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<b>1995 Boston University School of Public Health</b>	<b>Master of Public Health</b>
<b>1994 Boston University School of Social Work</b>	<b>Master of Social Work</b>
<b>1990 Boston University School of Liberal Arts</b>	<b>Bachelor of Arts</b>

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**Northeastern University, Boston, MA** **Senior Lecturer**  
**Kennerson Faculty Scholar, 2024-2025**

Senior Lecturer in the Bouvé College of Health Sciences in the Department of Health Sciences. Teaches undergraduate and graduate level public health classes, serves on department and university committees, serves as Faculty Advisor for Minors in Public Health, mentors students, faculty advisor for student clubs and student-driven projects, invited speaker for student events, hires and supervises teaching assistants, serves as the subject matter expert for local substance use prevention coalition and its municipal health department, and Partnership for a Healthy Milton. Nominated for multiple teaching awards. **2009 to present (Senior Lecturer 2020 to present. Part-time Lecturer 2009- 2020)**

**Candidate for the Milton Board of Health, Milton, MA** **Election April 29, 2025**

**Northeastern, Suffolk and Tufts, Boston, MA** **Part-time/Adjunct Lecturer**  
Taught public health courses in the Bouvé College of Health Sciences at Northeastern University **(2009 to 2020)**. Co-led Northeastern University 'Dialogue of Civilizations' trip to South America **(2019)**. Taught 'Sociology of Health and Illness' at Suffolk University **(2018)**. Taught 'Health Behavior & Health Communications' at Tufts School of Medicine **(2010)**.

**Milton Coalition, Milton, MA** **Consultant, Board Member**  
(Formerly Milton Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition)  
**Board member:** Provides subject matter expertise and advises coalition **(2020 to present)**. **Consultant:** Provided public health consulting services for a community-based substance use prevention coalition. Assisted with strategic planning utilizing SAHMSA's Strategic Prevention Framework, chairs subcommittee, provided subject matter expertise, planned and promoted events and public health campaigns, conducted community organizing, developed and presented trainings, collaborated with cross-sector key stakeholders, wrote press releases, and related support as needed **(2014 to 2020)**.

**Partnership for a Healthy Milton, Milton, MA** **Board Member/Treasurer**  
Provides subject matter expertise and guidance for Milton non-profit **(2021-present)**

**MassTAPP Bay State Community Services/EDC, MA** **Technical Assistant**  
Provided technical assistance and support for community-based substance use prevention coalitions in selected Massachusetts municipalities. Assists MA BSAS grantees with strategic planning and health communications initiatives utilizing SAHMSA's Strategic Prevention Framework to address Opioid use and misuse and underage drinking. Plans events, facilitates meetings, develops and presents trainings. Collaborates with MassTAPP colleagues on statewide projects and planning. **(2013 to 2017)**

**Roxbury/JP Substance Use Coalition, Boston, MA** **Coalition Coordinator**  
Coordinated comprehensive community assessment, planning, implementation and evaluation project to prevent Opioid Overdose for a community-based substance use coalition. Coordinated coalition activities and capacity building. Authored grants and reports. Conducted trainings. Co-developed unique peer-led

prison-based overdose curriculum. Coordinated local, city and state collaborations. Convened community key stakeholders and oversaw implementation of strategic plan. **2008-2013**

**CommunityBuild, Worcester, MA**

**Public Health Consultant**

Conducted community needs assessment, program evaluation, strategic planning support and grant writing for a private, public health consulting group. Facilitated focus groups and analyzed data. Recruited, convened and facilitated community working groups. Wrote and edited grants, reports, meeting minutes and document preparation. Conducted data mining and literature searches. Provided all related support as needed. **2007 to 2009**

**Friends of the Shattuck Shelter, Jamaica Plain, MA**

**Program Director/Trainer**

Directed *Life Lines*, a statewide HIV Prevention & Training project for homeless clients and the shelter providers who serve them. Responsible for daily operations, program planning, curriculum development and staff supervision. Designed and delivered CEU accredited training curriculum for homeless service providers. Authored grant applications and presented at conferences. Oversaw statewide clearinghouse for mail-order distribution of risk reduction materials and literature. Led statewide capacity building initiative among and between providers of homeless and HIV services. Implemented special events such as regional and statewide conferences, video projects and world aids day programs. **1998 to 2006**

**Friends of the Shattuck Shelter, Jamaica Plain**

**Consultant/Grant Writer**

Co-authored funding proposals for *Life Lines* (HIV Prevention) and *Green Door* (HIV Counseling & Testing) as a grant writing consultant for a Massachusetts Department of Public Health 'Request for Proposal' (RFP). **1997**

**Boston Medical Center @ River Street Detox (Research Study) Clinical Social Worker (1997)**

[Linkage with Primary Medical Care in a Prospective Cohort of Adults with Addictions in Inpatient Detoxification: Room for Improvement - Saitz - 2004 - Health Services Research - Wiley Online Library](#)

**Friends of the Shattuck Shelter, Impact, Boston  
Planned Parenthood, Boston  
Pine Street Inn, Boston**

**Employment Counselor (1994-1995)  
Crisis and Referral Counselor (1990-1995)  
Emergency Shelter Counselor (1990-1992)**

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**Awards/Grants**

- **Awarded Kenerson Faculty Scholarship Award 2024-2025.** "In recognition of a Bouvé College of Health Sciences faculty member who has shown a commitment to improving the health of people in the urban community through interdisciplinary research and teaching activities."
- **Nominated Bouve Distinguished Educator Award (2023-2024)** pending
- **Nominated Faculty Advisor of the Year (2022-2023)** In recognition of mentorship and faculty advising for the Boston Health Initiative, a student club at Northeastern University
- **Office of the Provost Award 'Full-Time Faculty Professional Development Fund' (2023-2024)**
- **Nominated Bouve Distinguished Educator Award (2019-2020)**  
For both undergraduate and graduate teaching
- **Awarded funding Grants for photographic ethnography exhibit and panel**
  - Milton Cultural Council grant award (2020)
  - Friends of the Milton Public Library grant award (2020)
  - Celebrate Milton grant award (2018).

### **Community/Professional Service**

- **Board Member**
  - Partnership for a Healthy Milton, Milton, MA (Treasurer)
  - Milton Coalition (formerly Milton Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition), Milton, MA
- **Town Meeting Member**, Precinct 4, Milton, MA, (***elected position***) (2011-present)
- **Co-volunteer Coordinator**: Pine Tree Brook Neighborhood Association, Milton, MA

### **Photographer/Ethnographer – Public Exhibitions**

- **2021 Exhibit** “*The Milton Family Portrait Project*”. Milton Public Library  
([Home - The Milton Family Portrait Project - LibGuides at Milton Public Library](#))
- **2012 Exhibit** “*My Neighborhood 350 Years Later*” Milton Public Library  
([Changing Face of Milton - Art Exhibits at the Library - LibGuides at Milton Public Library](#))

### **Professional Memberships**

- American Public Health Association (APHA)
- National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
- National Board of Public Health Examiners. Awarded CPH designation ‘Certified in Public Health’

### **Language** Spanish proficiency