

# Tamara L. Hodges, Ed.D., LSSP

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### Professional interests:

- learning theories in practice
- social-emotional assessment
- study and memory strategies
- best practices in teaching
- at-risk learners
- behavioral interventions
- Response-to-Intervention
- transition services from high school to college

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### Degrees:

- Ed.D. (1996) Department of Educational Psychology  
Baylor University, Waco, TX  
Emphasis:  
-Licensed Psychologist
- MS Education (1994) Department of Educational Psychology  
Baylor University, Waco, TX  
Emphases:  
-Counseling (Licensed Professional Counselor)
- BA Education (1980) School of Education  
Oral Roberts University, Tulsa, OK  
Major:  
-Elementary Education and Special Education

### Professional Experience:

#### **Baylor University** Waco, Texas

*Senior Lecturer*

August 2007 - Present

Teach graduate courses in Behavior Modification, Therapeutic Interventions, Counseling with Children and Adolescents, Human Exceptionality, Ethics & Law for School Psychologists, Social-Emotional Assessment, Research in Education, Practicum, Psychology of Learning, Adult Learner, Consultation, and Psychopathology.

*Supervisor at Baylor Speech Clinic*

January 2014-Present

Supervise PsyD students at the Baylor Speech and Hearing Clinic in assessment and interventions for children.

**Community Care Psychological Services (CCPCS), Sole Proprietor  
Waco, Texas**

*Licensed Psychologist, LSSP*

August 1997 - 2007

Provided therapy to children, adolescents and families dealing with related needs. Provided individual therapy for depressed and/or anxious individuals. Offered psychoeducational testing for children, adolescents, and adults. Served four school districts in the Waco area as the school psychologist. Provided psychological assessments of Emotionally Disturbed students within those school districts and consulted with faculty and staff. Provided expert witness in cases where an outside evaluation was necessary.

**Center for Learning and Development**

**Waco, Texas**

*Seminar Lecturer/Trainer*

August 1995 - 2015

Presented at international, national, state, and regional workshops to over 3,500 participants in various locations across Texas regarding learning disabilities and helping struggling students. Trained administrators, educators, parents and juvenile justice personnel on characteristics of learning disabilities and learning difficulties, ADHD/ADD, metacognition, executive function and strategies for students who struggle.

The most recent grant supported program (2003 to present) is "Grand Central Station: A Supportive Learning Environment for At-Risk Students"-a cross-curricular tier-two intervention program in partnership with Region Service Centers across Texas including Region 12 (Waco area), Region 7 (Kilgore area), Region 3 (Victoria area), Region 2 (Corpus Christi area), Region 18 (Midland, Odessa area), Region 14 (Abilene area), and Region 6 (Huntsville area), and San Antonio area.

**Counseling & Assessment Insights**

**Waco, Texas**

*Licensed Psychologist*

August 1995 - June 1997

Psychological evaluations and counseling with emotionally disturbed students in Mexia, Groesbeck, and Hill County. Worked closely with teachers to develop strategies for dealing with children in grades kindergarten to twelve who experienced difficulty functioning successfully in the classroom.

**Hillcrest Professional Development School**

**Waco, Texas**

*Psychological Intern / Counselor*

June 1993 - June 1995

Lead counseling groups, individual sessions, parent conferences, parent educational seminars, play therapy sessions, and classroom guidance. Supervised Master's level Baylor students studying to be school counselors.

**Robinson Elementary School**

**Waco, Texas**

*School Counselor*

August 1990 - May 1993

School Counselor for 850 children. Led group counseling, individual sessions, parent conferences, parent education seminars, play therapy sessions, evaluations, and classroom guidance.

**Heart of Texas Mental Health Mental Retardation**

**Waco, Texas**

*Screening, Referral, & Emergency Therapist*

August 1988 - August 1990

Responsible for assessing the needs of high risk persons and determining appropriate treatment alternatives. The emergencies were of homicidal, suicidal, or psychotic nature. This required extensive knowledge of the DSM-III, psychotropic medications, crisis intervention techniques, interpersonal skills, and community resources.

**Heart of Texas Mental Health Mental Retardation  
Waco, Texas**

*Crisis / Emergency Caseworker* August 1989 - August 1990

On call emergency worker serving a six county MHMR catchment area. Dealt closely with all facets of mental health, substance abuse, and mental retardation crisis situations. Was responsible for working with law enforcement, in-patient and state hospital staff.

