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Qualifications

Experienced Non-Profit Executive

- More than six years of non-profit management experience at national AIDS education and advocacy organization.
- Extensive development and grants management experience. Responsible for proposal writing, fundraising, and administration of numerous public and private grants, including cooperative agreements with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (≈\$800k annual award) and the Health Resources and Services Administration (≈\$300k annual award).
- Managed an annual division budget of more than \$1.5 million.
- Co-chaired a senior management team responsible for policy and program coordination. Led management efforts to build institutional infrastructure through activities such as reviewing and developing new employee handbook; establishing employee policies and procedures; and establishing benchmarks and assessing outcomes toward meeting organization's strategic plan.

Accomplished Programs Division Leader

- Successfully managed a Programs Division of two departments: Education and Community Development and Training. Initiated planning for an International Partnerships Department.
- Recruited and retained a multi-cultural staff of 10+ full-time employees.
- Supervised the on-going growth and development of several key initiatives including: a major national social marketing initiative (*National HIV Testing Day Campaign*); various leadership development activities (including *Staying Alive: A National Survival Training for People Living with HIV*); publication of numerous health education materials (such as *Medical Alert*, a quarterly HIV treatment newsletter); a national information and referral service; a technical assistance program on representation of people living with HIV in community level resource allocation activities; and numerous outreach and training initiatives (including *Ryan White National Youth Conference*).

Effective Health Policy Advocate

- More than five years of federal policy advocacy. Portfolio has covered a range of health care issues including protecting the Medicaid entitlement, enactment of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, Medicare Reform, Patient's Bill of Rights and managed care consumer protections, efforts to eliminate or raise lifetime insurance caps, and health information privacy.

- Diverse experience in health policy formulation. Active participant in several policy making or advisory bodies including: Expert Working Group on HIV and Managed Care of the National Academy for State Health Policy; Medicaid Special Needs Study Advisory Committee mandated by the Balanced Budget Act of 1997; Health Privacy Working Group, a key stakeholders panel that developed consensus principles for operationalizing enhanced privacy protections; and a Medicaid Financing Working Group co-convened by the Health Care Financing Administration and the Center for Health Care Strategies.

Proven Coalition Builder

- Member of the Board of Directors, the Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities (CCD), a coalition of roughly 100 national disability organizations. January 1999 – present.
- Co-Chair, CCD Health Task Force. Task Force advocates on a broad range of health care issues, with priority attention focused on Medicaid, Medicare, health insurance reform, and managed care issues. January 1996 – present.
- Chair, CCD Privacy Working Group. Working group provides a disability perspective to administrative rulemaking and efforts to enact medical records privacy legislation. January 1997 – present.
- Steering Committee Member, Patient’s Bill of Rights Coalition. Convened by the National Partnership for Women and Families, coalition provides an umbrella for federal legislative efforts to establish new managed care consumer protections. March 1998 – present.
- Member, Families USA Medicaid Coalition. Organized initially to oppose the block granting of Medicaid in 1995, coalition monitors federal legislative and administrative Medicaid initiatives and works for expanded access and improved quality health care for low-income populations. March 1995 – present.
- Steering Committee Member, Consumer Coalition for Health Privacy. Broad-based coalition that advocates for comprehensive federal legislation to protect personally identifiable health information. February 1999 – present.
- Convener, Emergency Coalition for Health Care Action. Coalition of national and local AIDS organizations formed to defend Medicaid as a safety net for people living with HIV and address other public and private insurance issues. August 1995 – November 1997.

Experienced Public Speaker and Trainer

- Frequently requested conference presenter and technical assistance provider on a broad range of health policy issues. Witness before Congressional hearings on Medicaid reform and health information privacy.

Employment History

Institute for Health Care Research and Policy

Project Director/Senior Researcher October 2000 – Present

National Association of People with AIDS (NAPWA)

Deputy Executive Director for Programs October 1997 – August 2000

Associate Executive Director November 1995 – October 1997

Assistant Executive Director/Senior Policy November 1994 – November 1995

Associate

Special Assistant to the Executive Director April 1994 – November 1994

Public Policy Intern January 1994 – April 1994

National Institute of Mental Health, Laboratory of Clinical Science

Chemist, Section on Analytical Biochemistry

May 1991 – July 1993

United States Peace Corps

Volunteer/High School Science Teacher, Nsongweni High School, Swaziland, southern Africa

