

Curriculum Vitae

Tania López-Cepero, MA, LPC, NCC
Licensed Professional Counselor
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Education:

Masters of Arts in Counseling	(2010)	Northern Arizona University (CACREP Accredited) Phoenix, Arizona (North Valley Campus) Counseling Major GPA: 4.0 / 4.0
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology	(2003)	University of Tampa (UT) Tampa, Florida Psychology Major GPA: 3.5 / 4.0

Specialized Training & Credentials:

Adolescent Community Reinforcement Approach (ACRA) training

Motivational Interviewing (MI) training

Sand Tray Play Therapy Training Levels I, II, and III

Emotional Freedom Techniques (EFT) Level I training

Non-violent Crisis Intervention Training (CPI)

Licensure / Certification:

Licensed Professional Counselor	(2015)	Arizona Board of Behavioral Health Examiners 3443 North Central Avenue #1700 Phoenix, AZ 85012
Certified Professional Counselor	(2010)	National Board for Certified Counselors 3 Terrace Way Greensboro, NC 27403

Professional Experience:

- 2015-present **Arizona Child Psychology, PLLC**
10210 N. 32nd Street, Building C / Suite #213, Phoenix, AZ 85028
Licensed professional counselor specializing in child, adolescent, family issues.
- 2015--present **Jewish Family & Children's Service**, 6010 N 57th Drive Glendale, AZ 85301
Co-Location Clinician inside Department of Child Safety office. Act as Clinical Liaison between JFCS and the Department of Child Safety. Process referrals from Rapid Response teams. Perform appropriate intakes in order to get children the services needed within behavioral health. Assign clients to ongoing clinicians within site.
- 2010–2015 **Jewish Family & Children's Service**, 3001 N 33rd Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85017
Clinician. Provided therapy services to children, teens and families in office and in school-based and home based settings. Facilitated Child & Family Team meetings with other team members that were involved with the families. Completed intakes as needed. Referred families to other services within communities if necessary. Case management services as needed. Maintained caseload of 70 families.
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2007-2010 **Jewish Family & Children's Service**, 2120 N. Central Ave. Suite #250 Phoenix, AZ 85004
Domestic Violence Advocate. Provide case management services to survivors of domestic violence. Provided phone screenings, completed intakes, and developed individualized service plans. Provided domestic violence education and referred them to appropriate services in the community. Maintained caseload of 30-35 clients and completed required documentation. Assisted survivors with safety planning and court accompaniment. Translation provided as needed. Assisted in teaching a domestic violence education class in Fresh Start Women's Resource Center.
- 2005-2007 **John C Lincoln Health Network (Desert Mission Inc)**, 9229 N. 4th Street, Phoenix, AZ 85020
Community Resource Coordinator. Worked with clients that came to Desert Mission Food Bank. Assessed client's eligibility to case management services. Provided referrals to clients into programs within Desert Mission Inc. Assisted clients in applying to governmental benefits like AHCCCS and food stamps. Provided crisis interventions when needed. Approved extra food boxes to clients when needed while they worked on their self-sufficiency goals. Facilitated referrals to services and programs within community with the purpose of increasing client's self-sufficiency. Acted as liaison between Desert Mission Food Bank, case managers and clients. Went out to the community in order to research programs that could help families within Sunnyslope area. Created reports in order to track referrals made.
- 2003-2005 **Southwest Human Development**, 2850 N 24th Street Phoenix, AZ 85008
Family Advocate in Head Start program. Recruited families and assisted them throughout the application process in order to get their children in the Head Start program. Completed home visits during the required time period. Assisted families by empowering them to recognize their strengths and their weaknesses through implementation of family goals. Provided referrals to families for services in the community in order to help them reach their goals. Organized and facilitated parent trainings. Followed up with parents to ensure that children had received physical examinations and dental screenings. Completed children's vision and hearing screenings. Tracked volunteer hours completed by parents. Completed documentation within required timeframes. Case management services as needed.

Professional Affiliations:

American Counseling Association

Arizona Play Therapy Association

National Board of Certified Counselors (NBCC)

Honors:

2000 Psi Chi National Honorary in Psychology
(Lifetime initiate)

Professional Interests/Areas of Specialty:

- Child / Adolescent Counseling
- Depression/Anxiety
- Grief/Trauma Work
- Substance use / abuse
- Parent Coaching

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