer Reviewer for juried papers. Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting, March, 1998.

Guilford Publications (March, 1993). Reviewed and offered recommendations for a book proposal on child welfare and foster parenting submitted by an author for publication.

## PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS:

Sealey, B. C. Counseling People Living with Hiv/AIDS. **Presentation**. University of Ghana, School of Social Work.

Sealey, B. C. "Self-perception of parent-child relations and attitude toward achievement among Black adolescents". **Poster Presentation**: Family Research Consortium IV. University of California at LA & NIMH. New Orleans, LA. June 27, 2005.

Sealey, B. C., Prokosch, M., Humm-Delgado, D. and Bocage, M. Integrating content on globalization in social policy courses: One School's Experience. **Paper Presentation**. Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting. New York, NY. February, 2005.

Sealey, B. C. "Social Welfare Services in the United States: The Role of The Black Church in Self-Help, Mutual Aid and Support in Bad Times." **Paper Presentation**. National Association of Black Social Workers. Havana and Santiago, Cuba. August 2003.

Sealey, B. C. "Opportunities and Experiences for Underrepresented Minorities as Research Scientists." Council on Social Work Education. Minority Fellowship Program. Annual Program Meeting. Atlanta, GA. March 2003.

Sealey, B. C. "Health Care in the United States". **Paper Presentation**. National Association of Black Social Workers and the London Association of Social Workers International Conference. London,

- England. July, 2002.
- Sealey, B. C. "Relationship Between Delinquent Behavior in Adolescence and Self-perception of Social Functioning in Young Adulthood". **Poster Presentation**. Penn State University/NIMH, Family Research Consortium III. Charlotte, NC, June 2002.
- Sealey, B. C. "Youth and the Juvenile Justice in the United States." **Paper Presentation**. National Association of Black Social Workers. Barbados, WI. In Collaboration with the Barbados Association of Social Workers. July, 2001.
- Sealey, B. C. "Adolescent Ego Development: Longitudinal Predictions of Young Adulthood Criminality and Related Young Adult Outcomes." **Poster Presentation**. Society for Research in Child Development, Biennial Meeting. Minneapolis, MN, April 21, 2001.
- Sealey, B. C. "The Impact of Criminal Justice Policy on African-American Youth and Families." **Poster Presentation**. National Institute of Mental Health and The Penn State University, Family Research Consortium III, Brentwood, NH. June, 2001.
- Sealey, B. C. "Effects of Domestic Violence on Children." **Panel Presentation**. Safe Haven Domestic Violence Conference. St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church. Cambridge, MA. October 2001.
- Forcier, M. and Sealey, B. C. Disproportionate Minority Confinement Analysis (DMC Analysis). **Presented** findings of this statewide study funded by the National Institute of Justice and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, at the City of Boston Youth Symposium, March, 1999.
- Sealey, B. C. **Respondent** to the Keynote Address of Honorable Rodney Slater, Secretary, the U. S. Secretary of Transportation, entitled Academics, Academia and Minority Communities: Roles, Relationships and Research Agendas. **Panel Presentation**. Research Association of Minority Professors (RAMP). Howard University. Washington, DC. February 4, 1999.
- Sealey, B. C. "Mental Health Services in the Juvenile Justice System in the United States." **Workshop Presentation**. National Association of Black Social Workers 24th Educational Conference, Ghana and Benin, West Africa, July, 1998.
- Sealey, B. C. "The Significance of Race in Treatment" (by Dr. Mary Hall). **Moderator**. National Association of Social Workers, Massachusetts Chapter, Symposium, April, 1998.
- Sealey, Beverly C. "Lessons from the Past: Disproportionate Confinement of Minority Youth". **Paper Presentation**. Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting, Criminal and Juvenile Justice Symposium. Orlando, Florida, March, 1998.
- Sealey, B. C. Are We Our Brother's Keeper -- Crime, Race, and Criminal Sanctions: Teaching Students about Social Justice in Field Education. Continuing Education **Workshop Facilitator**. New England Consortium of Graduate Social Work Field Education Directors (March, 1998, three hours).
- Forcier, M. W. and Sealey, B. C. Disproportionate Minority Confinement in Massachusetts. **Paper Presentation**. Citizens for Juvenile Justice, Boston, MA, January, 1998.
- Sealey, B. C. Race and the Criminal Justice System. **Paper Presentation**. National Association of Social Workers, Massachusetts Chapter, Criminal Justice Committee. December 1997.
- Sealey, B. C. The Sociological Constructs of Poverty. National Association of Black Social Workers, 23rd International Educational Conference, Grenada, West Indies. **Panel Presentation** on Poverty. July 1997.

