

**REINETTE ARNOLD, MSW, LCSW, MAC**[reinette@empowered-consultants.com](mailto:reinette@empowered-consultants.com)

PO Box 42046 Atlanta, GA 30311

770-318-1897

**EDUCATION**

<b>SCHOOL</b>	<b>DEGREE</b>	<b>AREA OF CONCENTRATION</b>	<b>DATE</b>
University of Georgia	MSW	Individual and Family Therapy	2009
Georgia State University	BS	Psychology/Sociology Minor	2005

**PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE**

<b>TYPE OF LICENSURE</b>	<b>STATE/JURISDICTION</b>	<b>DATES</b>
Licensed Clinical Social Work CSW005414	Georgia	2015- Present
Licensed Clinical Social Work SW15206	Florida	2018 - Present
Master Addiction Counselor	National	2016-Present

**EMPLOYMENT**

<b>EMPLOYER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>DATES</b>
The Empowerment Agency	CEO and Principal Consultant	2015-Present
Behavioral Health Link, LLC	Community Collaborator	2013-Present
Messages of Empowerment, LLC	SBHI - Program Manager	2005-2009
Achor Center	Director of Transitional Housing	2008-2009
Partnership Against Domestic Violence	Community Outreach Advocate	2008
Partnership Against Domestic Violence	Graduate Intern-Foundation Practicum	2008- 2009
Marcus Center for Autism – Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Clinic	Graduate Intern-Concentration Practicum	2008
Hope Atlanta Programs of TAMA	Housing First Case Manager	2007-2008
Advantage Behavioral Health Systems	Lead Community Support Individual	2005-2007

**SUBJECT MATTER EXPERT - CAPACITY-BUILDING WORKSHOPS**

Suicide Prevention, Mindfulness and Self-Care, Domestic Violence, Cross Sector Collaborations, Program Development, Crisis Management, New Business Development

## REINETTE ARNOLD, MSW, LCSW, MAC

[reinette@empowered-consultants.com](mailto:reinette@empowered-consultants.com)

PO Box 42046 Atlanta, GA 30311

770-318-1897

### PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2017** Question, Persuade, and Refer (QPR), Pine Mountain, GA
- 2017** Attachment Based Therapy for Adolescents and Suicide Prevention, Atlanta, GA
- 2017** Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM)/Debriefing , Atlanta, GA
- 2017** Living Works: Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST), Burlington, CA.
- 2016** Suicide Prevention Resource Center: Assessing and Managing Suicide Risk (AMSR), Macon, GA

### PROGRAM EVALUATION TECHNICAL REPORTS

- Arnold R.** and Q. Gentry. 2012. *Project Ready, Set, Go!: Five (5) Year Final Program Evaluation Report*. Submitted to Youth Spark (formerly The Juvenile Justice Fund, Inc.).
- Arnold R.,** V. Underwood and Q. Gentry. 2012. *The RISE Intervention-Final Technical Report: 2011-12 AIDS-related Prevention and Intervention for Survivors of Domestic Violence*. Submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services: Office on Women's Health.
- Arnold R.,** V. Underwood and Q. Gentry. 2012. *The GEMS Program-Final Technical Report: 2011-12 HIV Prevention Programs for Girls at Greater Risk*. Submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services: Office on Women's Health.
- Gentry, Q. and **R. Arnold.** 2011. *Project Ready, Set, Go!: Year Four (4) Program Evaluation Report*. Submitted to the Juvenile Justice Fund, Inc.
- Gentry, Q. and **R. Arnold.** 2011. *Project CAMI: Cultural Advocacy and Mobilization Initiative: Summative Evaluation and Final Technical Report: August 2008 – May 2011*. Submitted to The Georgia Campaign for Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention.
- Gentry, Q. and **R. Arnold.** 2010. *Project Ready, Set, Go!: Year Three (3) Program Evaluation Report*. Submitted to the Juvenile Justice Fund, Inc.