**Union School District  
Tulsa, Oklahoma**

*Elementary Teacher* August 1981 - August 1987

Taught grades 3, 5, 6 for six years. Supervised an entry year teacher and served on various committees in the school. Was chosen as the 1984 National PTA Phoebe Appearson Hearst, Outstanding Educator of the Year.

**Licenses:**

1995	Licensed Psychologist, State of Texas
1996	Licensed Specialist in School Psychology, State of Texas
1992	Licensed Professional Counselor, State of Texas
1980	State of Oklahoma Teaching License; Grades 1-8 General Education and Special Education

**University Professional Experience:**

**Department of Psychology and Neuroscience:**

**Lecturer, Department of Psychology and Neuroscience**, Baylor University,  
2 class periods

PSY 3308	Spring 2013	Counseling Theories
PSY 3330	Summer 2012	Psychopathology
PSY 3V90	Summer 2012	Community Volunteer Work in Psychology

**Department of Educational Psychology:**

**Lecturer, Educational Psychology**, Baylor University

EDP 5341	Fall 2007	Professional Practice for School Psychologists
EDP 5346	Fall 2007	Therapeutic Intervention
EDP 5366	Fall 2007	Psychology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5333	Spring 2008	Psychology of Learning
EDP 5360	Spring 2008	Counseling Children and Adolescents
EDP 5367	Spring 2008	Psychopathology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5278	Fall 2008	Practicum in School Psychology

EDP 5346	Fall 2008	Therapeutic Intervention
EDP 5366	Fall 2008	Psychology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5333	Spring 2009	Psychology of Learning
EDP 5360	Spring 2009	Counseling Children and Adolescents
EDP 5367	Spring 2009	Psychopathology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5393	Minimester 2009	Cultural Issues with Children and Families
EDP 5335	Summer 2009	Research in Education
EDP 5278	Fall 2009	Practicum in School Psychology
EDP 5346	Fall 2009	Therapeutic Intervention
EDP 5366	Fall 2009	Psychology of the Exceptional Child
Spring 2010 in Maastricht		
EDP 5393	Minimester 2010	Cultural Issues with Children and Families
EDP 6345	Summer 2010	Adult Learner-Advanced
EDP 5278	Fall 2010	Practicum in School Psychology
EDP 5346	Fall 2010	Therapeutic Intervention
EDP 5366	Fall 2010	Psychology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5333	Spring 2011	Psychology of Learning
EDP 5360	Spring 2011	Counseling Children and Adolescents
EDP 5367	Spring 2011	Psychopathology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5393	Minimester 2011	Cultural Issues with Children and Families
EDP 6345	Summer 2011	Adult Learner-Advanced
EDP 5278	Fall 2011	Practicum in School Psychology
EDP 4341	Fall 2011	The Adult Learner
EDP 5394	Fall 2011	Social-Emotional Assessment
EDP 5360	Spring 2012	Counseling Children and Adolescents
EDP 5367	Spring 2012	Psychopathology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5370	Spring 2012	Consultation and Parent Conferences
EDP 5393	Minimester 2012	Cultural Issues with Children and Families
EDP 5356	Summer 2012	Behavior Management
EDP 5333	Spring 2013	Psychology of Learning
EDP 5360	Spring 2013	Counseling Children and Adolescents
EDP 5367	Spring 2013	Psychopathology of the Exceptional Child
EDP 5393	Minimester 2013	Cultural Issues with Children and Families
EDP 6345	Summer 2013	Adult Learner-Advanced
EDP 5329	Summer 2013	Counseling Theories and Techniques
EDP 5278	Fall 2013	Practicum in School Psychology

EDP 5346	Fall 2013	Therapeutic Intervention
EDP 5394	Fall 2013	Social-Emotional Assessment

### **Department of International Studies:**

Director of Baylor in Maastricht, The Netherlands

PSY 3321	Spring 2010 & Fall 2015	Abnormal Psychology
PSY 1305	Spring 2010 & Fall 2015	Introduction to Psychology

### **University Services:**

National/International Scholarship Committee, new member 2013. Serving as a committee member with Dr. Elizabeth Vardaman. This committee interviews and selects students worthy of receiving Baylor's endorsement for the Fulbright Scholarship.

