

# **Rebecca Macy, Ph.D., M.S.W.**

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Dr. Rebecca Macy is the Preyer Distinguished Chair for Strengthening Families, and a Professor at the UNC School of Social Work. Her professional interests include family violence, interpersonal violence, human trafficking, violence prevention, interventions to promote violence survivors health and well-being, community-based research and engaged scholarship. Dr. Macy joined the faculty of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 2002, after receiving a doctoral degree in social welfare from the University of Washington in Seattle, and a M.S.W. from Tulane University in New Orleans. Additionally, Dr. Macy is a licensed social worker with practice experience in community mental health where she has worked with violence survivors.

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**Education/Learning, Social Services, Research, Mental Health Care**

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Partner Violence, Crisis Intervention, Group Therapy, Community Outreach, Program Development, Training & Development, Higher Education, Public Speaking, Grant Writing, Human Trafficking, Sexual Assault and Violence, Domestic Violence

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Council for Social Work Education : Member, National Association for Social Workers : Member , Society for Social Work and Research : Member

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**Helping CPS?and court?involved moms who are intimate partner violence survivors with their parenting and mental health**

American Society on the Abuse of Children?s 23rd Annual Colloquium

**Appraising competency--based student evaluation strategies**

European Association of Schools of Social Work 2015 Conference: Social Work Education In Europe: Toward 2025

**Lessons Learned in Incorporating Technology for Evaluation in North Carolina Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Agencies**

Presentation at the Innovations in Domestic and Sexual Violence Research and Practice Conference

**Developing statewide anti--human trafficking capacity: A qualitative evaluation**

18th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research

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**University of Washington**

Ph.D. School of Social Work: Social Welfare

**Tulane University**

M.S.W. School of Social Work: Social Work Practice with Families and Children

**Hanover College**

B.A. Psychology and French

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**WCHL Village Pride Award (2014-5)**

Each day WCHL recognizes and celebrates a Hometown Hero. Dr. Macy was recognized twice, on July 28, 2014 and April 7, 2015.

**Office of the Provost Award for Engaged Research (2013)**

The Office of the Provost Engaged Scholarship Award was established in 2000 by Provost Dick Richardson to recognize extraordinary public service and engaged scholarship at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

**Mary Ann Chap Award for Community Service (2010)**

The Mary Ann Chap Award is given to those who have made major contributions toward achieving the Center's mission: to stop sexual violence through support, education, and advocacy.

**Dean's Recognition of Teaching Excellence (2005-6)**

Awarded to Dr. Macy in 2005 and 2006, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

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