

KIMBERLEY JOHNSON

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EXPERIENCE

4/2012 – current **California Child Care Resource and Referral Network**

San Francisco, CA

Public Policy Director

- Guides the Network and its member agencies in budget and legislative analysis and in public policy education and advocacy efforts
- Staffs the Network's Public Policy Committee
- Serves as the Network's primary liaison with national and statewide organizations and agencies and policymakers
- Develops budget and legislative proposals, white papers, letters, editorials and other documents related to public policy issues

10/2009-4/2012 **City College of San Francisco**

San Francisco, CA

Program Manager, California Early Childhood Mentor Program

- Analyzed and formulated policy recommendations on local, state and national legislation relevant to Early Care and Education.
- Served as public spokesperson and community liaison for the program.
- Monitored existing contracts and grants. Sought out additional funding from appropriate grantors; write grant proposals.
- Lead and supervised administrative and programmatic staff.

11/2007-6/2010 **Parent Services Project**

San Rafael, CA

Director of Programs and Training

- Oversaw the implementation and evaluation of programs and services at local, regional and national levels.
- Developed and secured funding for new programs related to family support locally, statewide and nationally; including the development of processes for delivery of training, technical assistance, evaluation of programs and strategic planning.
- Established and maintained strong working relationships between organization and affiliated agencies, ensuring that individuals and programs have access to resources and information.
- Lead and supervised all program staff and served as a member of the administrative team responsible for the overall functions of the organization

10/1999-11/2007 **Children's Network of Solano County**

Fairfield, CA

Director of Child Care & Development Programs

- Proposed and implemented a multi-million workforce development initiative
- Provided staff support to the Local Child Care Planning Council, an Advisory Council to the County Board of Supervisors and Superintendent of Schools
- Coordinated and convened a variety of community members and public and private agencies to effectively plan for early childhood education system improvements
- Identified, gathered, and analyzed complex data to determine program outcomes to present to policy makers and other members of the community
- Lead and supervised all staff working on child care and development programs and initiatives

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

- Public Policy Member Child Care Aware of America
- Past Public Policy Committee Chair & Co-Chair Elect, California Child Care Coordinators' Association
- Past Board Member SUCCESS Inc. (Increasing Higher Education Opportunities for Underrepresented Youth)
- California Child Development Permit Eligible
- Proficient in Microsoft Office Products

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley

B.A., Social Welfare emphasis in Sociology - Minor in Education