Graduate Association of School Psychologists, Baylor University, Co-led the graduate student organization . 2009-2013. This organization seeks to serve the McLennan County area (providing presentations to Regional Service Center, local school, and associations for children with disabilities).

SOE International Studies and Experiences Committee, Baylor University committee that wrote policies for the SOE Global Initiatives Manual, 2010-present.

Greater Texas Foundation Grant, co-led the *EnAbleD for College Transition Program*. This is a model transition program with the express mission to assist high school seniors with disabilities access, persist, and complete postsecondary education (PSE) in the Waco and McLennan County area. Nine Educational and School Psychology graduate students met weekly with high school seniors in the area to fulfill grant obligations.

OALA Support Services for Students with Asperger's Disabilities. Created and started this project in the summer of 2010 following the Advanced Adult Learner class. Worked closely with doctoral student, Kris Ward, and OALA to launch this program. The program continues to serve students.

### **Publications:**

#### **Published Articles:**

Byrd, E. & Hodges, T. (2015). The need for school psychologists' expertise in university settings. *NASP Communiqué*, 44(1) 22.

Alfano, A. R., Hodges, T. L., & Saxon, T. (2011). Eating disordered behavior in rural high schools: A descriptive study of adolescent risk and teacher perceptions. *Journal of Rural Community Psychology*, E14(2).

Barnard-Brak, L., Schmidt, M., Wei, T., Hodges, T., & Robinson, E. L. (2013). Providing postsecondary transition services to youths with disabilities: Results of a pilot program. *Journal of Postsecondary Education and Disability*, 26(2).

Kilgore, T.L. and Rubin L., (1995). Collaboration for classroom behavior problems: Why it is difficult and how it can be implemented. Teacher Education and Practice. Spring/Summer Vol. 11, Number 1.

Kilgore, T.L. and Rubin, L., (1995). Collaboration Implemented Within Teacher Assistance Teams. Baylor Educator. Spring 1995, Volume 20, Number 1.

### **Curriculum Materials:**

Educational Training Materials for the Grand Central Station series: Metacognition, Motivation, and Memory; Learning is Tricky Business, Lost in Learning- Metacognition and Executive Function.

### **Presentations:**

#### **International Presentations:**

Hodges, T. (2012, October). *Sink or swim: What makes the difference?* International Council for Learning Disabilities. Austin, TX.

#### **National Presentations:**

Woodhouse, D., Nguyen, M., Lee, R., & Hodges, T. (accepted). (2016, February). Assisting Disadvantaged Students in Reaching Postsecondary Education. Poster session presented at the meeting of the National Association of School Psychologists, New Orleans, LA.

Leeper, D. & Hodges, T. (2015, February). *EnAbleD For College II: Theory of Change*. Poster session presented at the meeting of the National Association of School Psychologists, Orlando, FL.

Bender, T., Gardner, B., & Hodges, T. (2014, February). *EnAbleD For College I: Theory of Change*. Poster session presented at the meeting of the National Association of School Psychologists, Washington, DC.

Hodges, T. (2011, February). *Enabled for College*. National Association of School Psychologists Conference. Philadelphia, PA.

Hodges, T. (2010, March). *Differentiated instruction*. Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development National Conference. San Antonio, TX.

Hodges, T. (2009, February). *Tier I interventions and strategies across the curriculum*. National Association of School Psychologists Conference. Boston, MA.

Hodges, T. (2004, April). National Association of School psychologists Conference. *Engineering success for struggling learners*. Dallas, TX.

#### **State Presentations:**

Hodges, T. (2012, January). The brain and how it works: Strategies to help the LD learner. Texas School Counselor Association. Austin, TX.

- Hodges, T. (2011, February). *Cross-curricular intervention for struggling learners*. Texas Middle School Association's 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference & Exhibit. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, June). *Cross-curricular intervention for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Texas Association of Secondary School Principals 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference & Exhibit. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, June). *Do-able differentiated instruction*. Presentation at the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association Summer Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, June). *Differentiated Instruction*. Presentation at the Texas Association of Secondary School Principals Summer Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, April). *Tier I interventions & strategies across the curriculum*. Presentation at the Association for Compensatory Educators of Texas Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, June). *Tier I interventions & strategies across the curriculum*. Presentation at the Texas Association of Secondary School Principals Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, May). *Tier I interventions & strategies across the curriculum*. Presentation at the Association for Compensatory Educators of Texas Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, April). *Engineering success for the struggling learner*. Presentation at the Texas Educational Diagnosticians' Association Conference. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, July). *Inclusion, RTI and the struggling learner*. Presentation at the Texas Council of Administrators of Special Education Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, November). *A response to intervention for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Learning Disabilities Association of Texas Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, November). *Engineering success for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association Fall Conference. Houston, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, July). *Response to intervention for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Texas Council of Administrators of Special Education Summer Leadership Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, June). *Engineering a team approach: The right track for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Texas Council of Administrators of Special Education Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, April). *Engineering success for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Association for Compensatory Educators of Texas Conference. Austin, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, January). *Engineering a team approach for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Texas Association of School Administrators Conference. Austin, TX.

