

Curriculum Vitae
Linda Aline Hawkins, PhD, MSEd, LPC

Education & Licensure

Licensed Professional Counselor, Pennsylvania – PA #006287 - March, 2012
 Ph.D., Human Development & Human Sexuality, Clinical Counseling Focus – Widener University, Chester, PA, October, 2009
 Linda Lehnert Memorial Award – Excellence in Academics & Research (4.0 GPA)
 Distinguished Dissertation Nomination – Gender Identity Development among Gender Variant Adolescents: A Qualitative Analysis
 M.S.Ed., Psychological Services – University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, August, 1998
 B.S., Speech and Hearing Sciences – University of Washington, Seattle, WA, June, 1993

Current Employment

Co-Director: Gender & Sexuality Development Clinic, The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, January, 2014 to present. Duties: Assess children and youth to identify areas of concern regarding gender identity and sexual identity development, collaborate with physicians to support any medical interventions, provide resources for patient and families, coordinate all functions of the clinic practice from scheduling to billing, grant writing, and research development. Supervisor: Nadia Dowshen, MD, Co-Director of clinic.

Family Services Specialist: Family Relations and Social Work Department, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, January, 2014 to present. Duties: Refine and expand the competencies for supporting Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and/or Transgender patients and families throughout the CHOP Network of care. Provide consultation, training and advisement to assure highest level of competent care. Supervisor: Leanne Cimato, RN, Program Manager.

Adjunct Associate Professor: Widener University Center for Human Sexuality Studies, Chester, PA, Summer, 2008 to present. Duties: Design, instruct and evaluate courses for MSW, Med, PsyD, and PhD students. Supervisor: Justin Sitron, PhD, Program Director.

Adjunct Professor: Arcadia University Masters in Psychology Program, Glenside, PA, Fall, 2013 to present. Duties: Design, instruct and evaluate courses for Masters level students. Supervisor:

Currently teaching:

- *HSED 645 – Sexual Minorities*
- *HSED 624 - Education and Training Methods for the Clinical Sexologist*
- *HSED 695 & 696 - Practicum Supervision (2 semesters)*
- *PY 622 – Trauma, Advocacy & Social Justice*
- *CFTP 511 – Introduction to Sex Therapy: Concepts in Human Sexuality*

Past courses taught:

- *HSED 588(elective) – Clinical Implications of HIV*

- *HSED 588(elective) - Sexually Transmitted Infections & HIV/AIDS*
- *HSED 593 - Behavioral Foundations of Human Sexuality*
- *HSED 645 - Sexual Minorities*
- *ED652 - Group Process and Dynamics*

Private Practice: Hawkins LifeWorks LLC, Philadelphia, PA, September, 2012 to present.

Duties: Provide counseling, supervision, consultation and training. EIN #46-1045382.

Consulting Supervisors: Ralph Chartier, MS and Steven Simms, PhD.

Additional Teaching Experience

Adjunct Faculty: Arcadia University, Graduate Program in Counseling Psychology, Glenside, PA, Fall, 2009 & Spring, 2010 . Duties: Design, instruction and evaluation of courses.

Supervisor: Eleonora Bartoli, PhD, Director of Graduate Programs in Counseling Psychology.

- *PY621 - Advanced Child and Adolescent Psychology*
- *PT622 - Trauma, Advocacy & Social Justice in Counseling.*

Selected Lectures

June, 2014	Multidisciplinary Best Practice: Medical, Mental Health & Legal Perspectives 13 th Annual Trans Health Conference, Philadelphia, PA
June, 2014	Supporting Non-Binary Children & Youth: A partnership between mental health and medical providers 13 th Annual Trans Health Conference, Philadelphia, PA
February, 2014	Supporting LGBT Families in the NIICU NIICU Medical Professional Day of Learning The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
June, 2013	Contemporary Counseling with Transgender Children, Youth & Families 12 th Annual Philadelphia Trans-Health Conference, Philadelphia, PA
April, 2013	Supporting Youth & Young Adults who are Living with HIV Marriage & Family Therapy Program Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA
March, 2013	LGBT Child & Youth Update: Coming out, therapy needs & family support Marriage & Family Therapy Program Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA
November, 2012	Creating the Ideal Patient Experience: Serving our Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and/or Transgender Patients & Families Pride at CHOP Staff Training Seminar Series The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