### Books, Monographs, and Text Books

- Gentry, Q. and **R. Arnold.** 2018. Implementing Programs for Effectiveness. GEMS: The GEMS Initiative As A Case Study. Self-Published. 2018

### PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Peterson, J.J. and **Arnold, R.** September 27, 2018. Mindfulness and Black Mysticism: a response to minority stress. An oral presentation for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Black Mental Health Symposium. Charlotte, NC.
- Arnold, R.** September 25, 2018. The Ripple Effect: Crisis Management Among Colleges and Universities. An oral presentation prepared for the Department of Behavioral Health and Development Disabilities' 2018 Colleges and Universities Suicide Prevention Conference. Lodge & Spa at Callaway Gardens: Pineville, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** September 19, 2018. The Intersectionality Between Violence and Behavioral Health. An oral presentation prepared for the Forsyth County Domestic Violence Taskforce. Cummings, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** August 24, 2018. The Ripple Effect: Building Cross-Sector Collaborations in Suicide Prevention. An oral keynote presentation prepared for the National Minority Mental Health Symposium. Norcross, Georgia.

**REINETTE ARNOLD, MSW, LCSW, MAC**

[reinette@empowered-consultants.com](mailto:reinette@empowered-consultants.com)

PO Box 42046 Atlanta, GA 30311

770-318-1897

- Arnold, R.** and Gleason, M. August 15, 2018. How Do You Speak During A Crisis? An oral presentation prepared for the 2018 CIT International Conference. Kansas City, Missouri.
- Arnold, R.** July 10, 2018. The ethical implications of 1013's in Georgia. An oral presentation prepared for CEU Creations, continuing education event. Dunwoody, Georgia.
- Robinson, N. and **Arnold, R.** May 23, 2018. An oral presentation prepared for 31<sup>st</sup> LPCA of Georgia Annual Convention and Regional Conference. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention with Survivors. May 16, 2018. An oral presentation prepared for the Fulton County Domestic Violence Taskforce. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Gleason, M., **Arnold, R.** and Dixon, S. April 20, 2018. Comparing Apples to Oranges: Implementing Mobile Crisis Response Programs in Rural and Urban Communities. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Gleason, M. and **Arnold, R.** April 20, 2018. How Do You Speak During a Crisis? Our Language Can Make All of the Difference. An oral presentation for the 2018 NAMI Georgia Conference. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** April 23, 2018. Suicide Among The Saints! An oral presentation prepared for the American Baptist Churches of the South Annual Conference. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** April 21, 2018. Aftercare Matters: The Family's Role in Suicide Prevention. An oral presentation for the 2018 NAMI Georgia Conference. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Robinson, N. and **Arnold, R.** April 21, 2018. Affiliate Development: Integrating Cultural Competency Practices & Ethical Implications. An oral presentation for the 2018 NAMI Georgia Conference. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Woods, H., Eason, E. and **Arnold, R.** Georgia Crisis Response System. An oral presentation prepared for NADD 2017 34<sup>TH</sup> Annual Conference. Charlotte, North Carolina.
- Gleason, M. and **Arnold, R.** October 21, 2017. How Do You Speak During a Crisis. National Association of Social Workers Georgia Conference. Marietta, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** September 19, 2017. Protect, Serve and Intervene! 7TH Georgia Suicide Prevention Colleges and University Conference. Lodge & Spa at Calloway Gardens: Pineville, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** Gleason, M. and Fray, N. August 17, 2017. Stigma Free. Pain Free. An oral presentation prepared for the 2017 CIT International Conference. Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.
- Gleason, M. and **Arnold, R.** April 22, 2017. Let's Talk Language in Crisis Intervention. An oral presentation prepared for the 2017 National Alliance of Mental Illness (NAMI) Georgia Conference. Savannah, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** April 13, 2017. Assessing and Managing Suicide Risk. An 8-hour workshop prepared for Chris 180. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Gleason, M. and **Arnold, R.** October 6, 2016. Suicide Prevention through Crisis Intervention. An oral presentation prepared for the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Behavioral Health Symposium. Lake Lanier, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** and Hickmon, E. September 7, 2016. Connecting Survivors to Behavioral Health Services. An oral presentation prepared for the Prosecuting Council of Georgia's Sexual Assault Contractors. Morrow, Georgia.
- Arnold, R.** and Gleason, M. August 2, 2016. Crisis Services in Georgia. An oral presentation prepared for Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disability Office of Prevention Conference. Pine Mountain, Georgia.
- Gleason, M. and **Arnold, R.** 2016. Crisis Services in Georgia for School Professionals. An oral presentation prepared for Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities' System of Care Academy. Stone Mountain, GA.