Hodges, T. (2006, January). *Engineering success for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Texas Council of Administrators of Special Education Conference. Austin, TX.

Hodges, T. (2005, November). *At-risk learners*. Presentation at the Learning Disabilities Association of Texas. Austin, TX.

Hodges, T. (2005, February). *Engineering success for struggling learners*. Presentation at the Texas Middle School Association Conference. Corpus Christi, TX.

Hodges, T. (2004, February). *Working with at-risk learners*. Presentation at the Texas Middle School Association Conference. Austin, TX.

Hodges, T. (2004, January). *Working with at-risk learners*. Presentation at the Texas Council of Administrators of Special Education Conference. Austin, TX.

### **Regional Presentations:**

Hodges, T. (2015, December). *The Oppositional Student*. Presentation for teachers. Copperas Cove, TX.

Hodges, T. (2015, August). *Coordinate Conference: Different Minds Thinking as One*. Presentation at Region 12 Service Center. Waco, TX.

Hodges, T. (2015, January). *Learning and the Brain*. Presentation for new teachers at LaVega High School. Waco, TX.

Hodges, T. (2014, November). *Assessing Cognitive Processes*. Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, Texas.

Hodges, T. (2014, October). *Encircled Project for High School Transition*. Presentation at Bell County Juvenile Justice Center. Belton, Texas.

Hodges, T. (2014, October). *Managing the Unmanageable Student*. Webinar for State-wide Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association. Waco, Texas.

Hodges, T. (2014, September). *The Difficult, Defiant, and Distracted Student: What do we do?* Midway Independent School District. Hewitt, TX.

Hodges, T. (2014, August). *The Difficult, Defiant, and Distracted Student: What do we do?* Keller Independent School District. Keller, TX.

Hodges, T. (2014, August). *The Difficult, Defiant, and Distracted Student: What do we do?* Gatesville Independent School District. Gatesville, TX.

Hodges, T. (2014, August). *The Difficult, Defiant, and Distracted Student: What do we do.* Juvenile Justice Alternate Education Program State Conference. Conroe, Texas.

Hodges, T. (2014, August). *Blowing Away the Smokescreens*. St. Mary's School. West, Texas.

Hodges, T. (2014, August). *The Difficult, Defiant, and Distracted Student: What do we do.* Center for Learning and Development. Waco, Texas.

- Hodges, T. (2014, August). *The Learning Profile*. Center for Learning and Development. Waco, Texas.
- Hodges, T. (2014, June). *Reading Difficulties and ADHD*. Center for Learning and Development. Waco, Texas.
- Hodges, T. (2014, June). *The Difficult, Defiant, and Distracted Student: What do we do?* Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2014, February). *The Learning Profile*. McLennan Community College. Waco, Texas.
- Hodges, T. (2014, January). *Encircled Project for High School Transition*. Killeen Independent School District. Killeen, Texas.
- Hodges, T. (2014, January). *Reading Difficulties and ADHD*. Hallsville ISD. Hallsville, Texas.
- Hodges, T. (2013, December). Brain Basics and Learning Differences. Presentation at Killeen Cooperative. Killeen, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2013, October). Brain Basics and Learning Differences. Presentation at Killeen Juvenile Justice Center. Killeen, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2013, October). Brain Basics and Learning Differences. Presentation for Waco Juvenile Justice Center. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2013, October). Brain Basics and Learning Differences. Presentation for Venus ISD. Venus, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2013, September). Assessing Cognitive Processes? Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2013, August). *The Difficult, Defiant, and Distracted Student: What do we Do?* Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2013, August). *Differentiated Instruction*. Presentation at Waco Charter School. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2013, January). *Lost in Learning*. Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2012, December). *Reading disabilities* Presentation at the Uvalde ISD. Uvalde, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2012, October). *The assessment process*. Presentation at the Uvalde ISD. Uvalde, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2012, April). *Working with at-risk learners*. Presentation at the Juvenile Justice Conference. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2012, April). *Working with at-risk learners*. Presentation at the ESC Region 20. San Antonio, TX.