- November, 2012 The Internet as a Factor in Gender Identity Development for Transgender and Gender Variant Adolescents
Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality
Annual National Conference, Tampa, Florida
- September, 2012 LGBT Youth: An Update for Psychologists
Psychology Seminar
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
- September, 2012 Building on Classroom Inclusion: Adding a Layer on Gender School-wide Training
Greene Street Friends School, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- July, 2012 Adolescent Decision Making: Sex, Health and Becoming a Parent
Cobbs Creek Primary Care Practice
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
- April, 2012 Sex, Gender and Sexuality: Supporting Children & Families
Early Head Start – Kirkbride Center
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- April, 2012 HIV & Sex Therapy
Advanced Sex Therapy
Thomas Jefferson University, Marriage & Family Therapy Program
- October, 2011 HIV among Sexual & Gender Minority Youth
University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing
- September, 2011 Factors Contributing to Identity Development of Contemporary Transgender Adolescents: Result of a qualitative analysis
World Professional Association for Transgender Health – Regional Conference
Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia
- September, 2011 Perspectives on LGBT Youth: Becoming a Competent Provider
Diversity Grand Rounds
Penn Hershey Medical Center, Hershey, Pennsylvania
- April, 2011 Supporting LGBT Individuals and Families
Montgomery County Department of Behavioral Health Foundation Series
Norristown, Pennsylvania
- February, 2011 Appreciating Adolescence: Sexual Minority Issues & Providing Competent Mental Health Care
Psychiatry Grand Rounds
Jefferson Hospital

- November, 2009 Adolescent Issues: Sex, Drugs & Rock ‘n Roll – Why they do the things they do?
Annual School Nurse Conference – Philadelphia Public School District
The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia
- April, 2009 Training Psychologists in Clinical Work with Triply Stigmatized Youth:
Ethnic minority, sexual orientation and HIV-positive
Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Center
Annual Conference, Portland, Oregon
- April, 2008 Creating Competent Care for All Youth: Addressing the needs to sexual
and gender minority youth who experience sexual assault
Sexual Assault Response Team Training
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
- March, 2008 Supporting the Survivor: When a Parent Commits Suicide
Psychiatry Special Topics
School of Medicine
University of Pennsylvania
- November, 2007 Supporting Sexual Minority Youth in Mental Health Settings
Graduate Studies in Clinical and Counseling Psychology
The University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware
- November, 2006 Challenging Cases: Trauma and Adolescent Women
Special Immunology Clinic Training Rounds
St. Christopher’s Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Additional Clinical Experience

Lead Mental Health Counselor: Adolescent HIV Initiative, Adolescent Medicine, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, February, 2004 to December, 2013. Duties: Providing one on one, couples, family, and group counseling to youth diagnosed with HIV. Train and supervise intern, extern and practicum students in clinical counseling. Build partnerships with community-based counseling and psychiatry services to provide comprehensive seamless care to patients. Lead and assist in grant writing to fund psychosocial support team members (social work, nursing and wellness counselor) with successful awards from the AIDS Activities Coordinating Office (AACO), NIH, NIMH, and DHHS. Supervisor: Tracy DiFonzo, LCSW, Program Manager and Benoit Dube, MD, Psychiatrist.

Adolescent Counselor: The Attic Youth Center, Philadelphia, PA, February, 1999 to December, 2006. Duties: Providing one on one, couples, and group counseling to gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, and questioning youth. Supervisor: Cornelius Furgesson, PhD, Licensed Psychologist

Adolescent Counselor: The Open Door, Philadelphia Community Health Alternatives, Philadelphia, PA, March, 1999 to March, 2001. Duties: Providing one on one, couples, and group counseling to gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, and questioning youth. Supervisor: Phillip Rutter, PhD, Program Director.

