# Beverly J. Anderson, Ph.D., B.C.E.T.S. President, Beverly Anderson Associates, Inc.

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**Summary:** Twenty years of experience in employee assistance programs, human services

administration, psychological evaluations/psychotherapy with law enforcement officers, teaching, critical incident debriefings, trauma consultations and expert

witness testimony.

**Education:** Southwest University

Ph.D. Counseling Psychology, 1993 Graduated with highest honors

The Fielding Graduate Institute

An APA-approved Graduate School in

Professional Psychology

Ph.D. Student/Clinical Psychology, 1990

Rhode Island College

M.A. Counseling Psychology, 1980 Graduated with highest honors

University of Massachusetts/Dartmouth B.A. Psychology & Education, 1976 Graduated with highest honors Ranked 1st in class of 1228

**Advanced Training:** Neuropsychological Testing

John Breeskin, Ph.D., ABPP

1990 - 1993

Neurobehavioral Assessment & Intervention

(Pediatric School - Neuropsychology) 120 hours post doctoral training to assess

neurologically impaired children and adolescents.

Neurobehavioral Training Associates, Inc.

1993 - 1994

**Licenses/Certifications:** District of Columbia License/PRC 315

Certified Addictions Counselor

1984, 1989, 1992, 1993

Qualified Legal Expert in Trauma & PTSD Superior Court, District of Columbia

State of Maryland

Montgomery County Police/Trial Board

Practitioner of Hypnotherapy

■ Personality Theories

■ Critical Incident Debriefing

American Hypnosis Training Academy, 1995

**Board Certified Expert in Traumatic Stress** 

Diplomate, The American Academy of Experts in Traumatic Stress 1996

Selected to serve on The Board of Scientific & Professional Advisors for The American Academy of Experts in Traumatic Stress
1997- Present

American Board of School Neuropsychology, Inc. Secretary/Treasurer Board of Directors 1999-Dec. 2002

## **Employment History**

1997 – Present

# Adjunct Faculty: University of Maryland/University College

Instructor: Psychotraumatology (under contract with Dr. John Breeskin, Licensed Clinical Psychologist)

1997 - Present

# Adjunct Faculty The Union Institute

Doctoral Program in Clinical Psychology

- History & Systems in Psychology
- Social Psychology
- Psychotraumatology
- Human Sexuality
- for Psychotherapists
- Theories of Psychological Assessment

1997 - Present

# Appointed to Dissertation Committee of Four Doctoral Clinical Psychology Students

1996

#### Consultant/NBC Studios, Washington, DC

Workplace Threat Assessment/Stalking Case of News Personality

1994 - Present

# The American Academy of Police Psychology, Inc.

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#### **President**

The first organization of its kind to address the unique concerns and stressors of the law enforcement community. Membership is comprised of professionals from such diverse fields as law enforcement, psychology, psychiatry, social work, counseling, government and the ministry.

1988 - Present

#### **Metropolitan Police Employee Assistance Program**

901 East Capitol Street, SE Washington, D.C. 20003

# Clinical Director/Program Administrator

A unique psychological services program delivering full range counseling services

to 3,800 police officers and their family members. Services include: Post Shooting Trauma Groups, Emergency Interventions, Post Critical Incident

Debriefings, Hostage Negotiations, Marital/Couples Therapy Groups, Alcoholism Counseling, Relapse Prevention, Co-Dependency Groups, Play Therapy, Individual Counseling, Neuropsychological Assessments, Training and Educational seminars for officials, officers, recruits, family members, hostage negotiators, homicide detectives, youth services, child abuse investigators, and other specialized units.

1993 - 1994

# Fairfax Hospital Trauma Services

**INOVA Medical Aircare** 

**Consultant:** Trauma debriefing and symposium faculty lecturer.

1991 - 1997

# **National Transportation Safety Board**

Faculty/Lecturer: Accident Investigators School Advanced Accident Investigators School

1989 - Present

# Beverly Anderson Associates, Inc.

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**President & CEO** of corporation specializing in employee assistance programs, psychological services programs, high stress occupations, trauma debriefings, and alcohol and drugs in the workplace.

