



DANYELL JACKSON

CLINICAL THERAPIST

Danyell is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker who received her Bachelors of Psychology Degree from Arcadia University and her Master's in Social Work from UCONN. Danyell comes to us with years of experience working with youth and families. Danyell's experience allows for versatility in her work. She has worked with youth from many different ethnic/racial backgrounds and communities across the state of Connecticut. Danyell's work experience revolves around helping individuals and families with making the connections necessary to navigate through difficult challenges, life un-expectancies, relative to trauma, grief and loss. Danyell prides herself on facilitating a strength based and relational approach to her collaboration with youth and families. Danyell has a broad spectrum of skills including: Individual and family Crisis & Therapeutic, Intervention, Intakes, Treatment and Discharge

Planning, Group facilitation, Assessments, Group facilitation assessment, Outreach,

Community Collaboration and Advocacy **Danyell's work experience also includes:**

Program Director/Clinical Coordinator of the Meriden Family Support Center-Family with Service Needs.

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Trainings: Cultural Diversity, Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavior Therapy, Cognitive Behavior Therapy, TARGET(Trauma Adaptive Recovery),Mental Health Disorders, Family Mediation and Motivational Interviewing.