Hodges , T. (2011, December). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Azle ISD. Azle, TX.

Hodges , T. (2011, December). *Lost in Learning*. Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.

Hodges , T. (2011, November). *Reading disability profile and intervention*. Presentation at Trinity ISD. Trinity, TX.

Hodges , T. (2011, November). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Trinity ISD. Trinity, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, October). *Reading disability profile & intervention*. Presentation at Trinity ISD. Trinity, TX.

Hodges , T. (2011, October). *Reading disability profile and intervention*. Presentation at Azle ISD. Azle, TX.

Hodges , T. (2011, October). *Reading disability profile and intervention*. Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, September). *The assessment process*. Presentation at Azle ISD. Azle, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, September). *The assessment process*. Presentation at Azle ISD. Waco, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, September). *The assessment process*. Presentation at Trinity ISD. Trinity, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, August). *LD & ADHD for private schools & home school teachers*. Presentation at St. Mary's School. West, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, June). *LD & ADHD for general education teachers*. Presentation at Temple ISD. Temple, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, June). *Reading difficulties/ADHD*. Presentation at Seminole ISD. Seminole, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, May). *Reading difficulties/ADHD*. Presentation at Seminole ISD. Seminole, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, April). Campus Team presentation at Region 6 at Trinity ISD. Trinity, TX.

Hodges, T. (2011, January). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Huntsville, TX.

Hodges, T. (2010, December). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 6 at Huntsville. Huntsville, TX.

Hodges, T. (2010, December). *Refresh, renew, remind*. Presentation at ESC Region 2. Corpus Christi, TX.

- Hodges, T. (2010, November). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, November). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Reg. VI, Huntsville, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, October). *The assessment process*. Presentation at Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, October). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, August). *LD & ADHD for general education teachers*. Presentation at Temple ISD. Temple, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, June). *Understanding struggling learners and interventions*. Presentation at Marshall High School, Marshall, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, May). Presentation at ESC Region VI, Huntsville, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2010, February). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region III. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, December). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 14. Abilene, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, December). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 14. Abilene, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, December). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, December). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, November) *The assessment process*. Presentation at ECS Region 14. Abilene, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, November). *The assessment process*. Presentation at ECS Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, November). *The assessment process*. Presentation at ECS Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, October). *The assessment process*. Presentation at ESC Region 2. Corpus Christi, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, October). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 2. Corpus Christi, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, May). *Administrators' Info Session*. Presentation at ESC Region 14. Abilene, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, April). *Administrators' Info Session*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.

- Hodges, T. (2009, April). *Administrators' Info Session*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, April). *Administrators' Info Session*. Presentation at Region 2 ESC, Corpus Christi, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, February). *Reading Disability Profile and Interventions*. Presentation at Center for Learning and Development. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, February). *Hot Topic*. Presentation at Region 14, Abilene, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, January). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, January). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Region 3 ESC, Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2009, January). *Reading Disability Profile and Interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region II. Corpus Christi, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, December). *Reading Disability Profile and Interventions*. Presentation at Region 3, Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, December.). *Reading Disability Profile and Interventions*. Presentation at Region VII ESC, Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, December). *Reading Disability Profile and Interventions*. Presentation at Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, November). *The Assessment Process*. Presentation at ESC Region 3. Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, November). *The Assessment Process*. Presentation at ESC Region 3. Corpus Christi, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, November). *The Assessment Process*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, November). *The Assessment Process*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, April). *GCS Administrators Info Session*. Presentation at Region 2 ECS, Corpus Christi, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, March). *Administrators' Info Session*. Presentation at Region 3 ESC Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, January). *Reading disability profile and interventions* Presentation at Region 18, Midland, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2008, January). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Region 18 ESC, Midland, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, December). *ADHD profile and intervention*. Presentation at Region 3 ESC. Victoria, TX.