1988 - 1994

# Federal Bureau of Investigation

# **Defense Intelligence Agency**

Consultant: Trauma Debriefings/Psychological Services/Drug-Free Federal Workplace Training - HIV/AIDS

1987 - 1988

#### Resource One, Inc.

## Vice President, Washington Operations

Developed Washington Base of operations for contract EAP services resulting in several contract awards.

1982 - 1987

# The Psychiatric Institute of Washington, D.C. **Director, Occupational Health Services**

Consulted for management on employee relations, performance problems, substance abuse and occupational health issues in 50 companies in Washington

Metropolitan Area.

Managed employee counseling and referral staff in D.C., Maryland and Virginia. Duties included training psychiatric nurse therapists to deliver evaluation and referral services for employees of corporations and law enforcement agencies.

Developed and administered employee assistance program services for 15 corporations to include law enforcement agencies within the Washington Metropolitan Area. Appeared on television interviews regarding stress in law enforcement and the juvenile firesetter.

1982

#### **Environments for Human Services, Inc.**

A Virginia corporation with offices in Richmond and Falls Church providing residential treatment services to emotionally disturbed adolescents in 38 group homes statewide

#### **Consultant:**

- Responsible for meeting state licensing requirements for all group homes in Northern Virginia. Directed the opening and licensing of four new facilities.
- Re-wrote all personnel policies and procedures and job descriptions for the agency.
- Established a training program for all EHS staff.
- Set standards for care under state mandates.
- Clinically supervised directors of each group home facility.

1981 - 1982

# **Bristol Community College**

Fall River, Massachusetts

# Coordinator, Center for Business & Industry

## **Psychology Instructor**

- Developed credit and non-credit courses offered on-site for employees of several corporations.
- Hired and supervised program directors, psychologists, nurses, secretarial instructors, and vocational/technical trainers.
- Taught college level courses in Child Development, Abnormal Psychology, General Psychology. Provided EAP services to a large law firm, and two retail-clothing manufacturers.

1979 - 1981

# Dr. John C. Corrigan Mental Health Center

Fall River, Massachusetts

# **Assistant Staff Psychologist**

- Responsible for writing a \$2 million staffing grant for a large community mental health center.
- Administered Neuropsychological Assessments.
- Planned, developed, and implemented inpatient, residential, and outpatient programs. (Birth-to-Three/Early Intervention, Children's Emergency Services, Children's Outpatient Programs, Adolescent Unit.)
- Designed and implemented a system of monitoring and evaluation of all mental health inpatient, residential and outpatient programs.
- Directed the licensing of residential group home facilities for deinstitutionalized state hospital patients.
- Provided consultation services to the Bristol County District Attorney in the area of child abuse that resulted in an interagency contract between the Massachusetts District Attorneys and the State Department of Social Services.
- Advised Fall River Domestic & Family Court re: disposition of all cases involving minor children, child abuse and neglect, all other mental health issues
- Served as administrative representative for the Department of Mental Health at State Level.
- Provided clinical services for children and families. (Play Therapy/Family Therapy)
- Maintained a private practice with Jose Sousa, MD.

#### **Professional Affiliations**

- The American Academy of Experts in Traumatic Stress, Selected to Serve on the Board of Science & Professional Advisors (1997 Present)
- Selected to Serve on the Board of National Institute of Ethics
- American Psychological Association
- Association of Employee Assistance Program Practitioners, Inc. (Vice President 1988 1989)
- American Association Counseling & Development
- Law Enforcement Behavioral Sciences Association (LEBSA) 1989-1995
- Served on Mayor's Advisory Council on Alcoholism Washington, DC (1983 1985)