Child Clinical Therapist Intern: Philadelphia Child Guidance Center – Department of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry at the Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, September, 1997 to May, 1998. Duties: Conducted individual and group counseling with behaviorally challenged children and their families. Collaborated with multidisciplinary team to devise and implement treatment plans. Supervisor: Dr. Brenda Pemberton, Director.

Additional Program Development & Management Experience

Director of Counseling Services: The Attic Youth Center, Philadelphia, PA, May, 2004 to September, 2011. Accomplishments: Expanded program from 2 therapists to 7 therapists with psychiatry partnership and insurance funding. Supervised therapists (MSW, MEd, PsyD and PhD level clinicians) to provide complete counseling and psychosocial services to sexual and gender minority youth (ages 14-24 years old). Built collaboration with Community Behavioral Health (CBH) to ensure funding for services. Developed annual student training program. Clinical team awarded the Association of Gay & Lesbian Psychiatrists Honor of Mental Health for Youth in 2011. Supervisors: Carrie Jacobs, PhD, Executive Director and Cornelius Furgesson, PhD, Licensed Psychologist.

Program Manager, HIV Counseling and Testing: Adolescent Medicine, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, October, 2004 to March, 2008. Accomplishments: Organized and coordinated all adolescent sexual health and HIV counseling within the Hospital network. Expanded program from 2 testing sites to 9 sites including multiple community events throughout Philadelphia. Developed testing protocols that met and exceeded best practice for testing with youth and young adults. Led strategic grant writing to fund existing and expanded programming, securing annual funding for 4 full time health educators/testers and partial supervision/management salaries. Supervisor: Christine Ambrose, LSW, Program Manager.

Program Coordinator: The Injury Free Coalition for Kids of Philadelphia, The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, February, 1999 to February, 2004. Accomplishments: Developed a community based coalition of medical, education, public health, government, and faith based leaders to address the crisis of unintentional injury to children in West and Southwest Philadelphia. Led research and interventions to assess needs, build partnerships and strategize solutions with and for the community. Provided training and guidance to MD, MPH, SW, MEd, and PhD students interested in community based wellness and public health promotion. Led strategic grant writing to secure initial and sustainable funding for core coalition staff and all projects through sources including: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, DHHS, Ronald McDonald House Philadelphia, Philadelphia Foundation, PEW Charitable Trust, and multiple local funding groups. Successfully funded a \$300,000 playground through grassroots, faith-based and competitive matching funds. Supervisors: Flaura Winston, MD, PhD, Center for Pediatric Injury Prevention, and Marla Vanore, MEd, Trauma Program Manager.

Additional Research Experience

Study Coordinator & Behavioral Study Interventionist: Adolescent Trials Network (ATN), The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, January, 2008 to December, 2013. Duties: Implement NIH funded research protocols as designed and designated through the ATN. As coordinator, assure all subject selection, protocol procedure, documentation, data entry, and quality assurance meets and exceeds study requirements. As interventionist, assure all aspects of intervention procedures meet the dynamic needs of the subjects and the study protocol. Supervisor: Mary Tanney, RN, MPH, Research Nurse.

2010 – 2013: Study Interventionist & Coordinator for *Treatment for Depression Among HIV-Infected Youth – (ATN 080)*

2008 – 2013: Study Coordinator for *Neurocognitive Assessment in Youth Initiating HAART, A Multi-Center Study of the Adolescent Medicine Trails Network for HIV/AIDS Interventions (ATN 071)*

2009 – 2012: Study Coordinator & Supervisor for *Mindfulness Approaches to Increasing Wellness Among Youth Living with HIV – Partnership with The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine*

2008 – 2010: Study Interventionist & Coordinator for *Integrated Treatment of Alcohol and/or Marijuana Abuse for HIV-Infected Youth – Focus Groups, Phase I & Phase II (ATN 069)*

2008 – 2009: Co-Investigator for *Sexual Health Risk Among Adolescent and Young Adult African Americans Living with HIV who have Sex with Men – Adolescent Initiative Study, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia*