- Hodges, T. (2007, December). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Region VII ESC, Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, December). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges T. (2007, November). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges T. (2007, November). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 3, Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, November). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at Region 12, Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, October). Region 18 Superintendents' Info Session. Presentation at Region 18 ESC, Midland, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, October). *The assessment process*. Presentation at Region VII ESC, Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, October). *Making a difference*. Presentation to principals at Region 18, Midland, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, April). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Fort Stockton ISD, Fort Stockton, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, March). Administrators' Info Session Presentation at Region 3 ESC. Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, March). *The assessment process*. Presentation at Fort Stockton ISD. Fort Stockton, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, March). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at Fort Stockton ISD. Fort Stockton, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, February). *Administrators Information Session*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, February). *Administrators Information Session*. Presentation at ESC Region 2. Corpus Christi, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, January). *A response to intervention*. GCS: Administrators' info Session HOT Coop, McGregor, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, November). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, November). *ADHD profile and intervention*. Presentation at ESC Region III. Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, November). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.

- Hodges, T. (2006, October). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region III ESC. Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, October). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, October). *Emotional disturbance vs behavior disorder*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, September). *The assessment process*. Presentation at ESC Region VII. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2007, September). *The assessment process*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, August). *Administrators Information Session*. Presentation at Region XV. San Angelo, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, August). *Survival Skills for Classroom Teachers*. Temple Middle School. Temple, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, June). *Engineering a team approach: The right track for struggling learners*. Austin TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, June). *Emotional disturbance and behavior disorder issues with at-risk students*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, June). *The brain and how it works: Strategies to help the LD learner*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, June). *Survival Skills for parents of ADHD children*. Presentation at ESC Region 12. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, April). *Administrators' Information Session*. Presentation at ESC Region III. Victoria, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2006, March). *Administrators' Information Session*. Presentation at McKinney ISD. McKinney, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2005, November). *At risk learners: Blowing away their smokescreens*. Presentation at Cigarroa HS. Laredo, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2005, November). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at ESC Region 7. Kilgore, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2005, September). *Understanding the research: How learning occurs*. Presentation at Providence Hospital. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2005, August). *Motivating the unmotivated*. Presentation at Connally High School. Waco, TX.
- Hodges, T. (2005, August). *Understanding the research: How learning occurs*. Paper presentation at Sequin High School. Sequin, TX.

Hodges, T. (2005, March). *Understanding the research: How learning occurs*. Special Education Directors Information Session at ESC Region 7. Kilgore, TX.

Hodges, T. (2005, December). *ADHD profile and interventions*. Presentation at Region 13. Austin, TX.

Hodges, T. (2005, November). *Reading disability profile and interventions*. Presentation at Region 13. Austin, TX.

Hodges, T. (2004, August). *ED issues and sustainability*. Presentation at Providence Hospital. Waco, TX.

### **Presentations with School Psychology Students:**

Woodhouse, D., Nguyen, M., Lee, R., & Hodges, T. (accepted). (2016, February). *Assisting Disadvantaged Students in Reaching Postsecondary Education*. Poster session presented at the meeting of the National Association of School Psychologists, New Orleans, LA.

Leeper, D. & Hodges, T. (2015, February). *EnAbleD For College II: Theory of Change*. Poster session presented at the meeting of the National Association of School Psychologists, Orlando, FL.

Bender, T., Gardner, B., & Hodges, T. (2014, February). *EnAbleD For College I: Theory of Change*. Poster session presented at the meeting of the National Association of School Psychologists, Washington, DC.

Hodges, T., Carter, S. (2012, April). *Who's in charge: Behavior modification*. Presentation at Youth Connections. Waco, TX.

Carter, S., Coviello, L., Hodges, T., Ragan, K., Stauffer, M., & Walter, M. (2012, March). *Bullying in the schools*. Presentation to Midway High School students. Hewitt, TX.

Carter, S., Coviello, L., Hodges, T., Ragan, K., Stauffer, M., & Walter, M. (2012, March). *How to address bullying with teachers and administrators*. Presentation at Region 12 Counselor's Conference. Waco, TX.

Carter, S., Ragan, K., & Hodges, T. (2012, February). *Enabled for College*. Paper presentation at NASP. Philadelphia, PA.

Brown, J., Hodges, T., May, L. (2011, February). Paper presentation at NASP. San Francisco, CA.

Hodges, T., Weathers, S., & Wells, K. (2011, April). *Meeting the Needs of the Student with Asperger's Syndrome*. Presentation to Heart of Texas Counseling Association. Waco, TX.

