

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATION

- B.S.                      Psychology and B.S. General Science  
University of Oregon, 1979  
Advisor: Anthony Biglan, Ph.D.
- M.S.                      Psychology  
The Pennsylvania State University, 1981  
Major Area: Clinical Psychology  
Thesis: Social Inadequacy and Depression  
Advisor and Chair: W. Edward Craighead, Ph.D.
- Ph.D.                      Psychology  
The Pennsylvania State University, 1983  
Major Area: Clinical Psychology  
Minor Area: Research Design and Statistics  
Minor Area: Teaching of Psychology  
Dissertation: Peer Validation and Idiographic Analysis  
of Social Skill Deficits  
Advisor and Chair: W. Edward Craighead, Ph.D.

### ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

Service Award, Hillsborough County Community Action Board, 2003  
Service Award for Website Development, Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, 1995.  
Graduate School Fellowship, PSU, 1982-1983, and 1980-1981  
National Institute of Mental Health Fellowship, 1979-1980  
Phi Beta Kappa, 1978  
Honor's Program, Department of Psychology, U. of O., 1976  
Carnation Company Scholarship, 1974-1978

### LICENSURE STATUS

## JOURNAL EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

Editorial Board Member, Clinical Psychology: Science and Practice, 2010-present

Associate Editor, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 2002-2004

Associate Editor, Behavior Therapy, 1995, 1996.

Editorial Board Member, Behavior Therapy, 1989-1998.

Editorial Board Member, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 1990, 1991.

Guest Reviewer, Behavior Modification, Behavior Therapy, Behavioral Assessment, Cognitive Therapy and Research, Clinical Psychology Review, Community Mental Health Journal, Journal of Abnormal Psychology, Journal of Behavioral Health Services & Research, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, Health Psychology, Psychological Reports.

## CURRENT POSITION

Professor (tenured), Department of Mental Health Law & Policy, Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida, 2/01 current. (Note: In February of 2001, the Department of Community Mental Health was reorganized as part of Mental Health Law & Policy.)

## PRIOR POSITIONS

Spring 2007, Fall 2008, Spring 2009, Fall 2009, Spring, 2010, Fall 2010.

MHS4931, Poverty and Behavioral Healthcare, Summer 2007.

MHS4408, Evidence-Based Practices, Spring 2007.

RCS6455, Practicum II, Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling, Fall, 2004.

HSC4933, Introduction to SAS for Public Health, College of Public Health, USF, Summer, 2003.

PHC 6050, Biostatistics I, Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, College of Public Health, USF, Spring, 2002

Seminar on Disability Determination, Florida Mental Health Institute, Predoctoral Psychology Internship Program, USF, 2001 to 2008.

Clinical Supervisor, Florida Mental Health Institute, Predoctoral Psychology Internship Program, USF, 9/85-1/94 and 8/2005 to 8/2009..

Psychopathology and Aging I, Department of Gerontology, USF, Fall, 1993; Fall, 1994.

Psychopathology and Aging II, Department of Gerontology, USF, Winter, 1994; Winter, 1995.

Business and Economic Statistics I, Department of Information Systems and Decision Sciences, USF, Summer, 1994.

Abnormal Psychology, Department of Psychology, USF, Fall, 1989.

Adjunct Faculty Instructor, Research Design and Statistics, Department of Psychology, Nova University, Fall, 1989; Spring, 1990; Summer, 1990; Fall, 1990; Spring, 1991; Summer, 1991; Spring, 1992; Summer, 1992; Fall, 1992; Winter, 1993; Fall, 1993; Winter, 1994; Spring, 1994; Fall, 1994; Spring, 1995; Fall, 1995.

Seminar on Depression, Florida Mental Health Institute, Predoctoral Psychology Internship Program, USF, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1995.

Seminar on Depression, Department of Psychiatry, USF, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994.

Seminar on Mental Status Exams, Florida Mental Health Institute, Predoctoral Psychology Internship Program, USF, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995.

2006, 2007. , 2005,

Instructor, upper-division undergraduate course in cognitive-behavioral theory and treatment approaches, PSU, 1982.

Teaching Assistant, upper division undergraduate course in statistics, with primary emphasis on analysis of variance, PSU, 1981.

