# Amado Frank Hernández, Ph. D.

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#### **EDUCATION**

Master of Science in Clinical Psychopharmacology – Alliant International University – CSPP. Fall 2010 - Fall 2012

Epilepsy & Electrophysiology Laboratory - Boston Children's Hospital. Supervision by K.H. Wong in quantitative electroencephalography. Boston Children's Hospital / Harvard Medical School Fall 2000 - Fall 2001 - Boston, MA

Franciscan Children's Hospital & Rehabilitation Center / Boston University School of Medicine APA-approved Medical Psychology Internship / Neuropsychology Rotation Fall 1993 - Fall 1994 Boston, MA Supervisor: Dr. Carmen Brenes Jette - Bilingual Assessment Director

Carlos Albizu University, Miami, FL

1992-1998

Doctoral program in clinical psychology with concentration in clinical neuropsychology. GPA: 3.7

Carlos Albizu University, Miami, FL 1990 - 1991 Master of Science - recipient of Utmost Distinction GPA: 4.0

Menninger Foundation, Topeka, KS October 1990

Biofeedback training in the areas of brainwave training,
 psychophysiological approaches to pain, and cancer & psychoneuroimmunology.

University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL

August 1984 - December 1989

- Bachelor of Science
  Major: Psychology Minor: Biology Minor: Chemistry
- Bachelor of Arts

Major: Spanish Minor: Philosophy

• U. M. National Dean's List Award / August 1990

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## **Clinical Psychologist**

**Instructor in Psychology** 

Boston Children's Hospital/Harvard Medical School

Boston, MA.

### Member of the Infant Toddler Follow Up Team

Provide initial and follow up neuropsychological assessments to infants and toddlers. September 2010 – Present

## **Clinical Neuropsychologist**

## Central Square Therapy Associates, LLP

Lynn, MA.

Provide neuropsychological assessments and behavioral medicine psychotherapy to patients treated at the group practice.

January 2002 - Present

## **School Psychologist**

## **Lynn Public Schools**

Summer 1998 - 2000 - Subcontractual

Summer 2000 – 2006 – Full Time Contractual

Summer 2006 - Present - Subcontractual

Supervisor: Dr. Henry Kelly - Chief Psychologist

## Visiting Lecturer

## **Tufts University**

Medford, MA.

Fall 2002 - Summer 2006

The following courses have been taught at least twice at Tufts University:

Biological Bases of Behavior, Multicultural Counseling, Learning Disabilities, Practicum supervision of M.S. / CAGS program school psychology students.

#### **Adjunct Professor**

Salem State College

Salem, MA. 01970

Summer 1995 - Summer 2004

The following courses have been taught at least two times at the Salem State College: Contemporary Adolescence and Adulthood, Child Psychology, Physiological Psychology, General Psychology, Introduction to Neuropsychology, Cognitive

Neuropsychology.

#### **Behavioral Medicine Director**

North Shore Children's Hospital Salem, MA.

Fall 1999 - Fall 2001

Supervisor: Dr. Jefferson Prince - Medical Director

## Staff Psychologist

## **Bilingual Assessment Clinic Director**

## **Multicultural Training Seminar Coordinator**

Franciscan Children's Hospital & Rehabilitation Center / Boston University School of Medicine - APA-approved teaching hospital Boston, MA

Summer 1996 - 2000

## Pediatric Behavioral Medicine Staff Psychotherapist

North Shore Children's Hospital Salem, MA Fall 1994 - Fall 2000

### **Developmental Neuropsychology Fellow**

North Shore Children's Hospital Salem, MA Fall 1994 - Fall 1995

## **Medical Psychology Intern**

Franciscan Children's Hospital & Rehabilitation Center / Boston University School of Medicine APA-approved / Neuropsychology Rotation from Spring - Fall 1994. Boston, MA Fall 1993 - Fall 1994

#### **Visiting Lecturer**

Carlos Albizu University 8180 N.W. Miami, FL January 1992 - August 1993

- Physiological Psychology (Spring 1992, Fall 1992)
- Ethnopsychology (Summer 1992, Fall 1992, Spring 1993)
- Introduction to Neuropsychology (Spring 1993)
- Health Psychology (Spring 1993)
- Theories of Personality (Summer 1993)

#### **Psychological Associate**

Healthsouth Regional Rehabilitation Center / University of Miami 20601 Old Cutler Road, Miami, FL 33189 CARF & JCHAO accredited 1992 -1993

■ Neuropsychological Testing

■ Individual Psychotherapy

### **Neuropsychology Practicum Student**

Healthsouth Regional Rehabilitation Center / University of Miami 20601 Old Cutler Road, Miami, FL 33189. CARF & JCHAO accredited January 1991 - January 1992

