



Consultant
Scott Ruthart, L.M.S.W.

Professional Experience

- Currently managing and providing consulting services for the southern office of Camp Walden, Inc., a summer arts, sports and nature experience for children ages 7-17. Also consulting for The Double Advantage, a professional services network that specializes in research and evaluation services for nonprofit and public organizations.
- Seven years of teaching experience in public schools.
- Supportive Housing Program Manager, Tarrant County Community Development (2001-2006):
 - Managed 22 different grants for homeless services under HUD's Supportive Housing Program.
 - Wrote and coordinated the Continuum of Care application for the Tarrant Area Continuum of Care, which includes the cities of Fort Worth and Arlington, the balance of Tarrant County, and Parker County.
 - Served as ex-officio member of the Tarrant County Homeless Coalition.
 - Coordinated, supervised the biennial Tarrant County homeless survey and produced the final document.
 - Managed the Tarrant County Community Development's Fair Housing Initiatives Program (FHIP) grant and supervised the fair housing activities for the division.
 - Managed Tarrant County's programs through HUD's Emergency Shelter Grant program.
 - Managed Tarrant County's programs through HUD's Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS program.
 - Wrote grant and subsequently served as Project Director for the Methamphetamine Treatment Program through the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). The grant was carried out through MHMR Tarrant County and Tarrant Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse.
 - Managed the Project Recovery and First Choice for a Second Chance grant through SAMHSA. Project Recovery was carried out through MHMRTC and First Choice was carried out through The Salvation Army.

Education

Master of Science in Social Work, University of Texas at Arlington, May, 2000
Master of Arts, English, Texas Christian University, August, 1990
Bachelor of Arts, English/Philosophy, University of Texas at Arlington, August, 1986

Professional Activities

- District 90 Advisory Committee, State Representative Lon Burnam
- National Association of Social Workers
- Mental Health Connection of Tarrant County
- Texas Homeless Network
- Tarrant County Homeless Coalition