### **Other Employment Experience:**

**Seminar Presenter/Trainer**, Center for Learning and Development, Waco, TX, September 1996 – present (previously named Behavioral Health Institute -Center for Attention and Learning Disorders). Train administrators, educators, parents and juvenile justice personnel on characteristics of learning disabilities and learning difficulties, ADHD/ADD, metacognition, executive function and strategies for students who struggle.

The most recent grant supported program (2003 to present) is “Grand Central Station: A Supportive Learning Environment for At-Risk Students”-a cross-curricular tier-two intervention program in partnership with Region Service Centers across Texas including Region 12 (Waco area), Region 7 (Kilgore area), Region 3 (Victoria area), Region 2 (Corpus Christi area), Region 18 (Midland, Odessa area), Region 14 (Abilene area) and Region 6 (Huntsville area).

Specifically, trainings include: Metacognition, Motivation, and Memory; Non-verbal Learning Disorders; Fine Motor Difficulties; Slow Learners; ADD; Reading difficulties; Learning is Tricky Business; Executive Function; Lost in Learning- Metacognition and Executive Function; Rally to Read-a reading improvement program.

**Educational Consultant- grant funded**, Center for Learning and Development, Waco, TX, December 2011 - 2015. Working in partnership with Community in Schools, this position includes working with the most at-risk students on two middle school campuses in Waco ISD to foster a successful transition from middle school to high school. Duties include: testing students; analyzing data; choosing students with best fit for program; training educators on both campuses about learning strengths and weaknesses; working with students individually and in groups; presenting data based on specific core classes to faculty.

### **Public School Experience:**

**Classroom Instructor**, Union School District in Tulsa, Oklahoma, *Elementary Teacher (grades one, three, five)*, August 1981 - August 1987.

**School Counselor**, Robinson Elementary Counselor, August 1990-1993; Hillcrest Professional Development School, Waco, TX, August 1993-April 1995.

**School Psychologist**, Five public school systems surrounding Waco, TX. August 1995-present.

### **Additional Professional Experience:**

**Educational Consultant/Center for Learning and Development**, Center for Learning and Development, Waco, TX, August 2010 - May 2011. Follow and consult second year schools that have been a part of Grand Central Station (an RtI learning lab) implementation on their campus in order to problem solve/provide strategies for student and school success.

**Educational Liaison**, Behavioral Health Institute- Center for Attention and Learning Disorders, Waco, TX, December 1996 - May 1997. Consultant for teachers with difficult classroom situations. Follow-up on program’s implementation. Gathered data to evaluate project’s success.

**Counseling Practicum**, DePaul Psychiatric Hospital, Waco, TX. August 1989-May 1990.

### **Training/Workshops:**

“Sink or Swim”. Student Support Services Training at McLennan Community College, September 2012.

“The Brain and How it Works: Strategies to Help the LD Learner”. Presentation at Waco Baptist Academy. January 2012.

“College Students with Asperger’s Syndrome” Baylor University Bear the Difference Conference, April 2010.

“Lost in Learning.” Advanced training workshop on metacognition and executive function at Center for Learning and Development, March 2011.

“Educational Links- A Primary Prevention Project”, 1996 to 2003 Training for teachers, administrators, and parents: focuses on Learning Disabilities and Attention Deficit Disorder (original grant 1996: funded through the Criminal Justice Division, Office of the Governor) open seminars as well as school i-service training including: LaVega ISD, Midway ISD, Robinson, Clifton and Itasca ISD’s, Gatesville ISD, Bosqueville ISD, Corsicana ISD, etc.

“Blowing Away the Smokescreens: The Brain and How it Works...or Doesn’t.” Seguin ISD, August 2005.

“De-Mystifying Our Children: An ADD/LD Workshop” Providence Brown Bag Lecture Series, August 2003.

“Giving Up is Not an Option” Grand Central Station, Salado-Bosqueville Training, September 2002.

“Seeking to Uncover the Hidden Clues Along the Learning Trail: De-Mystifying Our Children” City of Waco summer staff training, May 2001.

“Breaking the LD-JD Link.” Bosqueville ISD, August 2000.

Attention Deficit Disorder Series, Waco Psychological, Waco, TX

“ADD- An overview”

“ADD- School and Homework Issues”

“ADD- Medication Issues”

Hillcrest Hospital Wellness Series: Stressless in Waco, Waco, TX

“ADD- School and Homework Strategies”

“ADD- What is it?”