- Biofeedback
- Neuropsychological Testing
- Stress and Pain Management
- Individual Psychotherapy
- Group Psychotherapy
- Cognitive Rehabilitation
- Behavior Modification

#### **Behavior Therapist**

Healthsouth Regional Rehabilitation Center / University of Miami Medical School 20601 Old Cutler Road, Miami, FL 33189. February 1989 - July 1989

- Coordinated on-the-floor activities of patients assigned to the Head Injury Program with the neuropsychology program director.
- Assigned to specific treatments or patient services.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- <u>Effectiveness of a Biofeedback Protocol in the Management of Pediatric and</u> Adolescent Headaches Doctoral Dissertation. 1998.
- <u>Language Disorders in Spanish-Speaking Children and Adolescents</u>. The first electronic book in this area. It will aid in the assessment and intervention of the pediatric and adolescent Spanish-speaker with either acquired or developmental language disorders. (In preparation)
- Organización y Funcionamiento de una Unidad de Rehabilitación Neuropsicológica (Organization and Functioning of a Neuropsychological Rehabilitation Unit)
   Chapter 16 on <u>Rehabilitación Neuropsicologica</u> (<u>Neuropsychological Rehabilitation</u>). pp. 374-398. Book edited by F.Ostrosky, A. Ardila, and R. Dochy. Published by Editorial Planeta, Mexico, Abril 1996.
- Member of a three-person coordinating committee for the translation and adaptation to Spanish of the <u>Head Injury - Family Interview</u> (HI-FI) document (1993).

Contracted to adapt the HI-FI by the Research & Training Center on Head Trauma & Stroke/NYU - Rusk Institute of Rehabilitative Medicine.

• Behavior Modification Effects on Human Kluver-Bucy Like Syndrome. <u>Journal of Clinical and Experimental Neuropsychology</u>, 14, 3, 390. 1992.

## PRESENTATIONS / AWARDS

- \* Identifying Rates of Reading Remediation between Bilingual and Monolingual School-Age Children. Presented at the 39<sup>th</sup> International Neuropsychological Society Annual Meeting held in Boston, MA, February 2-5, 2011.
- \* "Cultural Factors among Hispanics in an Inpatient Psychiatric Unit" Presented to the McLean Franciscan Child & Adolescent Unit staff. May 4, 1998.
- \* "Cultural Considerations in the Neuropsychiatric Assessment of the Hispanic Patient" Topic presented at the Mental Health Center Lecture Series sponsored by the Salem Hospital Mental Health Center in cooperation with McLean Hospital. May 17, 1996.
- \* "Panic Disorders" Focus on Health topic at the Continental Cablevision Program for the North Shore Medical Center Series. Broadcasted across 14 different New England districts during December of 1995.
- \* "Integrating Neuropsychological Testing Results into Psychotherapy" Topic presented at the Mental Health Center Lecture Series sponsored by the Salem Hospital Mental Health Center in cooperation with McLean Hospital, November 17, 1995.
- \* "My Aching Head Migraines, Headaches" Straight Talk women's lecture series at the North Shore Medical Center. Presented with Neurologist Sanford M. Levy, M.D., September 12, 1995.
- \* Efficacy of Computer Assisted Cognitive Retraining in a Kluver-Bucy Like Syndrome. Presented at the Cognitive Rehabilitation and Community Integration Through Scientifically Based Practice 6th Annual Conference held in Richmond, Virginia, September 24-27, 1992.
- \* Behavior Modification Effects on Human Kluver-Bucy Like Syndrome. Presented at the Fourteenth European Conference of the International Neuropsychological Society held in Durham, England, July 8-11, 1992.
- \* Denny-Brown & Chambers Rejection Behavior Syndrome in a Traumatically Brain Injured Adult; A Case Study. Presented at the 7th Annual Eastern Regional Neuropsychology Conference of the Hamot Institute for Behavioral Health held

in Erie, Pennsylvania, May 11-15, 1992.

- \* An Overview of Pediatric Neuropsychology. Presented at Healthsouth Regional Rehabilitation Center, Miami, Florida on December 17, 1991.
- \* Behavior Modification with the Brain Injured Patient. Presented at Healthsouth Regional Rehabilitation Center, Miami, Florida on August 1991.
- \* Substance Abuse Tri-County Conference / Neurolinguistic Programming Cofacilitation of Group Exercises. Presented with Janet Konefal from the University of Miami / Jackson Memorial Hospital. Fort Lauderdale, Florida, June 1991.
- \* The Role of Emotional Factors in the Rehabilitation Process. Presented at Healthsouth Regional Rehabilitation Center, Miami, Florida on May 11, 1991.

#### **REFERENCES**

#### **Upon Request**

- MA License # 7760 as a Licensed Psychologist
- MA Health Service Provider Certification
- Registrant # 51998 in the National Register of Health Service Provider in Psychology