

**Dr. Miranda S. Howard**  
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**Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist/Mental Health Counselor**  
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**ACADEMIC DEGREES:**

**Ph.D.- Individual, Couples and Marriage and Family Counseling/Therapy-  
Barry University (CACREP)**  
**M.S.- Mental Health Counseling-Nova Southeastern University**  
**B.A.-Communications-East Stroudsburg University**

**PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS:**

**State of Florida Licensed MFT - MT 3314**  
**Licensed Associate Minister-New Birth Cathedral International**  
**SAMSHA Approved Grant Reviewer- 2015, 2016, 2017,2018**  
**Domestic Violence Counselor Certificate-ACTT (Advocate Center for Training  
and Treatment), Victim Services**

**MASTERS LEVEL-TEACHING AND RELATED EXPERIENCE (AT NOVA  
SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY-College of Psychology- Ft. Lauderdale FL)**

**Adjunct Faculty- Counseling Theories and Practice**  
**Adjunct Faculty- Couples and Families Counseling Strategies**  
**Adjunct Faculty- Intro to Counseling Techniques**  
**Adjunct Faculty- Case Conceptualization and Treatment Strategies**  
**Adjunct Faculty- Group Theory and Practice**  
**Adjunct Faculty- Advanced Treatment Strategies**

**MASTERS LEVEL-TEACHING AND RELATED EXPERIENCE (AT BARRY  
UNIVERSITY-Adrian Dominican School of Education-Counseling Department-  
Miami Shores, FL))**

**Faculty Supervisor-CSL-699-Clinical Internship Supervisor-BEC**  
**Adjunct Faculty-CSL-629- Multicultural and Social Issues in Counseling**  
**Adjunct Faculty-CSL 658-Group Counseling**  
**Doctoral Practicum/Internship Supervisor-Barry Family Enrichment Center**  
**Doctoral Level Counseling Intern-Memorial Regional Hospital-EAP  
Program/Barry CARE Center**

**CORPORATE EXPERIENCE BEYOND UNIVERSITY APPOINTMENTS- 2000-  
Present**

**Managing Member ISAT Counseling Services, LLC-2018**  
**Director of Family Services-Family Christian Assn. of America**  
**Director of Elderly Services Program-funded by United Way and Area Agency  
on Aging**  
**Director of Healthy Living, Nutrition and Education funded by United Way**

*Director of Domestic Violence Counseling Program for Victims and Daughters of Victims of Domestic Violence-funded by Alliance for Human Services and Women's Fund of Dade County*

*Grant Reviewer-SAMSHA and United Way of Miami-Dade County*

*Co-Host WLRN Television Series-"Silence Isn't Golden Anymore-Tell*

*Somebody-DV in the Faith Based Community-Cable TAP, Channel 36*

*DV and Substance Abuse Group Facilitator-Glass House*

*Senior Underwriter Professional Liability Group-CIGNA Corp.*

**COURSES TAUGHT AT Dr. E.V. Hill Bible College**

*Instructor- Understanding Family Relationships*

*Instructor- Christian Counseling*

*Instructor- Grief Counseling- Understanding Grief and Loss*

*Instructor- Developing Effective Negotiation and Communication Skills*

*Instructor- Public Speaking*

**NONREFEREED PUBLICATIONS**

*In Process- Relational Understandings in Women*

*FCAA Newsletter- "Domestic Violence and the Community"*

*Beta Upsilon-Chi Sigma Iota Newsletter-"Domestic Violence and Older Women"*

*Currently in process-Publication of portion of Dissertation-"Understanding the Inner Subjective Experiences of Older Battered Women"*

**MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

*American Counseling Association-2018*

*ACA-ASERVIC-2018*

*American Association of Marital and Family Therapy-2018*

*American Psychological Association- 2017-2018*

*American Association of Christian Counselors-Presidential Member-2017-2018*

*Beta Upsilon Chapter of Chi Sigma Iota-Counseling Academic and Professional Honor Society—2018-2019*

