

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA:

Birthplace: Pasadena, California
Birthdate: April 28, 1946

EDUCATION:

University of California, Berkeley
Degree: B.A.: Psychology 1969

University of Washington
Degree: M.Ed.: School Psychology, 1977

University of Washington
Degree: Doctor of Philosophy Educational Psychology. 1985

PAST PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

Santa Clara County Probation Dept., 1969 -1970
Counselor – supervision of adolescent girls and boys under 12 year of age in detention

Our Savior Lutheran Church, 1972 - 1973
Parish Worker – family and youth programming

Echo Glen Children's Center, 1973 – 1976
Group Life Counselor – residential programming with adolescent girls

Seattle Public School District #1, 1976 – 1977
School Psychologist – consultation at the elementary, middle school & secondary levels

Mercer Island Public School District #400, 1977 – 1980
School Psychologist – consultation at the elementary, middle school & secondary levels

Children's Home Society of Washington – Cobb Residential Center, 1978 – 1981
Consultant

Mercer Island Public School District #400, 1993 – 1994
Consultant – High School, Alternative High School, Special Education

Editor in Chief – ASCH Press, 1994 – 2001

Risk Management Consortium
Educational Evaluator, 1996 – 2000

LICENSE TO PRACTICE:

Washington State Psychologist: License # 1236

CURRENT POSITIONS:

Private Practice, 1985 – current

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

American Psychological Association

American Society of Clinical Hypnosis

Washington State Psychological Association

HONORS AND PROFESSIONAL OFFICES:

Award of Merit (Literature), American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 1995

Irving I. Sector Award, American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 1996

Presidential Award, American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 1996 & 1997

Fellow: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis

Past – President: Washington Academy of Clinical Hypnosis

Co-Chair: 1991 Scientific Meeting; American Society of Clinical Hypnosis

Chair: Literature Review Committee; American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 1990 -
1992

Book Review Editor: American Journal of Clinical Hypnosis, 1992 – 1995

Representative for Psychology: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, Executive
Committee, 1992 – 1993

Secretary: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, Executive Committee, 1993 – 1994

Treasurer: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, Executive Committee, 1994 – 1995

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Chair: 1998 Annual Meeting, American Society of Clinical Hypnosis

President Elect: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 1998 – 1999

President: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 1999 – 2000

Past-President: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 2000 – 2001

Chair: ASCH Education and Research Foundation, 2001 – 2002

WORKSHOPS:

Mercer Island School District:

Non-Certified Employees

Interpersonal Communication (Autumn, 1978)

Mercer Island School District

Certified Employees

Screening for Developmental Disabilities in the Pre-School and Primary
Age Child (Spring, 1978)

Behavioral Management in Pre-School & Primary Grades (Spring, 1979)

Association of Pediatric Oncology Nurses

Alternative Modes of Pain Management & Anti-Anxiety Therapy (October 1984)

Nursing Research Conference (COHMC)

Alleviation of Distress in Pediatric Oncology Patients (December 1995)

Lake Chelan Community Hospital (April 1996 & April 1998)

Trauma & Dissociation: Issues with Children and Adolescents

International Society of Hypnosis, 1997, San Diego, CA

American Society of Clinical Hypnosis

Education and Research Foundation Semi-Annual Workshops (1986 – 2000)

VISITING FACULTY:

1986 Visiting Professor; Scott & White Clinic – Temple, Texas

1988 Visiting Professor; University of Hong Kong, Department of Education

1988 Visiting Professor; St. Elizabeth's Hospital, University of Hong Kong, Department of Psychiatry

1992 Visiting Faculty, North Dallas Society of Clinical Hypnosis

1992 Invited Speaker, "Developmental Perspectives on Dissociation"; Canadian Society of Clinical Hypnosis – Banff, Alberta

PUBLICATIONS:

Wall, V.J., Womack, W.S. (1989) Hypnotic vs. Active Cognitive Strategies for the Alleviation of Distress in Pediatric Oncology Patients, American Journal of Clinical Hypnosis, 31 (3), 181 – 191

Wall, V.J. (1988) "Hypnosis with Children" in Hammond, C (Ed.) Hypnotic Inductions and Suggestions: An Introductory Manual, American Society of Clinical Hypnosis: Illinois

Wall, V.J. (1991) "Developmental Issues in Hypnotherapy with Children", in Wester, W. and O'Grady D. (Eds.), Clinical Hypnosis with Children, Brunner/Mazel, Inc.

Elkins, G.R., Wall, V.J. (1996) Medical Referrals for Hypnotherapy: opinions of physicians, residents, family practice outpatients, and psychiatry outpatients. American Journal of Clinical Hypnosis, 38 (4), 254 – 262.