

# Amy L. Abdnour, LCSW

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## Education

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LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER-SW8201

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA – Tampa, FL  
Master of Social Work – April 2002

WHEATON COLLEGE – Wheaton, IL  
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology – May 1995

## Other Certifications

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- ♦ Certified Florida School Social Worker-890190
- ♦ Certified Field Traumatologist
- ♦ Certified Marriage and Family Therapist
- ♦ Certified *Nurturing Program* Facilitator
- ♦ Certified in Techniques of Effective Aggression Management
- ♦ Certified in CHAMPS Classroom Management
- ♦ Certified in CRISS Strategies for Better Reading Comprehension

## Research Experience

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- ♦ Primary Investigator: *Mentoring and School Attachment*
- ♦ Research Assistant: Elder Mistreatment Research Laboratory
- ♦ Research Assistant: University of South Florida Kinship Care Program

## Related Experience

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**AMY L. ABDNOUR, LCSW, INC.** – Tampa & Apollo Beach, FL – June 2007 to Present  
Owner/Private Psychotherapy Practice

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY** – Tampa, FL – June 2007 to July 2012  
Licensed Clinical Social Worker

- ♦ Student Evaluation and Clinical Consultant
  - Provided area leadership to social work staff
  - Completed social/developmental evaluations
  - Facilitated threat assessment protocol
  - Coordinated crisis and case management support services
  - Created school-wide attendance intervention programs
  - Assessed and monitored truancy cases
  - Provided individual, family, and group counseling
  - Served as liaison between home, school, and community
  - Presented and facilitated education workshops
- ♦ School-Wide Character Education Coordinator
  - Created instructional curriculum and multi-media tools
  - Facilitated grant-funded student and adult psycho-education groups
  - Implemented a school-wide energy conservation & recycling program
  - Provided staff development and team training
- ♦ Committee Chair
  - Lead the School Advisory Council, Intervention Teams, Mental Health Consultation, & Social Work Steering Committees
  - Served as liaison between school, community, and business partners
  - Developed, articulated, and facilitated school improvement process
  - Created student and teacher planners
  - Coordinated the implementation of electronic home and school communication protocols

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**DACCO** – Tampa, FL – July 2007 to August 2008  
Quality Assurance Auditor

- ♦ Audited client chart and maintained compliance standards

**UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA** – Tampa, FL – January 2005 to August 2007  
Adjunct Professor

- ♦ Taught undergraduate and graduate social work classes

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY** – Tampa, FL – Jan. 2001 to April 2002  
Social Work Intern

- ♦ Developed and supervised staff-to-student mentoring program

**BREAKING FREE** – Aurora, IL – March 1998 to March 2000  
Development Director

- ♦ Organized and coordinated fundraising events, marketing campaigns, and community/agency relations
  - Wrote grant proposals and compiled foundation research
  - Developed program curriculum and coordinated community collaboration projects
  - Trained administrative staff
  - Recruited, trained, and supervised volunteers
  - Marketed programs and presented parenting education workshops to the community

**BREAKING FREE/FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER** – Aurora, IL – April 1995 to March 2000  
Family-Based Program Director

- ♦ Hired, trained, and supervised staff, interns, and volunteers
  - Taught *Nurturing Program* in traditional and non-traditional K-12 education settings
  - Conducted parenting home visits for voluntary and involuntary clients
  - Coordinated state-funded children's and parent training programs
  - Facilitated substance abuse and violence prevention programs for elementary students
  - Chaired the community networking and case coordination group
  - Taught life skill training classes for middle and high school youth

**DEPT. OF CHILDREN & FAMILY SERVICES** – Aurora, FL – Sept. 1994 to January 1995  
Social Work Intern

- ♦ Executed basic case management responsibilities
  - Maintained client contact
  - Coordinated visits and client/community resources
  - Compiled social histories, client service plans, court reports, and risk assessments
  - Attended court hearings, school assessment conferences, investigation proceedings & case reviews

**HENRY HORNER HOUSING PROJECTS-KID'S CLUB** – Chicago, IL – Sept. 1992 to May 2005  
Director/Program Coordinator

**DEPT. OF CHILDREN & FAMILY SERVICES** – Rockford, IL – May 1992 to September 1992  
Adoption Support Services/Autistic Tutor