#### UNIVERSITY/COMMUNITY COMMITTEE EXPERIENCE

Member, Department of Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling, Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2012-2013.

Member, Associate Dean for Research Search Committee, College of Behavioral and Community Sciences, 2012-2013.

Member, faculty search committee, Department of Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling, 2012-2013.

Co-Chairperson, faculty search committee, Department of Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling, 2011-2012.

Member, faculty search committee, Department of Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling, 2010-2011.

Member, faculty search committee, Department of Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling, 2009-2010.

Member, FMHI Research Associate Promotion Committee, 2011-2012

Member, BCS Instructor Promotion Committee, 2009-2010, 2010-2011

Member, FMHI Internship Training Committee, USF, 1986-1992, and 2005-current.

Member, USF Research Council, 1988-1991.

Department Representative, FMHI Quality Assurance Committee, USF, 1985-1990.

Member, Assistant Professor Search Committee, 1989-1990.

Member, HRS task force on statewide screening and functional assessment database, 1989.

Chair, Psychologist Search Committee, Dept. of Community Mental Health, FMHI, USF, 1989.

Member, Committee on relationships between FMHI and the USF Psychology Dept., Fall, 1989.

Member, Assistant Professor Search Committee, Department of Community Mental Health, FMHI, USF, 1988.

Member, FMHI OCO Fund Allocation Committee, USF, 1986-1987, 1987-1988.

Member, FMHI Ad Hoc Clinical Privileging Committee, USF, 1986-1987.

Member, FMHI Research Review Policy Development Committee, USF, 1986.

Chair, Assistant Professor Search Committee, Department of Community Mental Health, FMHI, USF, 1985-1986.

Member, FMHI Clinical Records Review Committee, USF, 1985-1986.

Member, FMHI Faculty Research and Creative Scholarship Award Committee, USF, 1985-1986.

Member, Chairperson Search Committee, Department of Community Mental Health, FMHI, USF, 1985-1986.

#### CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Independent Contractor Psychologist (Private Practice), Off5(n)-4(t)3(r)3()

Butler Hospital, 07/84 - 07/85. Clinical duties averaged 25 to 30 hours per week and included assessment consultation reports using personality, intelligence, and neuropsychological tests, outpatient group social skills training, inpatient individual psychotherapy, and outpatient individual psychotherapy. The remainder of this full-time appointment involved clinical research activities.

Private Practice, Clinical Psychologist (supervised), part-time, Blackstone Valley Psychological Institute, Woonsocket, RI, 12/84 - 06/85.

Psychology Intern, Brown University Clinical Psychology Internship Consortium, 07/83 - 06/84. The first four-month rotation was at Butler Hospital, a private adult psychiatric hospital. Duties included cognitive-behavioral and short-term dynamic individual psychotherapy with a wide variety of patients, and assessment consultation reports using personality, intelligence, and neuropsychological tests. The second rotation was at the Providence VA Hospital, and involved social skills training, family therapy, individual psychotherapy, and psychological assessment consultation with a predominantly schizophrenic inpatient population. The final rotation was at Bradley Hospital, a private facility that provided eclectic inpatient and outpatient psychotherapy for children and adolescents. Child personality and intelligence testing were also stressed. Consultation throughout the year with the Brown Student Center for Psychological Services was also part of the internship. Additional duties included: seminars, clinical research, patient progress reports, on-call patient admission evaluations, and long-term outpatient psychotherapy.

Therapist, Center for Counseling and Adult Psychological Services, PSU, 12/81 - 05/82. This graduate practicum experience provided short-term outpatient psychotherapy to the student population in conjunction with the Student Health Center.

Therapist, Psychological Clinic, PSU, 01/80 - 03/82. Approximately equal numbers of student and community clients were seen in individual therapy in this clinical practicum experience. Supervision included cognitive-behavioral, dynamic, client-centered, and eclectic approaches.

Therapist, Oregon Smoking Control Project, U. of O., 04/77 - 06/78. This project involved individual and group behavioral smoking treatment, including stimulus control, relaxation, response cost, and aversive procedures.

