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Megan Hamilton provides expert witnessing and/or consultation for plaintiff and defense in the areas of: Dysphagia/Swallowing, TBI, Cognitive Decline, Stroke, Executive Function, Developmental Disabilities, Weight Loss and Neurodegenerative Disease Swallow and Communication. Her strengths are: Presenting complex issues in manner non-clinical persons can comprehend and analysis of medical documentation /depositions with honest appraisal of strengths and weaknesses. She is the Chief Operating Officer at Lios Manhe (pronounced LIZ manee) Expert Witnesses.

Experience

April 2015 to Present: Lios Manhe Expert Witnesses

Chief Operating Office

Expert witnessing and/or consultation on cases involving choking injury and/or death.

Expert witnessing and/or consultation on cases involving cognitive impairment, executive function and language deficit.

April 2015 to Present: Lios Manhe Expert Witnesses

PRN (On call) Speech Language Pathology clinical services:

Therapy Connection for Kids Pediatric Clinic

RehabCare: Multiple Acute, outpatient and long term care rehab departments. Southside Children and Family Nurturing Center for Abused Children UP Rehab Services: Sub Acute and Long Term Care SLP provision. Gogebic Medical Center SLP provision

2010 - 2015 Presbyterian Homes and Services

Director of Rehab Clinical Services

Assessment of clinical departments for a three state non profit corporation. Clinical program and P&P development OT, PT, SLP. Provided consultation to legal counsel and insurance mediator for nursing home liability.

2009 Diversicare Rehabilitation Region Rehab Director Responsible for clinical and operational results in a single state region.

2008 – 2009 Salus Rehabilitation Regional Vice President Responsible for clinical and operational results. Oversight of clinical program development and implementation.

2006 – 2008 Sava Senior Care

Region Rehab Manager

Responsible for clinical and operational results in a three state region for a national geriatric rehabilitation provider.

Management of Speech Language Pathologists in 20+ sites.

Oversight of clinical program development and implementation.



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1992 - 1999 NovaCare King of Prussia PA

Division Manager Clinical and Professional Development Part of a team developing interdisciplinary and speech language specific clinical programs for the largest geriatric rehab provider at that time.

Area Vice President

Responsible for clinical and operational outcomes for a multi-state area. Provided oversight to team developing, training and implementing speech language clinical programs.

1990 - 1992 Pinnacle Rehabilitation

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Education

BS in Psychology and Communicative Disorders MS in Communicative Disorders Lean Six Sigma Green Belt Certification Marquette University Marquette University Purdue University

Licensure

American Speech Language and Hearing Association (ASHA)01005111MI Speech Language Pathologist License7101006716MN Speech Language Pathologist License5138

Board Memberships

2018 to Present: Lexus Advisory Board Contributing member

February 2017 to Present: Convetit/Current Thought Leadership Advisory Board Member/contributor to multiple public and restricted panels convened on behalf of government services, public corporations and private corporations.



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- President and Vice President DuPage County Speech and Hearing Association.
- President and co-founder Sun Coast Speech and Hearing Association.
- Member of American Speech, Language and Hearing Association
- Member of the National Diversity Network.

Paid Professional Presentations

National Occupational Therapy Association Aging Services of Minnesota DuPage county Speech and Hearing Association Sun Coast Speech and Hearing Association

Clinical Programs Developed/ Trained for Rehab Providers Related To Choking

- Dysphagia Evaluation for the Speech Language Pathologist.
 - NovaCare
 - Presbyterian Homes and Services
- Dysphagia Treatment for the Speech Language Pathologist.
 - NovaCare
 - Presbyterian Homes and Services
- Feeding In-service for Certified Nursing Assistants (CNAs)
 - NovaCare
 - Salus Rehabilitation
 - o Sava Senior Care
 - Presbyterian Homes and Services
 - Implementation of Rehab Dining Programs in Rehab Centers.
 - NovaCare
- Family Caregiver Feeding/Swallowing Education
 - NovaCare
 - Salus Rehabilitation
 - o Sava Senior Care
 - Presbyterian Homes and Services
 - Understanding altered diet textures for the CNA
 - $\circ \quad \text{NovaCare}$

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