

DAVID T. BRADLEY

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Education

University of Maryland

Bachelor of Psychology, Magna Cum Laude, Rota, Spain 1977

Old Dominion University

Master of Science in Education, Norfolk, VA 1979

University of Arizona

30 hours post graduate work in Rehabilitation Counseling and Administration
Tucson, AZ 1982

University of Phoenix

Master of Business Administration, Tucson, AZ 1996

Licensure

Licensed Professional Counselor

State of Arizona 1992 – Present

Employment

Chief Development Officer, La Frontera Arizona, Inc. 2011-Present

Responsible for coordination and implementation of new business development for all La Frontera related corporations.

President & CEO, La Paloma Family Services, Inc. 1993–Present

Direct all aspects of the clinical, financial, and managerial functions of a non-profit child welfare agency. Directly responsible for strategic planning, contract compliance, grant proposals and advocacy. The state licensed (DES/BHS) agency operates group homes, foster homes, in-home services for the behavioral health and child welfare systems. 120 employees, 100 foster homes; 350 children/day receiving services. Annual budget \$7M. Report to the Board of Directors www.lapalomakids.org

Arizona State Representative District 28 2003-2011 (Four Terms)

Committees include Human Services; Health; Universities, Community Colleges, Financial Institutions and Insurance, Public Institutions and Retirement, Domestic Relations, Children's Caucus, Marriage and Communications Skills Commission and National Conference of State Legislature's human services committee. Caucus leader on children's issues particularly those concerning the Departments of Economic Security and Health Services.

President & CEO, Arizona Center for the Study of Children and Families, Inc. 2007-2011

Founder of this 501C3 which is focused on the research and development of best practices for child welfare and educational services, the development of early childhood services in the 85705 zip code area of Tucson, Arizona. www.azcenter.org

Private Healthcare Consultant, Self-Employed 1991–1993

Provided consulting services to hospitals and other mental health providers regarding accreditation, licensing, program and policy development, asset management, and marketing.

Administrator, Ramsey Canyon Hospital & Treatment Center 1986 – 1991

Responsible for all aspects of the clinical and financial operation of a 50 bed, for profit, psychiatric hospital and residential treatment center. Developed program and administrative services from inception. Facility was accredited through the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations (JCAHO). Reported to the General Partner. \$4.0 million budget.

Social Worker, State of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona 1985 – 1986

Oversight of placements in hospitals and other mental health settings of children in state custody. Wrote state guidelines for the use of these services. Provided training to child protective services staff and counseling to clients.

Adolescent Therapist, Palo Verde Hospital, Tucson, Arizona 1980 – 1985

Provided counseling/therapy services to children and their families in an intense psychiatric hospital setting. Coordinated services for children who were referred from the child welfare system. Authored program policies and procedures.

Communications Technician, CTO1 U. S. Navy 1972 – 1980

Stationed in Iceland, Spain, Virginia, and Florida. Provided communications in support of fleet operations. Top Secret Security Clearance. Honorable Discharge, 1/14/80.

Memberships and Boards

Member of the Behavioral Health Coalition of Pima County, 1996 – Present
St. Michael's Parish Day School, Board Member, Present
Board of Community Partnership of Southern Arizona, 1999 – 2000
Board Member, In My Shoes, Inc, 2005-2010
Board Member, HEAF, Arizona Community Action Association, 2010-Present
Board of Sahuaro Little League, Coach for 17 years, Tucson
St. Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church Vestry, 2001- 2003
Tucson Chamber of Commerce. State Government Committee, 1992 – 2002
Tucson Rotary 1999-2004
Foster Care Review Board, 1986 – 1989

Awards and Recognition

President of the Behavioral Health Coalition of Pima County, 1999-2000
Chair of the Pima County Democratic Party, 2001-2003
President of the Democrats of Greater Tucson, 1996-1998
2003 Freshman Representative of the Year, Arizona School Boards Association
2003 Golden Eagle Award, Independent Insurance Agents of Arizona
2003 Graduate of the Institute of Local Government, UofA
2004/2005 Awards of Distinction, Arizona League of Cities and Towns
2005 Keynote speaker on Civic Duty; Project Citizen national convention, Dallas TX
2005 Presenter on Poverty in Arizona, Democratic Leadership Committee, Columbus OH.
2005 Graduate of Conference of State Legislators Program, Colorado CO.
2006 Achievement Award Greater Phoenix Child Abuse Prevention Committee
2006 University of Arizona Alumni Association. Public Service Award
2007 Keynote speaker on Education, Arizona School Counselors' Association
2008 *I Hope Award*, Arizona's Children Association
2008 NASW Elected Official of the Year
2009 Arizona Attorney General commendation for lifelong commitment to children
2009/10 Keynote speaker Tucson Unified School District principals' retreats
2010 Center for Applied Behavioral Health Policy Legislative Leadership Award
2010 Named Fellow of the College of Education Old Dominion University
2011 Champions for Children & Families, Child and Family Resources, Inc.

Personal

Married to Debra D'Amore, Pima County Deputy County School Superintendent
Father of four children and grandfather of five.
Author: Management by Essay, 2003, Kino Publishing. Compilation of essays written to the staff of a child welfare agency over a ten year period of time;
Pursuits of Justice, Wheatmark Publishing, 2010, a compilation of speeches, editorials and essays written during legislative career. Numerous op-ed pieces on poverty, domestic violence, bullying, children & budgetary issues
Arizona resident for 54 years, Tucson, Arizona 31 years