Summer Psychiatric Aide, Oregon State Hospital, Salem, OR, 06/76 - 09/76. This position involved



- Dow, M. G. (1993). Affective disorders. In A. S. Bellack & M. Hersen (Eds.), Handbook of behavior therapy in the psychiatric setting (pp. 251-268). New York: Plenum.
- Sacco, W. P., Dumont, C. P., & Dow, M. G. (1993). Attributional, perceptual, and affective responses to depressed and nondepressed marital partners. Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 61,1076-1082.
- Dow, M. G. (1994). Social skill and social inadequacy. In L. W. Craighead, W. E. Craighead, A. E. Kazdin, & M. J. Mahoney (Eds.), Cognitive-behavioral interventions (pp. 123-140). Boston: Allyn & Bacon.
- Dow, M. G. (1994). Behavior therapy: Clinical procedures or a clinical approach to psychological disorders? [Review of Contemporary behavior therapy (2nd ed.)]. Contemporary Psychology, 39, 629-630.
- Knox, M. D., Boaz, T. L., Friedrich, M. L., & Dow, M. G. (1994). HIV risk factors for persons with serious mental illness. Community Mental Health Journal, 30, 551-563.
- Dow, M. G., & Boaz, T. L. (1994). Assisting clients of community mental health centers to secure SSI benefits: A controlled evaluation. Community Mental Health Journal, 30, 429-440.
- Knox, M. D., Boaz, T. L., Friedrich, M. L., & Dow, M. G. (1995). HIV risk factors for persons with serious mental illness. [Abstract]. Capsules and Comments in Psychiatric Nursing, 2, 121-122.
- Knox, M. D., Boaz, T. L., Friedrich, M., & Dow, M. G. (1995). HIV risk factors for persons with serious mental illness. AIDS Patient Care, 9, 192-198. (Reprinted from Community Mental Health Journal, 1994, 30, 551-563.)
- Dow, M. G., Kearns, W., & Thornton, D. H. (1996). The Internet II: Future effects on cognitive behavioral practice. Cognitive and Behavioral Practice, 3, 137-157.
- Dow, M. G. (1998). Depression and HIV Disease (pp. 161-177). In M. Knox and C. Sparks (Ed.), HIV and Community Mental Healthcare. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins Press.
- Dow, M. G., Boaz, T. L., & Thornton, D. (2000). Risk adjustment of the Florida Mental Health Outcomes Data: Concepts, Methods, and Results. In K. M. Coughlin (Ed.) 2001 Behavioral Outcomes & Guidelines Sourcebook. New York: Faulkner and Gray, pp. 364-378. (Reprinted from Journal of Behavioral Health Services & Research, 2001.)
- Dow, M. G., & Rich, A. (2001). Social Competence (pp. 1555-1557). In W. E. Craighead & C. B. Nemeroff (Eds.), The Corsini Encyclopedia of Psychology and Behavioral Science (3



expanding the research base. Tampa, FL: University of South Florida.

Clark, C. F., Dow, M. G., & Knox, M. D. (2005). Treatment of Mental Health Issues. In C. Steinhart, J. Orrick, K. Simpson (Eds.), HIV/AIDS Primary Care Guide (2<sup>nd</sup> Edition). Gainesville, FL: University of Florida.

Bahr, R. H., Sillian, E. R., Berninger, V. W., & Dow, M. G. (2012). Linguistic pattern analysis of misspellings of typically developing writers in Grades 1-9. *Journal of Speech,*

Faraone, S. V., & Dow, M. G. (1984, November). A computer program for Markov chain analysis. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Philadelphia.

Miller, I. W., Norman, W. H., Dow, M. G., & Keitner, G. I. (1985, November). Cognitive behavioral treatment of depressed inpatients. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Houston, TX.

Ward, J. C., & Dow, M. G. (1986, August). Community support services for the chronically mentally ill: The day alternative to residential treatment project. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.

Dow, M. G., Ward, J. C., & Thomas, G. (1986, October). Comprehensive day treatment of chronic psychiatric clients: The Day Alternative to Residential Treatment (DART) project. Paper presented at the third annual Southeastern Conference on the Chronic Patient, Jacksonville, FL.

Dow, M. G. (1986, October).

Knox, M. D., & Dow, M. G. (1989, March). Impediments to serving HIV-infected clients. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Council of Community Mental Health Centers, New York.

Knox, M. D., & Dow, M. G. (1989, June). Staff discomfort in working with the HIV-spectrum patients. Paper presented at the International Conference on AIDS, Montreal.