2005 - 2006: Primary Investigator for *Internal Validation of OraQuick Advance Rapid HIV 1-2 Antibody Test Kit on Oral Fluids Compared to Standard ELISA Serum Screening – Point of Care Testing, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia*

2004 – 2005: Co-Investigator for *Post-Traumatic Stress Reactions in HIV-positive Youth: An exploratory study to identify life stressors and impact of diagnosis - Adolescent Initiative Study, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia*

Professional Organizations & Appointments

2012 – Present	American Counseling Association – Member
2012 – Present	Pennsylvania Counseling Association - Member
2011 – Present	Sexuality Information and Education Council of the United States – Board Member
2010 – Present	Academic Pediatrics – Reviewer
2010 – Present	Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality – Member & Reviewer
2008 – 2010	Equality Advocates (now Equality Pennsylvania) – Board Member
2005 – Present	World Professional Association for Transgender Health (formerly HBGDA) - member
2005 – Present	Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality – Member

- 2005 – Present American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors and Therapists – Member
- 1999 – 2001 Greater Philadelphia Association for Suicide Prevention – Board Member

Publications

- In Press Simms, S., & **Hawkins, L.A.**, *Families with Chronic Medical Issues*, in Browning, S (Ed.), *Family Therapy in Practice*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.
- In Press McClain, Z., **Hawkins, L.A.**, & Yehai, B. Creating Welcoming Spaces for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender (LGBT) Patients: An Evaluation of the Healthcare Environment. *Journal of Homosexuality*.
- 2014 **Hawkins, L.A.**, & Ginsburg, K.R., *Core Principles in Communicating with Adolescents*, in Ginsburg KR and Kinsman SB. *Reaching Teens: Wisdom from Adolescent Medicine*. Elks Grove Village IL; American Academy of Pediatrics; (A Textbook and Video Product)
- 2014 Dowshen, N., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Arrington-Saunders, R., Reirden, D.H., & Garofalo, R, *Sexual and Gender Minority Youth*, in Ginsburg KR and Kinsman SB. *Reaching Teens: Wisdom from Adolescent Medicine*. Elks Grove Village IL; American Academy of Pediatrics; (A Textbook and Video Product)
- 2014 Dowshen, N., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Arrington-Saunders, R., Reirden, D.H., & Garofalo, R, *HIV-Infected Youth*, in Ginsburg KR and Kinsman SB. *Reaching Teens: Wisdom from Adolescent Medicine*. Elks Grove Village IL; American Academy of Pediatrics; (A Textbook and Video Product)
- 2014 Radcliffe, J., **Hawkins, L.A.**, & Buchanan, C. Pediatric HIV, book chapter in *Clinical Practice of Pediatric Psychology: Cases and service delivery*. Guilford Press.
- April, 2014 Kennard, B., Brown, L., T., **Hawkins, L.**, Risi, A., Radcliffe, J., Emslie, G., Mayes, T., King, J., Foxwell, A., Buyukdura, J., Bethel, J., Naar-King, S., Safran, S., Xu, J., Lee, S., Garvie, P., London, C., Tanney, M., Thornton, S., and the Adolescent Trials Network for HIV/AIDS Interventions. Development of Health and Wellness CBT for Individuals with Depression and HIV: Feasibility and Acceptability. *Journal of Cognitive & Behavioral Practice*, pp 237-246.
- August, 2010 Radcliffe, J., Doty, N., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Smith, C. Beidas, R., and Rudy, BJ. Stigma and Sexual Health Risk in HIV-Positive African American Young Men who have Sex with Men. *AIDS Patient Care and STDs*, 24(8).

