# Lisa Wise Shumway

Clinical Mental Health Counselor Trainee & Advocate for Individuals with Disabilities

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## **Objective**

I am interested in serving the needs of Lyon County children through supporting an excellent public education for all children including children with unique needs as a trustee on the school board of Lyon County School District

### **EDUCATION**

**Walsh University**, Canton, Ohio (online program)- Master's Degree Expected Graduation Spring 2027 (starting Practicum Summer 2026) Counseling and Human Development, Clinical Mental Health Counseling

**Utah State University**, Logan, Utah- Bachelors of Arts Degree-1991 Family and Human Development, Families in Crisis Minors in Spanish and Theater Arts

## **NvLEND Certification 2024**

# University of Nevada Reno

The Nevada Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities program at the Nevada Center for Excellence in Disabilities awarded Lisa Shumway, as a Parent Advocate, a Certificate of Completion in recognition of the successful completion of 325 hours of interdisciplinary training serving children with autism and other neurodevelopmental disabilities.

### **EXPERIENCE**

### **Homeschool Administration**

- Homeschooled five children from 2000 to 2024, starting in Lyon County from 2003
- Three of my children had an Individual Education Plan or 504 in Lyon County for medical need, autism and/or learning disabilities
- All five children attended Dayton High School part time
- Worked with Lyon County School District psychologists, speech therapists, occupational therapists and physical therapists to achieve educational goals
- Coordinated college coursework with high school coursework on a high school level as well as continuing higher education
- Supported all five students to receive their Eagle Scout Rank

# **Professional Experience**

- Child Support Enforcement Investigator for Ogden, Utah Office of Recovery 1992–1996 (Highest child support collections in the state of Utah in 1995)
- Aide for Avatar Group Homes Ogden, Utah for developmentally delayed adults and adults suffering from brain trauma 1991–1992
- Houseparent Hillside Center Logan, Utah supervising chronically mentally ill men in group home setting 1990–1991
- Aide for Utah State University Children's House 85-86
- Aide for Pre-kindergarten, Sweetwater County School District (Wyoming), summers, 83 and 84

## **Volunteer Engagement**

- Former Cub Scouts BSA Committee Chair and various Scouts BSA positions from 2002 through 2024
- Mormon Women for Ethical Government, Nevada Chapter, Nonpartisan Political Advocacy
- The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, various positions
- Latter-day Saint mission 1988-1989 with Spanish speaking missionaries in El Paso, Texas and Albuquerque, New Mexico