Dow, M. G., & Ward, J. C. (1989, November). Reducing barriers to medication compliance. Invited presentation to the annual meeting of the Florida Partial Hospitalization

- Dow, M. G., & Williams, J. (1995, December). User friendly assessment of consumer satisfaction: Touch screen version of the BHRS scale. Paper presented at the 2nd Annual Florida Conference on Behavioral Healthcare Evaluation, Orlando.
- Dow, M. G., Ward, J. C., & Thornton, D. H. (1996, February). User friendly assessment of consumer satisfaction: Touch screen and scanning methods for the BHRS. Paper presented at the Sixth Annual Meeting of the National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors (NASMHPD), Washington, D. C.
- Ward, J. C., Constantine, R., Dow, M. G., & Harrell, T. (1996, February). Performance partnerships, performance indicators, and performance based budgeting. Paper presented at the Sixth Annual Meeting of the National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors (NASMHPD), Washington, D. C.
- Ward, J. C., & Dow, M. G. (1996, May). Functional assessment and consumer satisfaction. Paper presented to the Florida Ambulatory Behavioral Healthcare Association, Orlando.
- Dow, M. G., & Ward, J. C. (1996, June). Further development of the Behavioral Healthcare Rating of Satisfaction (BHRS) scale. Paper presented at the National Conference on Mental Health Statistics, Center for Mental Health Services/Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program, Washington, D. C.
- Ward, J. C., Dow, M. G., Harrell, T. W., & Constantine, R. (1996, August). Florida's progress toward increasing accountability for monitoring state-supported behavioral healthcare services. Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Association of Ambulatory Behavioral Healthcare, Minneapolis.
- Dow, M. G., Ruckert, D. L., & Ward, J. C. (1996, September). Development of a computerized version of the FARS. In D. Erdman (chair), Implementing and automating the FARS for Treatment Planning. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Florida Council for Community Mental Health, St. Petersburg.
- Dow, M. G., Ward, J. C., & Ruckert, D. R. (1996, November). software assessment suite featuring the BHRS and FARS. Paper presented at the Third Annual Florida Conference on Behavioral Healthcare Evaluation, Orlando.
- Ward, J. C., Dow, M. G., Saunders, T., Penner, K. F., & Halls, S. (1996, November). Implementing adult outcome measures for performance contracting and performance budgeting within Florida. Paper presented at the Third Annual Florida Conference on Behavioral Healthcare Evaluation, Orlando.
- Dow, M. G. (1996, November). User friendly assessment of consumer satisfaction and functional level  
Portland, ME.
- Dow, M. G., Ward, J. C., & Boaz (1997, February). and substance abuse programs: Issues, procedures, and results. Paper presented at the Seventh Annual Meeting of the National Association of State

- Dow, M. G. (1997, June). \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_. Paper presented at the annual meeting of  
the International Association of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Facilities, Vancouver, BC.
- Dow, M. G., Ward, J., Boaz, T. L. (1997, December). \_\_\_\_\_  
outcomes project: Year one results. Paper presented at the Fourth Annual Florida Conference on  
Behavioral Healthcare Evaluation, Orlando.
- Dow, M. G., Ward, J.C., & Boaz, T. L. (1998, September). Adult Recipient Outcomes Project: Year  
1 Results. In D.L. Shern (Chair), \_\_\_\_\_-paid Mental Health Plan. Joint  
Annual Conference of Florida Council for Community Mental Health and Florida Alcohol & Drug  
Abuse Association, Orlando.
- Dow, M. G., Ward, J.C., & Boaz, T. L. (1998, December). Florida adult outcomes project: Year 2  
results. Fifth Annual Florida Conference on Behavioral Health Care Evaluation, Clearwater  
Beach, FL.
- Dow, M. G., Boaz, T. L., & Ward, J.C. (1998, December). Adult recipient outcomes project: Year 2  
results. In D.L. Shern (Chair), \_\_\_\_\_-paid Mental Health Plan: Update and  
Summary of Integrated Findings. Fifth Annual Florida Conference on Behavioral Health Care  
Evaluation, Clearwater Beach, FL.
- Dow, M. G., & Thornton, D. L. (1999, June). The Florida outcome evaluation system for public  
mental health and substance abuse providers. Presentation at the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the  
Association for Health Services Research, Chicago.