#### Media

- Featured in Channel 4 News Video, "Cops Under Fire" 1988
- Featured in video, "Blueprint For Recovery," International Sheet Metal 1996 Consultant/NBC Studios, Washington, DC
  - Workplace Threat Assessment/Stalking Case of News Personality Workers.
- Associate Editor for National Newsletter, <u>AIDS Workplace Update</u>.
- Featured in CNN Special on Police Stress. 1991
- Provided "Expert Testimony" for Congressional hearing on Police Stress. 1991
- Featured speaker on PTSD in Police Officers, Good Morning America. July, 1991
- Featured CNN, Police Trauma Syndrome® and Excessive Force. 1996
- Featured Good Morning America and Good Morning America— Sunday, Police Trauma Syndrome®. 1996
- Featured speaker on Police Trauma Syndrome®, The Geraldo Rivera Show 1997
- Featured on Channel 9 special, "Beyond the Badge." 1997
- Featured speaker, *Black Entertainment Television* on Police Suicide and Police Stress, October 1998
- Featured speaker, The Learning Channel, "Behind the Badge." 1999

#### Writings/Publications

- Psychological Services for Law Enforcement: Design & Implementation, 1992
- Legal, Ethical & Professional Practice Issues for Police Psychologists, 1992
- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder in Law Enforcement Officers, 1993
- Fetal Alcohol Syndrome: What You Don't Know Can Hurt, 1981
- The Role of the EAP Practitioner in Managing AIDS, 1988 AIDS Workplace Update
- Talking to Children about Divorce, 1987
- Stepfamilies: A Guide to Survival, 1987
- Helping Children Deal With Death, 1987
- *The Echoes of Violence in the Police Family (Series of Articles, 1993)*
- Critical Incident Debriefing Information for Officers and Families
- Post Shooting Trauma, 1996
- What Parents Should Know About Psychological Testing, 1994
- Police Suicide: Understanding Grief & Loss, 1998
- Confidentiality in Counseling: What Police Officers Need to Know, 1998
- The Psychohistory of Trauma, 1998
- Life After Breast Cancer: Surviving & Thriving, 2002

# **Expert Witness Testimony**

- Police Trauma & PTSD in Police Officers
- Child Abuse Assessments
- Childhood Trauma (Effects of Witnessing Parental Homicide and Suicide)
- Posttraumatic Stress Disorder
- The Effects of Traumatic Exposure

#### Research

- 1992 1997 National Institute of Mental Health/Laboratory of Developmental Psychology "Secondary Effects of Police PTSD on Children of Police Officers."
- 1997 NIMH Repetitive Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (RTMS) in Acute and Chronic PTSD

#### Inventories/Tests

- Alcohol Assessment for Law Enforcement Officers 1989
- Life Change Units for Law Enforcement Officers 1985
- Law Enforcement Events Scale (LEES) Revised 1996
- Stress Scale for Children of Law Enforcement Officers 1993
- Behavioral Checklist for identifying and assisting the Officer in Trouble 1991- Revised 1992
- Police Post Shooting Impact Scale 1997
- Police Critical Incident Impact Scale 1997

#### Courses

- Stress in Law Enforcement for Police Officers (2 days)
- Stress in Law Enforcement for Police Supervisors (1 day)
- Police Critical Incident Debriefing (3 days)
- Psychotraumatology

## **Awards**

 Meritorious Service Medal Metropolitan Police Department Washington, DC 20001

(In recognition for significant outstanding and sustained achievements)

#### **Clinical Work**

■ Dr. Anderson created the term Police Trauma Syndrome® in 1996 to describe the long-term cumulative effects of police work.

The following is a complete list of companies and organizations that have retained the services provided by Beverly Anderson Associates, Inc.

## LAW ENFORCEMENT

FBI Academy Behavioral Science Unit

FBI National Academy

Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

U.S. Secret Service

The United States Park Police

Defense Intelligence Agency

Fairfax County Sheriff's Department

Metropolitan Police Department, S.O.D.

Philadelphia Police Department

Fairfax County Police Union

The Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #1, D.C.

Police Association of District of Columbia

D.C. Metro Transit Police

U.S. Capital Police

National Sheriff's Association

National Association of Vice Investigators

Herndon Virginia Police Department

Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C.

Naval Intelligence Agency

The Law Enforcement Behavioral Sciences Association

Ft. Detrick Occupational Health

Walter Reed Army Hospital Mental Health Services

NTSB - Office of Surface Transportation Safety

National Organization of Black Women in Law Enforcement

Interagency Committee on Women in Federal Law Enforcement

Virginia State Police

Montgomery County Police F.O.P.

