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Curriculum Vita

University of Miami, School of Education and Human Development
Institute for Individual & Family Counseling
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Clinical Assistant Professor

EDUCATION

- Postdoctoral Fellowship** University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL.
September 2000– Project Coordinator, BellSouth foundation grant.
November 2002 “Effects of community violence on children’s
level of post-traumatic stress.”
- Doctor of Philosophy** Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
December 2000 Counseling Psychology, APA-accredited program
- Predoctoral Internship** Children’s Hospital/Judge Baker Children’s Center,
August 1999– Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA.
August 2000 APA-accredited program
- Master of Science** University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL.
August 1996 Mental Health Counseling
- Bachelor of Arts** University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL.
May 1994 Major: Psychology; Minor: Education

PROFESSIONAL LICENSE

Licensed Psychologist Florida License #PY6492

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Clinical Assistant Professor University of Miami, Department of Educational and
Psychological Studies Coral Gables, Florida
4/14–present

Lecturer 6/12–3/13	University of Miami, Department of Educational and Psychological Studies Coral Gables, Florida
Adjunct Faculty 2004–2012	Nova Southeastern University, Department of Psychology Davie, Florida
Adjunct Faculty 2001–2002	University of Miami, Department of Psychology Coral Gables, Florida
Faculty Fellow 1999–2000	Harvard University School of Medicine Children’s Hospital/Judge Baker Children’s Center Boston, Massachusetts
Teaching Assistant 1997–1999	Texas A&M University, Department of Education College Station, Texas

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Director 4/14–present	Institute for Individual & Family Counseling, University of Miami, School of Education and Human Development, Coral Gables, FL.
Interim Director 1/13–3/14	Institute for Individual & Family Counseling, University of Miami, School of Education and Human Development, Coral Gables, FL.
Assistant Director 6/12–12/12	Institute for Individual & Family Counseling, University of Miami, School of Education and Human Development, Coral Gables, FL.
Independent Practice 8/02 – present	Miami, FL.
Pediatric Psychologist 8/04–6/12	Joe DiMaggio Children’s Hospital, Hollywood, FL.
Manager, Interdisciplinary Services 2/02–7/04	Children’s Diagnostic & Treatment Center, Inc. North Broward Hospital District, Fort Lauderdale, FL.
Clinical Associate 9/00–7/02	Child Psychology Associates, Miami, FL.
School Consultant	St. Louis Covenant School, Pinecrest, FL.

9/00–6/02 Pre-doctoral Intern 9/99–8/00	Children’s Hospital/Judge Baker Children’s Center Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA.
Therapy Supervisor 1/99–6/99	Counseling and Assessment Clinic, Texas A&M University College Station, TX.
Group Therapist 9/88–5/99	Bryan and College Station Independent School District, TX.
School Consultant 5/97–8/99	Bryan and College Station Independent School District, TX.
Therapist 7/98–6/99	Counseling and Assessment Clinic, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
Consultant 9/97–5/98	Southwood Valley Elementary School, College Station, TX.
Family Therapist 9/97–12/99	Counseling and Assessment Clinic Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
Therapist 9/96–5/97	Counseling and Assessment Clinic, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
Group Therapist 9/96–5/97	Brazos County Community Service Probation Center, Bryan, TX.
Therapist 8/95–8/96	Institute for Family Living, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL.
Child Therapist 9/95–7/96	Sunset Elementary, Miami, FL.
Group Therapist 9/95–6/96	Highland Park Hospital, Miami, FL.
Co-Therapist 1/95–5/95	American Day Treatment Center, Miami, FL.

PUBLICATIONS

Perez-Lima, L. M., & Mikula, L. (2008). Shared eXperience: *Pediatric Peer Mentoring Program for Children and Adolescents with Cancer*. Joe DiMaggio Children’s Hospital, Hollywood, FL.

La Greca, A. M. Perez, L. M., & Glickman, A. R. (2002). *Keeping Children Safe: A Program to Help Children Cope with Community Violence*. University of Miami, Department of Psychology, Coral Gables, FL.

Lawson, D. M., Dawson, T. E., Kieffer, K. M., Perez, L. M., Burke, J., & Kier, F. J. (2001). An integrated feminist/cognitive-behavioral psychodynamic group treatment model for men who abuse their partners. *Psychology of Men and Masculinity*, 2, 86-99. doi:10.1037/1524-9220.2.2.86

Llorente A. M., Taussig, I. M., Satz, P., & Perez, L. M. (2000). Trends in American immigration: Effects on neuropsychological assessments with inferences to minority groups. In C. R. Reynolds, E. Fletcher-Janzen, & S. Strickland (Eds.), *Handbook of Cross Cultural Assessment* (pp. 345-360). New York, NY: Plenum Press.

PRESENTATIONS

Perez-Lima, L. M., Mikula, L. A., Celedon, X., & Brosbe, M. (April, 2011). *Quality of life reports in a pediatric oncology peer mentor program*. Paper presented at the National Conference in Pediatric Psychology, San Antonio, TX.

Perez-Lima, L. M., George, A., Marker, C., & Faust, J. (August, 2010). *A peer mentoring program for adolescent and young adult oncology patients*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.

