**Dominique Tinsley**

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**PROFILE**

I am currently enrolled in the Biotech Career Foundations certificate program run by Bioversity in partnership with the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences. During the eight-week course we received training on a variety of technical skills including lab equipment and supplies, lab safety, inventory management, and CO2 and liquid nitrogen tank safety. My mental health background, combined with my transferable soft skills and technical skills from the program, make me well-suited to transition into an early-career role in the life sciences.

**EDUCATION**

**Bioversity – Biotech Career Foundations** September 2024 - October 2024

Certificate of Completion

**University of Phoenix** September 2011- June 2013

Associate of Arts, Psychology

**EXPERIENCE**

**Peer Specialist**

**South Shore Mental Health,** Quincy, MA February 2015- December 2017

* Led and conducted peer support groups, workshops, and educational sessions to promote recovery, skill-building, and community engagement, creating a safe and inclusive environment for participants.
* Maintained accurate and confidential records of client interactions, progress, and incidents. Prepare reports as required and ensure that all documentation is up-to-date and compliant with relevant regulations.
* Worked closely with mental health professionals, case managers, and community organizations to coordinate care and ensure that clients receive comprehensive and integrated support.

**Residential Counselor**

**Vinfen Corp.,** Somerville, MA November 2012- February 2015

* Handled administrative responsibilities such as scheduling, documentation, and reporting. Ensured that all paperwork and records are up-to-date and accurately reflect residents’ needs and progress.
* Ensured that the residential environment is safe and compliant with all relevant regulations and policies. Conducted regular inspections, enforced safety protocols, and addressed any issues or concerns promptly
* Responded to and managed crisis situations effectively, using de-escalation techniques and providing immediate support to ensure the safety and well-being of residents. Collaborated with other professionals to address urgent needs and develop appropriate intervention strategies.

**SKILLS**

* CO2 tanks
* Liquid Nitrogen
* Pipetting
* Osha compliance
* Excel and Word Proficient
* Buffers and Media Prep