Chesterfield County Police Dept., Virginia

Ohio State Highway Patrol

Atlanta District Attorney's Office

#### **U.S. GOVERNMENT**

The Office of Personnel Management

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Federal Trade Commission

**Equal Employment Opportunity Commission** 

General Services Administration

National Transportation Safety Board - Crash Investigators Flight Safety School

Advanced Flight Safety School Crash Investigators

Department of Energy

#### OTHER GOVERNMENT

**Arlington County Schools** 

Fairfax County Schools

Prince Georges County Fire Department

Massachusetts Department of Public Safety

Fairfax County Fire Department

Prince William County Fire Department

Bristol County District Attorney's Office

Montgomery County Fire and Rescue

Virginia State Fire Investigators/Recertification School

#### **PRIVATE**

AT&T

The American Petroleum Institute

The American Red Cross

**Computer Sciences Corporation** 

The George Hyman Construction Company

The American Public Transit Association

Psychiatric Institutes of America

Bureau of Public Debt

Federal Home Loan Bank Board

National Broadcasting Company

Suburban Bank

Washington Hilton Hotel

The Acacia Group

Classy 95 Radio; WPGC Radio

B'nai B'rith

Sheraton Washington Hotel

Washington Redskins Wives Association

Arent, Fox, Plotkin & Kahn

Greater Southeast Community Hospital

Capitol Hilton Hotel

**WGAY Radio** 

WLTT Radio

Washington Kiplinger Editors

Riggs Bank

Amtrak

United Virginia Bank

American Society of Association Executives

Intelsat

General Motors

McKinley & Kirk, LTD

Sheet Metal Workers International

Don Beyer Volvo

Edison Electric Institute

National Association of Manufacturers

T.G. Bauer Associates

C & P Telephone Company
Nuclear Management & Resources Council
National Academy of Science
D.C. Bar Association
National Alliance of Business
Gallaudet University
George Mason University
Northern Virginia Community College
Merry Mount University
Fairfax Hospital Craniofacial Clinic
Fairfax Hospital Trauma Services

#### **International Consultations**

Police Psychologists - Sweden, 1987. Medical Director, Police Clinic - Australia, 1989. Police Psychologists - Japan, 1990. Scotland Yard/British Police Department, 1992. Police Union - Ontario, Canada, 1992.

## **Forensic Consultations**

Custody Cases
Trauma & PTSD
Juvenile Firesetters
Court Ordered Psychological Assessment

## **SEMINARS/SYMPOSIUM PRESENTATIONS**

# Federal Bureau of Investigation

The Troubled Employee: Identification and Referral
Establishing a Successful Employee Assistance Program
The Drug Free Federal Workplace Act: Policies, Procedures, Implementation
Occupational Stressors for FBI Supervisors
Diagnosis and Assessment Techniques for FBI Counselors
Design and Implementation for your Federal Employee Assistance Program
Clients with Self-Defeating Behaviors for FBI Peer Counselors

#### Law Enforcement

Uniqueness of Response of Women Law Enforcement Officers to Trauma and The Ripple Effect on the Family
Fetal Alcohol Syndrome: What You don't Know Can Hurt
Counseling Skills for Occupational Health Nurses
Marketing Your EAP to Employees & Supervisors
Counseling Skills for the Police Peer Counselor
Understanding Psychological Trauma, Part I
Understanding Psychological Trauma, Part II
Co-Dependency in the Alcoholic Family
Alcoholism in the Workplace

Alcoholism and the Police Officer

The Use of Psychodrama in Trauma Therapy

Trauma Debriefing-Amtrak Employees

(Aftermath of the Amtrak/Conrail Disaster)