Sampilo, M. L., La Greca, A. M., Perez, L. M., & Glickman, A. (2003, November). *Children's perception of neighborhood and school safety*. Paper presented at the annual Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Boston, MA.

La Greca, A. M., Glickman, A. R., & Perez, L. M. (2002, October). *Keeping children safe: helping children cope with reactions to community violence*. Paper presented at the annual Kansas Conference in Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology, Lawrence, KS.

Glickman, A. R., La Greca, A. M., & Perez, L.M. (2002, August). *Children's exposure to community violence: predicting externalizing behaviors*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

La Greca, A. M., Glickman, A. R., Perez, L. M., & Silverman, W. K. (2002, August). *Children exposed to community violence: risk and protective factors*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Sampilo, M. L., La Greca, A. M., Perez, L. M., & Glickman, A. (2002, August). *Children's perception of safety and their neighborhoods*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

- Villa, M., La Greca, A. M., Glickman, A. R., & Perez, L.M. (2002, August). *Parental monitoring and children's exposure to violence and sexuality on television*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Perez, L. M., Kuttler, A. F., & La Greca, A. M. (2001, August). *The Social Anxiety Scale for Adolescents – Parent Version: clinical cutoffs*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- La Greca, A. M., Kuttler, A. F., & Perez, L. M. (2001, August). *The Social Anxiety Scale for Adolescents – Parent Version: psychometric evaluation*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Perez, L. M. (2000, August). *Ethnicity as a moderator between parenting types and childhood aggression*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Kieffer, K. M., Powell, B. D., Perez, L. M., Shelton, M., Cuellar, R., Jr., & Reynolds, C.R. (1999, November). *ApoE genotype and smoking habits: Are they related to Alzheimer's Disease?* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Academy of Neuropsychology, San Antonio, TX.
- Perez, L. M. (1999, April). *The relationship between parenting practices and childhood aggression as moderated by racial/ethnic origin*. Paper presented at the biannual meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Albuquerque, NM.
- Kieffer, K. M., & Perez, L. M. (1999, April). *Effects of parent-child attachment on racial identity development in African-American children*. Paper presented at the biannual meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Albuquerque, NM.
- Perez, L. M. (1998, August). Battered women group therapy: complement to the M.E.N. program. In D. Lawson (Chair), *A cognitive-behavioral treatment program for men and women in violent relationships*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Perez, L. M. (1998, April). *A more complicated statistic than most people think: Pearson r*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Dawson, T. E., Kier, F. J., Kieffer, K. M., Lawson, D. M., & Perez, L. M. (1997, November). *Cognitive-behavioral group therapy with male batterers and partner perception: an evaluation*. Symposium presented at the annual meeting of the Texas Psychological Association, Austin, TX.
- Kieffer, K. M., & Perez, L. M. (1997, November). *The effects of therapist characteristics on initial impressions of counselor competence*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the

Texas Psychological Association, Austin, TX.

Perez, L. M., & Kieffer, K. M. (1997, November). *Differences between coping behavior in Anglo and Hispanic chronically ill children*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Texas Psychological Association, Austin, TX.

Kieffer, K. M., & Perez, L. M. (1997, April). *Client initial impressions based on non-verbal cues: a literature review*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, Fort Worth, TX.

Perez, L. M. (1997, February). *Coping strategies used by chronically ill children and their family*. Paper presented at the annual Education Research Exchange, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.

Perez, L. M. (1997, January). *Children coping with chronic illness: a literature review*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southwest Educational Research Association, Austin, TX. (ERIC Reproduction Service No. CG027726).

FUNDED GRANTS

Perez-Lima, L. M. (2011)

Shared eXperience: Pediatric peer mentoring program for children and adolescents with cancer. Total: \$12,287. Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Foundation.

Perez-Lima, L. M. (2010)

Shared eXperience: Pediatric peer mentoring program for children and adolescents with cancer. Total: \$11,823. Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Foundation.

Perez-Lima, L. M., & Mikula, L. (2008)

Shared eXperience: Pediatric peer mentoring program for children and adolescents with cancer. Total: \$14,400. Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Foundation & The Ulman Fund for Young Adults with Cancer.

Perez L. M. (2006)

Biofeedback training for children with chronic illness and pain. Total: \$10,000. Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Foundation.

Widmayer, S., & Perez, L. M. (March 2003 - September 2004)

Best Beginnings: A prevention program for children at risk for an attachment disorder. Total: \$350,000. Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Center, Children's Services Council of Broward County.

Widmayer, S., & Perez, L. M. (March 2003 - September 2004)

Nursing Intervention Program: Health education for medically ill children and adolescents. Total: \$250,000. Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Center, Children's Services Administration

Division of Broward County.

HONORS AND AWARDS

NIH Minority Fellow Grant Recipient, Texas A&M University, 1997 to 2000

Graduate Merit Fellowship, Texas A&M University, 1996 to 2000

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 1994 to 2000

Golden Key Honor Society, 1993 to 1996

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Member, American Psychological Association

Member, Association of Psychology Training Clinics

SERVICE

The Melissa Institute, Executive Board Member