- Sealey, B. C. The Violent School-aged Child. **Panel Presentation.** National Association of Social Workers, Massachusetts Chapter. Statewide conference entitled Violence in Children: Individual and Community Perspectives: Treatment Implications for Children Living with Violence. April 1997.
- Sealey, B. C. "Race and the Criminal Justice System". **Paper Presentation.** Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting, March 1997.
- Sealey, Beverly C. "Race and the Criminal Justice System". **Paper Presentation.** Simmons College School of Social Work, Faculty Development Workshop, January, 1997.
- Sealey, B. C. The Black Male Experience in the United States: Moving Beyond the Stereotypes. **Panel Presentation.** National Association of Social Workers, Massachusetts Chapter, statewide conference, September 1996.
- Sealey, B. C. The Administration of Justice: The Role of Social Work in Combating Unfairness and Unequal Treatment of Blacks Involved in the Criminal Justice System. **Paper Presentation.** National Association of Black Social Workers, 22nd International Educational Conference, Johannesburg and Zimbabwe, Southern Africa. July 1996.
- Sealey, B. C. Helping Children Cope with Stress. **Workshop Presentation** for Simmons College School of Social Work, Continuing Education Program, June 1996.
- Sealey, B. C. **Paper Presentation** entitled Issues in Cross-Cultural Interactions in Clinical Interventions. University of Massachusetts, Department of Psychiatry and the Department of Mental Health, Division of Forensic Mental Health Symposium on Multicultural Issues in Forensic Mental Health, June 1996.
- Sealey, B. C. The Role of Social Work in Combating Unfair and Unequal Treatment of Blacks involved in the Criminal Justice System. **Workshop Presentation.** Massachusetts Chapter, National Association of Social Workers, Annual Meeting. April 1996.
- Sealey, B. C. "Couples Treatment". National Association of Social Workers, Massachusetts Chapter, Annual Symposium, April 1996. **Workshop Facilitator**
- Sealey, B. C. "Doing Research with Someone Else's Money." Facilitated small group discussion. Simmons College School of Social Work, Continuing Education Program, December 1995. **Workshop Facilitator.**
- Sealey, B. C. **Presentation** to the faculty and staff on the "United Nations Fourth World Conference on the Status of Women" held in Beijing, People's Republic of China. Simmons College School of Social Work, Boston, MA, November 1995.
- Sealey, B. C., et al. Race, Gender, and Multiculturalism in the Academe. **Panel Presentation.** Association of Black Women in Higher Education, United Nations Fourth World Conference on the Status of Women, Beijing, People's Republic of China, August, 1995.
- Sealey, B. C. Working with Black Children. **Conducted** a workshop for professionals who provide counseling and psychotherapy services to children and families. Simmons College School of Social Work, Continuing Education Program, Boston, MA. June 1990.
- Co-lead a workshop entitled Children. Simmons College School of social work, Annual Symposium on Race Relations, March 1987.

#### **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES:**

Member, Board of Directors, Henry Buckner School. Cambridge, MA (2002 – Present)



Member, Citizens for Juvenile Justice Committee. Boston, MA (1996 - Present)  
Member, Board of Directors, United Homes for Children, Dorchester, MA (1997 – 2003)  
Member, Research Association of Minority Professors (1997 – 2002)  
Member, Young Women's Christian Association, Cambridge, MA (1996 – 2002)  
Member, Minority Mental Health Research Center, Boston, MA (1995 - 2002)  
Member, Criminal Justice Committee, NASW, Massachusetts Chapter (1997 - Present)  
Member, National Association of Social Workers, MA Delegate, Delegate Assembly (Served 3 terms)  
Member, Board of Directors. National Association of Social Workers, MA Chapter (Served 2 terms)  
Member, Nominating Committee. National Association of Social Workers, MA Chapter (Served 2 terms).

Peer Reviewer. Fulbright Senior Specialist Program for Social Work and Sociology.

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:**

Member, Council on Social Work Education  
Member, National Association of Social Workers  
Member, National Association of Black Social Workers  
Member, Society for Research in Child Development  
Member, Society for Research in Adolescence  
Member, Society for Social Work and Research  
Member, National Association for the Education of Young Children  
Member, International Federation of Social Workers  
Member, International Council on Schools of Social Work Educators

**Licensure:** LICSW. Commonwealth of Massachusetts, License Number 100276.