**OFFICES HELD IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

*President of DCAADV-2004*

*Secretary of DCAADV-2002-2003*

**PROFESSIONAL ELECTIONS/APPOINTMENTS**

*Ministerial Alliance NBBC- Associate Minister-2018*

*Director of NBBC Autism Ministry-2016*

*Counselor Facilitator-Bereavement Ministry-2016*

*President of DCAADV-2004*

*Secretary of DCAADV-2002-2003*

*ACTT Subject Matter Steering Committee Co-Chair-2003*

**PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS COMMITTEES**

*Steering Committee ACTT (Advocate Center for Training and Treatment)*

*Alliance for Human Services-Grant Information Committee*

*United Way/Alliance for Human Services-Shelter Oversight Proposal Review Committees*

*Women's Fund-Recipient Forum*

*Strategic Planning Committee-ACTT*

*Case Management Training and Assessment Committee-Alliance for Aging***HONORS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS-(As Director of Family Services-FCAA)**

- Grant-Community Program to Improve Minority Health-\$125,000-1 year*
- Grant-Elderly Nutrition and Health Program Grant-Area Agency for Aging-\$260,000.00-3 years*
- Grant-Collaborative Response to Crime Victims in Urban Areas-\$160,000-OVC/US Dept. of Justice-2 years*
- Grant-Elder Services-Center Based Care/Socialization, Nutrition...-AHS-\$100,000.00-2 years*
- Grant-Victims of Domestic Violence-Alliance for Human Services-\$50,000.00-3 years*
- Grant-Daughters of Victims of Domestic Violence-Women's Fund-\$32,500.00-2 years*

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- Mental Health Workshop Facilitator Christian Women's Conference-NBBC--Depression and Anxiety /Living in Fear-Oct. 2018*
- Guest Speaker-Autism Awareness- January 2016 and April 2016*
- Keynote Speaker-W.I.S.E Women Ministry Conference- March 2015*
- Ministerial Service-2004-Present*
- DCAADV Miami/Dade Branch-2001-2004*
- FCAA Seminar Facilitator- Domestic Violence and the Elder Community2003*
- FCAA Seminar Facilitator-Daughters of Victims of Domestic Violence2003*
- FCAA Seminar Facilitator-Domestic Violence and the Faith Based Community2001*
- ACTT Multi-disciplinary Sexual Assault Law Enforcement Training-2002*

**UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

- New Birth Ministry-Family, Couples, Women Ministry, Bereavement and Autism Ministry*
- Chi Sigma Iota-Beta Upsilon Chapter-Fundraising-2008-*
- Domestic Violence Awareness-Ongoing*

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

- Identifying Anxiety-Igniting Thoughts 2018*
- Ambiguous Loss- Concepts and Methods in Counseling CSI-2018*
- Tele-counseling- 2018*
- Shame and Vulnerability-2018*
- Neuro-feedback- An Overview of EEG Brain Mapping-CSI 2017*
- Incorporating Neuro-Feedback into Your Practice-CSI 2017*
- Increasing and Improving Multicultural Competence-CSI-2017*
- Helping Clients Negotiate Grief and Loss Beyond D.A.B.D.A.-CSI 2017*
- FL Laws and Rules; Domestic Violence; HIV/Aids Awareness-2017*
- SAMSHA Trauma Informed care Conference-2016*
- Legal and Ethical Considerations for Supervisors-CSI-2016*
- Courageous Conversations with Women of Color in Counselor Ed.-2016*
- Use of Trans-theoretical Model in Collaborating with Other Professions-2015*
- Suicide Prevention-Chi Sigma Iota-2015*

*Motivational Interviewing-Chi Sigma Iota- 2015*  
*CSI Seminar-The Experiences of Long-Term Gay Male Couples in Small Town and Rural Areas: Implications for Counselors, Counselor Educators, and Counseling Supervisors"- April 2015*  
*"From Divorce Talk to Solution Talk: Solution Focused Brief Therapy with the Most Trying of Couples Sessions".-September 2014*  
*Doctoral Research: Older Battered Women and DV-2010-2014*  
*Minister-In-Training Courses- 2010-2013*  
*Seminar-Making a Difference Wherever You Are Through Counselor Community Engagement-Webinar Series- October 2011*  
*Narrative Therapy Seminar-BFEC 2010*  
*Eating Disorders Seminar-BFEC 2010*  
*Eating Disorders Seminar-BFEC & Chi Sigma IOTA-2009*  
*Narrative Therapy Seminar-Nova University-2008*  
*Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault in Later Life-2003*  
*Domestic Violence Intervention- "State of the Art" Best Practices-2003*