- May, 2010 Radcliffe, J., Beidas, R., **Hawkins, L.A.**, and Doty, N. Trauma and Sexual Risk Among Sexual Minority African-American HIV+ Young Adults. *Traumatology*. May 7, 2010 as doi:10.1177/1534765610365911
- May, 2010 **Hawkins, L.A.** Gender Identity Development among Transgender Youth: A qualitative analysis of contributing factors. *Dissertation Abstracts International*.
- June, 2009 Valenzuela, J., Buchanan, C., Radcliffe, J., Ambrose, C., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Tanney, M. and Rudy, BJ. Transition to Adult Services Among Behaviorally Infected Adolescents with HIV – A Qualitative Study. *Journal of Pediatric Psychology*, Advanced Access published June 19, 2009
- June, 2008 Mollen, CJ, Lavelle, J., **Hawkins, LA**, Ambrose, C. and Rudy, BJ. Description of a Novel Pediatric Emergency Department-Based HIV Screening Program for Adolescents. *AIDS Patient Care and STDs*, 22(6), 505-512.
- July, 2007 Radcliffe, J, Fleisher, C.L., **Hawkins, LA**, Tanney, M, Kassam-Adams, N, Ambrose, C, and Rudy, BJ. Posttraumatic Stress and Trauma History in Adolescents and Young Adults with HIV. *AIDS Patient Care and STDs*, 21(7), 501-508.
- June, 2004 JC Posner, **LA Hawkins**, F Garcia-Espana, DR Durbin
A randomized controlled trial of a home safety intervention based in an emergency department setting. *Pediatrics*, 113(6), 1603-1608.
- September, 2004 Nance, ML, **Hawkins, LA**, Branas, CC, Vivarelli-O’Neill, C, and Winston, FK. Optimal driving conditions are the most common injury conditions for child pedestrians. *Pediatric Emergency Care*, 20(9), 569-573.
- December, 2001 Kodman-Jones, C., **Hawkins, L.**, Schulman, S.L. “Behavioral characteristics of children with daytime wetting,” *Journal of Urology*, 166(6);2392-2395.
- Selected Posters**
- November, 2009 Beida, R.S., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Doty, N., Smith, C.H., & Radcliffe, J. Experienced Trauma Among Sexual Minority African-American HIV Positive Youth. 25th Silver Anniversary Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies.
- August, 2009 Radcliffe, J., Doty, N., **Hawkins, L.A.**, & Rudy, B. Sexual Practices and Health Risk Among HIV+ Adolescent and Young African American men

who Have Sex with Men. National HIV Prevention Conference, Atlanta, Georgia.

- May, 2009 Doty, N., Radcliffe, J., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Smith, C.H., Beidas, R., & Rudy, B. Dual Stigma Among African American Sexual Minorities Living with HIV. LEND Presentation at The Childrens Hospital of Philadelphia.
- May, 2009 Beida, R.S., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Doty, N., Smith, C.H., & Radcliffe, J. Experienced Trauma Among Sexual Minority African-American HIV Positive Youth. LEND Presentation at The Childrens Hospital of Philadelphia.
- April, 2009 Smith, C.H., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Radcliffe J., & Rudy , B.J. Experienced Stigma & Challenged Myths: Perspectives of African-American Adolescent Males Living with HIV Who Have Sex With Men. Society for Research in Child Development.
- April, 2008 Valenzuela, J.M., Buchanan, C.L., Radcliffe, J., Ambrose, C., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Tanney, M., Rudy, B.J. Qualitative Study of Transition to Adult HIV Services. National Conference in Child Health Psychology
- November, 2007 Radcliffe, J., Landau Fleisher, C., Kassam-Adams, N., **Hawkins, L.A.**, & Rudy, B.J. (2007). Is Participation in Trauma Research Experienced as Traumatic by Adolescents and Young Adults with HIV? Society for Traumatic Stress.
- March,, 2006 Stewart, A.J., Radcliffe, J., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Tanney, M., Landau Fleisher, C., Kassam-Adams, N., Ambrose, C., & Rudy, B.J. Posttraumatic Stress Reactions and Coping Self-Efficacy Among HIV Positive Youth. Poster presented at the 11th Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA).
- November, 2005 Radcliffe, J., **Hawkins, L.A.**, Tanney, M., Landau Fleisher, C., Kassam-Adams, N., Ambrose, C., & Rudy, B.J. Illness-Management Self-Efficacy as a Buffer of the Effects of Trauma History in Youth with HIV. Poster presented at the annual National Conference on Children's Health.