Post Traumatic Stress Disorder in Police Officers

Post Traumatic Stress Disorder in Fire Fighters

Stress & Trauma in Law Enforcement

The Officer in Trouble

Stress Management for Sheriff's Deputies, Fairfax County, Virginia

Drug Addiction: PCP, Cocaine, and Heroin

Crisis Intervention in the Workplace

Women and Alcoholism

The ABC's of Employee Assistance Program Management

Post Shooting Trauma Debriefings

Post Critical Incident Debriefings: What Therapists Need to Know

Post Critical Incident Stress in Homicide Detectives

Grief & Loss Issues for Widows of Slain Police Officers

Alcohol and Drug Addiction Seminar

Career Counseling for Career Transitions: A Practical Guide for EAP's

Occupational Issues for Women in Law Enforcement

Suicide and Suicide Intervention

Adolescent Chemical Dependency

PTSD in Vietnam Era Veterans

Drug Free Federal Workplace Act: Implementation Guidelines for Government Contractors

Retirement Seminars for the Metropolitan Police Department

Trauma Debriefing: National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

Interviewing Child Witnesses: The Use of Play Therapy

Trauma Debriefings/Occupational Stress for Accident Investigators of the NTSB.

#### Other

The Juvenile Firesetter: A Psychological Profile

The Emotionally Disturbed Child

Your Adolescents: Sex, Drugs, and Discipline

Stress: Making it Work for You

Relaxation Training/Autogenic Training

Stress Management for Supervisors

Time Management

**Effective Parenting** 

Children and Divorce

Talking to Children About Death & Loss

Stepfamilies: A Guide to Survival

Single Parenting

The Use of Behavior Modification in Parenting

Domestic Violence

Clinical Depression: A New Approach to an Old Problem

The Use of Play in Therapy with Children

Play Therapy: A Therapist's Guide

A Holistic Approach to Good Mental Health

Teen Suicide

Marital Therapy and Couples Communication

Issues of Grief & Loss for Families of Children with Craniofacial Deformities

High on the Job

Stress Management for the Wives of Professional Football Players (Washington Redskins Wives)

Domestic Violence: Why Women Get Hurt The High Signs of Adolescent Suicide Stress Debriefing for Crisis Center Nurses

Child Abuse Childhood Trauma

Virginia's Troubled Youth: Today's Kids, Tomorrows Headlines

AIDS: A Workplace Issue

Mergers and Acquisitions: Helping Employees Cope Managing Performance Anxiety in the Workplace

Parenting Your Adolescent Current Issues in Child Care

Survival Guide for Women in the 80's: Family, Job & Self

The Psychology of Success Parenting your Pre-School Child

What Parents Should Know About Neuropsychological Testing

Traits of the Healthy Family

Surviving Change in the Workplace

Grief & Addiction

**Couples Communication** 

Diagnosis and Assessment Techniques for FBI Counselors

American Petroleum Institute: Reflecting on the Past, Processing the Present, and Looking to the

Future

Clients with Self-Defeating Behaviors for FBI Peer Counselors

**Interpersonal Relationships** 

Health & Wellness for Employees

Depression and the Holiday Blues

Mid-Level Management Training

# TRAUMA CONSULTATIONS

AMTRAK - Aftermath of Amtrak/Conrail Disaster

Association of Vice Investigators

Accident Investigators - NTSB

Police Psychologists - LEBSA

Prince Georges County, Georgetown Hospital, Montgomery County

Fairfax County and Customs

Ph.D. Students - Clinical Psychology, Fielding Institute

National Sheriff's Institute

FBI National Academy

U.S. Park Police

Fairfax County Sheriff's Department

Fairfax County Police Peer Counselors

C.O.P.S. - Police Widows

FBI EAP Coordinators - Nationwide

United States Secret Service

F.O.P. Police Association/D.C.

Herndon Police

Naval Intelligence

Metro Transit Police

D.C. Corrections EAP

Philadelphia Police Department

Medical Director Police Services: Australia

Police Psychologists: Sweden

D.C. Homicide

National Organization of Black Women in Law Enforcement

National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

National Airlines Pilots Association

National Transportation Safety Board

Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C.

Fairfax Hospital Trauma Services/INVOA Medical Aircare

First Annual Fairfax Hospital Trauma Services and INOVA Medical Aircare Symposium, "Air Medical and Trauma Issues of the 1990's"

Virginia State Police

Virginia Department of Health: Office of Emergency Medical Services