

Vita

Michael F. Reagan

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Professional Experience

Senior Adjunct Faculty
Grand Valley State University

School of Community Leadership and Development, 2002 to present
Taught graduate level courses in Human Resources in Organization,
Public Policy Analysis, and Strategic Management and Planning

Adjunct Faculty

Western Michigan University 1981 to 2021

School of Social Work, 1981 to 2021

Taught graduate level classes in Social Change Theory and Community
Analysis, Social Welfare Policy, Social Work in Groups and Organizations in
addition to various courses in select social policy issues

Specialty Program in Alcohol and Drug Abuse 1984 to 2020

Taught graduate level courses: Physical Aspects of Drugs, Causes of Drug Use,
Neurochopharmacology of Substance Use Disorders, Recovery-Oriented
Systems of Care

Chief External Relations Officer

Cherry Health Services

2011 to Retirement in 2019

Cherry Street Health Services is the largest Federally Qualified Health Center in
Michigan with over 70,000 patients annually.

In October 2011, Proaction Behavioral Health and Touchstone Innovare merged into
Cherry Health to begin the development of an integrated care model for persons with
physical health as well as mental illness and substance use disorders.

President/CEO

Proaction Behavioral Health Alliance

1989 to 2011

Proaction was an umbrella organization leading Project Rehab, Life Guidance Services,
Employee Assistance Center, and Community Treatment Centers. Proaction was a
statewide nonprofit health care organization which for 34 years has provided a full range
of substance abuse and mental health prevention and treatment services throughout the
State of Michigan.

Vice President
Project Rehab
1987 to 1989

Director
Employee Assistance Center
1985 to 1989

The Employee Assistance Center was a business division of Project Rehab, which developed and provided employee assistance services to over 200 area businesses, and care management for 150,000 lives covered through regional managed care organizations.

Executive Director
Kent County Community Coordinated Child Care
1984- 85

Personnel and Community Relations Director
Kent Community Action Program (Kent CAP)
1976 to 1984

Education

BA, Philosophy
Athenaeum of Ohio, Cincinnati, Ohio
1965

Graduate School of Theology
St. John's Provincial Seminary, Plymouth, Michigan
1965 to 1969, Ordained Roman Catholic Ministry 1969

MA, Counseling Psychology
Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan
1977

Affiliations

Board Member NIATX Foundation
2015 to present

NIATX is a foundation supporting a learning collaborative within the University of Wisconsin-Madison's Center for Health Enhancement Systems Studies (CHESS), providing research, promising practices and innovative tools that encourage and support the use of the NIATX Model of process improvement for substance use disorder and mental health organizations.

Board Member, Safe and Just Michigan
1997 to 2020

Safe and Just Michigan (SJM) is an advocacy organization which works to reduce the harm caused by both crime and incarceration. SJM advances evidence-based reforms that improve public safety and eliminate unnecessary corrections spending. SJM goals

include an increase public investment in services proven to reduce crime and violence, including trauma-informed services for crime survivors, safely reducing the number of people incarcerated in Michigan, collaborating with a wide range of organizations to help build a broad-based, bipartisan movement for a safe and just Michigan. SJM supports the work of leaders representing those most harmed and least served by the criminal justice system.

Past Board Chair
Mental Health Association of Michigan
2005 to 2017

State Association of Addiction Services
Michigan Representative
Addictions Committee
2013 to 2016

Board Member
Healthnet of West Michigan
2013 to 2018

Member
Police Chief's Advisory Committee
Grand Rapids Police Department
2004 to 2018

Lifetime Achievement Award
Michigan Primary Care Association
2015