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JOHN F. BOPP, MS, CRC, CCM, CLCP REHABILITATION CONSULTANT

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Rehabilitation Counselor	Commission on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification #00001148, 1976 – March 2011
Certified Case Manager	Commission on Case Manager Certification #9145, 1993 – November 2008
Certified Life Care Planner	Commission on Health Care Certification #268, 1999 – February 2008
Certified New Hampshire Vocational Rehabilitation Provider	NH Department of Labor #102, 1998 – 2007
Certified Vermont Vocational Rehabilitation Consultant	VT Department of Labor & Industry #V0058, 1998 - 2007

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1986 - Present **Rehabilitation Consultant**
Rehabilitation Services Associates
Henniker, New Hampshire

Established and direct a private rehabilitation practice providing: medical and vocational case management services to the industrially injured, rehabilitation counseling and consultation, vocational expert testimony, vocational evaluation, and life care plans. Case management services include medical case management, vocational assessment, rehabilitation plan development, vocational testing, job seeking skills training, labor market surveys, job placement, and follow-up.

1990 - Present **Vocational Expert**
Social Security Administration
Office of Hearings and Appeals
Manchester, New Hampshire

Provide vocational expert opinion evidence at the hearing level of the Social Security disability claims process. Provide factual information regarding job requirements and labor market information. Evaluate age, education, prior work experience, and residual functional capacities of claimants for impact upon employability.

1992 - 1995 **Vocational Rehabilitation Consultant**
The Nashua Work Hardening Center
Nashua Memorial Hospital
Nashua, New Hampshire

Consulted with multidisciplinary work hardening treatment program in the development and provision of vocational rehabilitation services. Provided liaison between clients, insurance carriers, rehabilitation professionals, and employers.

1980 - 1986 **Rehabilitation Counselor/Vocational Evaluator**
Rehabilitation Consultants, Inc.
Manchester, New Hampshire

Vocational case management services and vocational assessment with industrially injured. Responsibilities included vocational assessment, plan development, job seeking skills training, job placement, and follow-up.

1978 - 1980 **Vocational Assessment Coordinator/Career Development Specialist**
Area Cooperative Education Services
New Haven, Connecticut

Supervised comprehensive vocational evaluation and counseling center serving diverse handicapped population aged 14 through adult.

1976 - 1978 **Rehabilitation Counselor**
Work Evaluation and Resources Center
Hempstead, New York

Vocational counseling and plan development with drug-dependent population in multi-faceted treatment agency. Liaison with therapeutic, vocational training, and job placement services.

1975 - 1976 **Rehabilitation Counselor**
Federation Employment Guidance Services
Brooklyn, New York

Evaluation, counseling, and work adjustment services to severely disabled population within a comprehensive vocational rehabilitation agency.

EDUCATION

1974 **Master of Science - Rehabilitation Counseling**
State University of New York at Albany
Albany, NY

1973 **Bachelor of Arts - Psychology**
Fairfield University
Fairfield, Connecticut

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Post Graduate Certificate – Life Care Planning for Advanced Catastrophic Case Management
University of Florida / Rehabilitation Training Institute (1998)

Continuing Professional Education in Acquired Brain Injury, Pediatric, Brain Injury, Spinal Cord
Injury, Multiple Disabilities and Forensic Rehabilitation

Advanced Pediatrics/Medipro Seminars (16 hours) (2004)

International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals Annual Conference
(1997/1999/2001/2002/2004/2006)

New England Chapter IARP Fall Conference (2005)

International Conference on Life Care Planning/University of Florida/Medipro Seminars
(2004, 2005)

Life Care Planning Summit/University of Florida/Medipro Seminars
(2002, 2006)

American Board of Vocational Experts/Annual Conference (1990/91/94/95/00)

NH Workers Compensation/Annual Conference (1980-2000)

NH Department of Labor (1999 - 2006) – Annual NHCVRP Training

New Hampshire Rehabilitation Association/Annual Conference (1994/95/96/99-01)

NH Brain Injury Foundation/Annual Brain Injury & Stroke Conference
(1990/91/93/95/99-02, 2006)

Spinal Cord Injury / Northeast Rehabilitation Hospital (2005)

Access Expo of Northern New England 2001
Institute on Disability/UAP

Using a Team Approach to Maximize Amputee Function
Northeast Rehabilitation Hospital (2001)

Issues of Post-Acute Spinal Cord Injury Survivors
Spinal Cord Injury RRTC'S (1997)

The Acute and Rehabilitative Management of the Individual with a Spinal Cord Injury
New England Rehabilitation Hospital (1994)

Vocational Rehabilitation of Persons with Traumatic Brain Injury
Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago (1993)

Life Care Planning/Vocational Expert Testimony/Paul Deutsch, Ph.D. (1990)

Lost Employment, Wage Loss and Lost Earning Capacity/Tim Field, Ph.D. (1990)

Life Care Planning for Persons with Severe Disabilities/Jack Sink, Ph.D. (1989)

Job Analysis - United States Department of Labor (1979)

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- New Hampshire Trial Lawyers Association (2002)
Earning Capacity Analysis
- National Association of Forensic Economists (1999)
Interface Between the Life Care Planner and Economist
- New Hampshire Department of Vocational Rehabilitation (1998)
Job Placement
- New Hampshire Bar Association (1997)
Cross Examination of the Social Security Vocational Expert
- New Hampshire Rehabilitation Association (1995)
Rehabilitation Counselor Licensure
- New Hampshire Annual Workers Compensation Conference (1988, 1993)
Rehabilitation Intervention/Process and Policy
The Carpal Tunnel Case
- New Hampshire Association of Service Providers in Private Rehabilitation (1987-1998)
Ethics in Private Rehabilitation
The Role of Rehabilitation in the NH Workers Compensation System
Vocational Evaluation
Managed Care
Functional Capacity Evaluation
NH Department of Labor Forecast for 1998
- VT Claims Association Seminar (1992)
Ethics in Vocational Rehabilitation

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

- New Hampshire Governor's Vocational Rehabilitation Advisory
Board Appointee (1995-2001)
- Ethics Committee Co-Chair - New Hampshire Association of
Service Providers in Private Rehabilitation (1990-1998)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals
- International Academy of Life Care Planners

MEMBERSHIPS

- National Brain Injury Foundation/New Hampshire Chapter
- National Spinal Cord Injury Association
- Granite State Independent Living Foundation

OTHER

- Board Member - New Hampshire Very Special Arts (1999 - 2002)
- Coach - New Hampshire Stainless Steelers Wheelchair Basketball Team (1985)