November 1988 – January 1991

Education

School of Hygiene and Public Health, The Johns Hopkins University

Master of Public Health

May 1994

Kalamazoo College

Bachelor of Arts
Major: Chemistry

June 1988

Consumer Publications

1. Crowley, J.S. "Building Strong Medicaid Managed Care Programs: A Guide to Help Consumer Advocates Participate in Strengthening HIV/AIDS Provisions in Managed Care Contracts", NAPWA. May 2000.
2. Crowley, J.S. "Making Medicaid Managed Care Work: An Action Plan for People Living with HIV", NAPWA. Second edition: May 2000.
3. Crowley, J.S. and Honberg, L. Coordinated a NAPWA/HRSA collaboration to develop "Your Passport to Managed Care: A tool for making managed care work for you", NAPWA. English version: March 1999, Spanish version: September 1999.
4. Crowley, J.S. and Massengale, R.L. "Protecting Your Private Health Insurance: How the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) Could Help You", NAPWA. August 1998.
5. Crowley, J.S. "Making Medicaid Managed Care Work: An Action Plan for People Living with HIV", NAPWA. First edition: March 1997.
6. Crowley, J.S. and Shriver, M.D. "Understanding the Health Care Needs of People Living with HIV—Recommendations for Strengthening the Programs that Serve Them", NAPWA. March 1997.

Research Publications

1. Saito, K., Nowak, T.S. Jr., Suyama, K., Quearry, B.J., Saito, M., Crowley, J.S., Markey, S.P., and Heyes, M.P. Kynurenine pathway enzymes in brain: differential responses of kynurenine-3-hydroxylase to intracerebral versus systemic immune stimulation. *Journal of Neurochemistry* 61:2061-2077, (1993).
2. Saito, K., Crowley, J.S., Markey, S.P., and Heyes, M.P. A mechanism for quinolinic acid formation following acute systemic immune stimulation. *Journal of Biological Chemistry* 268:15496-15503, (1993).
3. Saito, K., Chen, C., Masana, M., Crowley, J.S., Markey, S.P., and Heyes, M.P. 4-Chloro-3-Hydroxyanthranilate, 6-chlorotryptophan and norharmaline attenuate quinolinic acid formation by interferon- δ stimulated monocytes (THP-1 cells). *Biochemical Journal* 291:11-14, (1993).

4. Heyes, M.P., Saito, K., Crowley, J.S., Davis, L.E., Demitrak, M.A., Der, M., Dilling, L., Kruesi, M.J.P., Lackner, A., Larsen, S.A., Lee, K., Leonard, H., Markey, S.P., Martin, A., Milstein, S., Mouradian, M.M., Pranzatelli, M.R., Quearry, B.J., Salazar, A., Smith, M., Straus, S.E., Sunderland, T., Swedo, S. and Tourtellotte, W.W. Quinolinic acid and kynurenine pathway metabolism in inflammatory and non-inflammatory neurologic disease. *Brain* 115:1249-1273, (1992).
5. Duncan, M.W., Crowley, J.S., Jones, J.M., Kopin, I.J. and Markey, S.P. Quantification of the putative neurotoxin 2-amino-3-(methylamino)-propanoic acid (BMAA) in cycadales: analysis of the seeds of some members of the family cycadaceae. *Journal of Analytical Toxicology* 13:169-175, (1989).

Selected Presentations

1. Institute of Medicine
Addressed the Institute of Medicine Committee on Serious or Complex Medical Conditions. June 1999.
2. National Leadership Conference for Youth with Disabilities
Panelist in a law and disability policy workshop on how to get started in a career in health policy advocacy. June 1999.
3. National Health Care for the Homeless Conference
Presented on, "Managed Care and Homeless People: A federal special needs agenda". April 1999.
4. Democratic Caucus, U. S. House of Representatives
Testified on health information privacy provisions in H. R. 4450 (House Leadership Managed Care Bill). July 1998.
5. American Public Health Association
Presented at the 1998 Annual Conference on, "Helping People with HIV Resolve Problems in Medicaid Managed Care". October 1998.
6. Institute of Medicine
Addressed the Institute of Medicine Committee on The Changing Market, Managed Care, and the Future Viability of Safety Net Providers. May 1998.
7. Michigan AIDS Fund
Presented on Medicaid managed care at the Michigan AIDS Fund's symposia series on HIV/AIDS service delivery. March 1998.
8. National Skills Building Conference
Presented training on, "What consumers need to know about managed care." and organized a panel discussion on, "Technical Assistance on Managed Care for AIDS service providers". October 1996.
9. Reimbursement and Care for HIV/AIDS Meeting
Moderated a group discussion on Medicaid and AIDS Drug Assistance Programs. September 1996.
10. Commerce Committee, U. S. House of Representatives
Testified on the National Governors Association Medicaid Reform Proposal on behalf of the Health Task Force of the Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities. March 1996.
11. New York AIDS Coalition
Addressed the coalition on the national advocacy perspective of federal Medicaid reform. November 1995.