**REINETTE ARNOLD, MSW, LCSW, MAC**

[reinette@empowered-consultants.com](mailto:reinette@empowered-consultants.com)

PO Box 42046 Atlanta, GA 30311

770-318-1897

**Arnold, R.** March 2016. Mental Health Summit. An oral presentation prepared for Life Church International. Duluth, Georgia.

**Arnold, R.** January 2016. Balancing Your Heart Work - Understanding Compassion Fatigue. An oral presentation prepared for DeKalb County Solicitor's Office. Decatur, Georgia.

Gentry, Q., **R. Arnold** and T. Evans. 2016. Before the Broken Bones and Knocked-out Teeth: How Key Stakeholders in Tobago Informed Prevention Programs and Policies addressing Gender-specific Risks for HIV and Intimate Partner Violence. *An Oral Presentation at the Women's Health in Global Perspective: School of Policy, Government and International Affairs/George Mason University. Washington, DC.*

**Arnold, R.** September 16, 2015. Georgia School Systems Suicide Prevention Training. An oral presentation prepared for Georgia statewide school teachers and personnel. Macon, GA.

**Arnold, R.** September 22-23, 2015. Georgia Perimeter College. Fourth Annual Suicide Prevention and Awareness Seminar. A panel presentation prepared for attendees at Georgia Perimeter College. Dunwoody & Clarkston, GA.

**Arnold, R.** May 18, 2015. National Alliance on Mental Illness on Mental Illness. Suicide Prevention Module. Oral presentation prepared for law enforcement officers and personnel. Jonesboro, GA.

**Arnold, R.** Kennedy, R. April 15, 2015. Georgia Crisis and Access Line (GCAL) and Mobile Crisis Response Services (MCRS). Oral presentation prepared for DeKalb County Child Advocacy Center (DCCAC). Decatur, GA.

**Arnold, R.** March 20, 2015. Community Mental Health. Roundtable discussion for the Georgia Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. Dunwoody, GA.

Vander Straten, S. **Arnold, R.** March 3, 2015. QPR Gatekeeper Training for Suicide Prevention. Oral presentation for Villa Rica School personnel. Carrollton, GA.

**Arnold, R.** February 18, 2015. National Alliance on Mental Illness on Mental Illness (NAMI). Suicide Prevention Module. Oral presentation prepared for law enforcement officers. Jonesboro, GA.

**Arnold, R.** December 8, 2014. National Alliance on Mental Illness on Mental Illness (NAMI). Suicide Prevention Module. Oral presentation prepared for law enforcement officers. Decatur, GA.

**Arnold, R.** Gentry, Q. April 29, 2014. GEMS Program Evaluation for Cohorts 1, 2, 3. Oral presentation prepared for the Office on Women's Health Final National Program Meeting. Washington, DC.

**Arnold, R.** Gillis, M. January 8, 2014. Mobile Crisis Response Services and DeKalb County Law Enforcement. Oral presentation to the DeKalb County Chief's Association members. Stone Mountain, GA.

**Arnold, R.** Gillis, M. February 25, 2014. January Mobile Crisis Response Services and Gwinnett County Law Enforcement. Oral presentation to the Gwinnett County Chief's Association members. Lawrenceville, GA.

