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OBJECTIVE

To become chairman of the board of the VI Taxi Commission. Based on my training and experience, I have firsthand knowledge of what it takes to be a taxi driver. I have also completed required classroom training in college when I was a driving school owner in Brooklyn, NY. With over 30 years with the VI Taxi Association, along with my education, I'm confident that I can bring some positive ideas to the table.

EXPERIENCE

1985 - 2009

Unit Leader

Department of Health, Division of Mental Health, Alcohol and Substance Abuse Services, ST. THOMAS, VI

Established and implemented therapeutic mental health and substance abuse programs. Provided therapeutic activities to meet patients needs. Supervised Mental Health Workers on I, II & III levels.

1980 - 1984

Mental Health Therapist

Kingsborough Psychiatric Center, BROOKLYN, NY

Assisted clients in achieving personal and social growth and maintenance. Gave guidance and direction by making daily assessment of client's progress. Provided counseling as necessary and assisted clients in becoming viable individuals in their community.

EDUCATION

02/1981

Masters of Arts in Criminology

John Jay College of Criminal Justice, NY

06/1977

Bachelor of Arts in Behavioral Science

Concentration in Psychology

John Jay College of Criminal Justice, NY

LEADERSHIP

Member of one of the governors' committees and various other job-related committees during the Governor Charles Turnbull Administration

Member of the Democratic Executive Committee

Voice Chairman of the Board with Work Able, a non-profit corporation

Current VI Taxi Association member and Taxi driver, including (2) years as chairman of the Disciplinary Committee