- Dow, M. G., & Boaz, T. L. (2001, October). Case mix adjustment of mental health outcomes data: Concepts and methods. In T. Pape (Chair), Advanced Methods, Applications, and Implications--Policy, International Conference on Objective Measurement: Focus on Health Care, Chicago.
- Dow, M. G. (2001, October). Comparing mental health agencies on consumer satisfaction and functional change: Application of case-mix methods. In T. Pape (Chair), Advanced Methods, Applications, and Implications--Policy, International Conference on Objective Measurement: Focus on Health Care, Chicago.
- Dow, M.G., Boaz, T. L., & Ward, J.C. (2002, March). Case mix adjustment of Children's Functional Assessment Rating Scale (CFARS). Conference, A system of care for children's mental health: Expanding the research base. Tampa, FL.
- Dow, M.G. (2002, July). The role of psychologists in SSA disability programs. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Florida Psychological Association, St. Petersburg, FL.
- Dow, M.G. (2003, July). The role of psychologists in SSA disability programs. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Florida Psychological Association, Hutchinson Island, FL.
- Dow, M.G. (2004, May). Hillsborough County needs assessment project: Methods and results. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Florida Association for Community Action, West Palm Beach, FL.
- Dow, M. G. (2005, May). Social Security Disability Programs. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Florida Association for Community Action, Tampa, FL.
- Winarski, J., & Dow, M. (2008, November). Self-Assessment Planning Tool for Implementing Recovery Oriented Mental Health Services (SAPT), Florida Council for Community Mental Health, and the Florida Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association, Naples, FL.
- Winarski, J., & Dow, M.G. (2010, June). Self-Assessment/Planning Tool for Implementing Recovery-Oriented Mental Health Services (SAPT)



Conference on Behavioral Healthcare Evaluation, Conference Support Program of the USF Research Council, \$3,600.

Dow, M. G. (Principal Investigator), & Ward, J. C. (1995-1996). Program evaluation of mental health and substance abuse programs, Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, District 7, \$150,000.

Ward, J. C., & Dow, M. G. (Co-Principal Investigator) (1994-1995). Program evaluation of mental health and substance abuse programs, Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, District 7, \$150,000.

Dow, M. G. (Principal Investigator), & Ward, J. C. (1993-1994). Program evaluation of mental health and substance abuse programs, Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, District 7, \$143,350.

Knox, M. G., Friedrich, M., Boaz, T. L., & Dow, M. G. (Co-Principal Investigator) (1992-1993). Study of special HIV risk factors for the seriously mentally ill. National Institute of Mental Health, \$10,945.

Dow, M. G. (Principal Investigator), & Boaz, T. L. (1991-1992). Controlled evaluation of the role of linkage workers in facilitating SSI payment to the severely mentally ill. Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, \$13,525. (This is a subcontract for program evaluation on a \$110,000 Federal SSA grant that we assisted HRS in preparing.)

Dow, M. G. (Principal Investigator) (1991-1992). Detection of invalid responses on the MMPI-2 among the severely mentally ill. Research and Creative Scholarship Award Program, FMHI, USF, \$4,094.

Dow, M. G. (Principal Investigator) (1989-1990). Development of the Psychiatric Medication Noncompliance Inventory. USF President's Council Award program, \$1,000.

Dow, M. G. (Principal Investigator), & Knox, M. D. (1988-1990). Cognitive and neuropsychological assessment procedures. USF University Medical Services Administration, \$17,495.

Knox, M. D., & Dow, M. G. (1988). AIDS: Knowledge and attitudes among mental health and substance abuse staff. Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, \$29,056.

## CLINICAL INTERESTS

Disability Determination  
Cognitive-behavioral treatment of depression  
Marital therapy from a combined systems theory and cognitive-behavioral approach  
Psychosocial program development for severe psychopathology  
Psychological assessment

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

I am interested in applied clinical research, with a focus on both clinical issues and public policy for those most in need. Some current specific interests include: (1) SSA disability determination procedures; (2) program and outcome evaluation, (3) integration of poverty programs and mental health programs; (4) evidence-based practices; (5) psychosocial interventions for persons with severe mental illness; and (6) research methodology and statistics.