**Gentry Q., E. Miller and R. Arnold.** 2014. GEMS Program Evaluation for Cohorts 1, 2, and 3. *An Oral Presentation at Office on Women's Health Annual Grantee Meeting. Washington, DC.*

**Gentry, Q., Evans, T., Arnold, R.** 2014. Beyond the Broken Bones and Knocked out Teeth: Listening Sessions as an Innovative Strategy towards assessing and addressing new Trends and Patterns in Adolescent Dating Violence. *An Oral Presentation at American Public Health Association Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.*

Gentry, G. **Arnold, R.** March 27, 2013. Tell them We are Rising! Practices in Integrating Solutions to Violence, HIV Risks, and Substance Abuse among Women and Girls. Oral presentation at the 2013 Caribbean Conference on Domestic Violence and Gender Based Violence. Tobago, VI.

**Arnold, R.** and Gentry, L. October 2, 2012. And Still We Rise: Best Practices of Integrating HIV and Domestic Violence Services. Oral presentation at the 2012 U.S. Conference on AIDS. Las Vegas, NV.

## REINETTE ARNOLD, MSW, LCSW, MAC

[reinette@empowered-consultants.com](mailto:reinette@empowered-consultants.com)

PO Box 42046 Atlanta, GA 30311

770-318-1897

Gentry, Q. Evans, T. **Arnold, R.** October 1, 2012. GEMS: Girls Empowered and Motivated to Succeed. A Case-Study in Addressing Social Determinants of Health. Oral presentation at the 2012 U.S. Conference on AIDS. Las Vegas, NV.

**Arnold, R.** October 25, 2012. *Utilizing Evaluation Data to Shape the Next Generation of Substance Abuse Aftercare Programs for Family Drug Court Graduates.* Round-table exploratory discussion at the 2012 American Evaluation Association Conference. Minneapolis, MN.

Q. Gentry and **R. Arnold.** 2012. Advancing Black Feminism in Program Evaluation: A Case Study in Instrumentation and Observations Aimed at Deconstructing the Ecological Complexities Among Parents in a Family Drug Court Program. *An oral presentation prepared for the 26th Annual Conference of the American Evaluation Association* Minneapolis, MN.

**Arnold, R.** and Q. Gentry. 2012. Utilizing Evaluation Data to Shape the Next Generation of Family Drug Court Graduates. *A Roundtable Presentation prepared for the 26th Annual Conference of the American Evaluation Association* Minneapolis, MN.

**Arnold, R.** Q. Gentry, and C. Crouch. October 12, 2011. Addressing the Social Determinants of Behavioral Change among Parents Participating in Family Drug Court. Poster presentation prepared for the American Public Health Association APHA 139th Annual Meeting and Exposition. Washington, DC

**Arnold, R.,** Q. Gentry and C. Crouch. 2011. Addressing the Social Determinants of Behavioral Change among Parents Participating in Family Drug Court. *A Poster Presentation prepared for the American Public Health Association 139th Annual Meeting and Exposition.* Washington, DC.

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

National Association of Social Workers  
American Public Health Association

National Black MBA Association – Atlanta Chapter

Crisis Intervention International  
National Alliance of Mental Illness – Georgia Chapter  
International Critical Incident Stress Foundation

## CIVIC AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

- |  |                            |                |
|--|----------------------------|----------------|
| • Serving Kids of Incarcerated Parents     | Board Chair                | 2017 - Present |
| • African Children's Fund                  | Board Member               | 2016           |
| • Red Cross Disaster Mental Health         | Clinician                  | 2015 - Present |
| • Georgia Prisoner Re-Entry Initiative     | Subcommittee Chair         | 2013 –         |
| • National Black MBA's Atlanta Chapter     | LOT Case Competition Coach | 2013 - 2015    |
| • United Way Volunteer Improvement Program | (VIP) Member Training      | 2012           |

## AWARDS AND HONORS

2011 Messages of Empowerment Employee of the Year