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Groze, V. (1988). *Institutional Mistreatment.* Prepared for the Office of Advocate Defender, Oklahoma Department of Human Services, Oklahoma City, OK.

Groze, V. (1987). *Family Influence on Delinquency,* Professor Robert Bursik, advisor. Prepared for the Department of Sociology, University of Oklahoma, in partial fulfillment for requirements for Ph.D.

Grasmick, H., Morgan, D., & Groze, V. (1986). *Application of a Theory of General Prevention to Drinking-and-Driving: An Assessment of Oklahoma's 1983 Administrative Per Se Legislation.* Prepared for Oklahoma Highway Safety Office, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Grasmick, H., & Groze, V. (1985). *Taxpayer Attitude Items from the 1985 Oklahoma City Survey.* Prepared for the IRS, Washington, D.C.

Groze, V., & Anderson, S. C. (1984). *Child Abuse and Neglect in Oklahoma: An Update of Central Registry Data.* Prepared for the Oklahoma Department of Human Services, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

GRANT ACTIVITY-EXTERNALLY FUNDED

Child Welfare Training Program for Public System Employees, funded by the U. S. Children's Bureau, National Child Welfare Workforce Institute, 2009-2014 (\$550,000 plus \$1.2 million match from MSASS).

Role: Principal Investigator.

Supporting Adoption of Children from the Public System, funded by the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption, 2004-2005 (\$15,000). **Role: Investigator.**

Developmental PARTners: Prevention, Referral and Transition for Adopted Infants and Toddlers, funded by Department of Education, 2003-2005 (\$700,000). **Role: Co-investigator** with G. Mahoney.

Adoption Home Study Assistance Project: A Service and Training Endeavor, funded by Cleveland Clinic Foundation, 2003-2004 (\$62,092). **Role: Co-investigator** with Z. Breen-Wood.

Adoption Home Study Assistance Project: A Service and Training Endeavor, funded by Cleveland Clinic Foundation, 2000-2001 (\$59,990). **Role: Co-investigator** with Z. Breen-Wood.

Adoption Home Study Assistance Project: A Service and Training Endeavor, funded by Cleveland Clinic Foundation, 1999-2000 (\$51,777). **Role: Co-investigator** with Z. Breen-Wood.

Adoption Outcome and Cost Effectiveness Planning Grant, funded by the Dave Thomas/Wendy's Foundation for Adoption, 1996 (\$5,000). **Role: Principal Investigator**

A Family-Centered and Community-Based Transagency Model for Children with AIDS, HIV Infection, or Drug Exposure, funded by the Abandoned Infants Assistance Program, in collaboration with the Maryland Department of Human Resources, Baltimore, Maryland, 1993-1996 (\$435,303 per year for 2 years; subcontract of 11% of grant for research and evaluation). **Role: Principal Investigator**

Curriculum Development Project in Romania (CDROM), funded by World Vision as part of an U.S.A.I.D. grant, 1992-1993 (\$100,000). **Role: Co-Director**

Partnership Spreads Post Legal Supportive/Educational Services Across the Hawkeye State, funded by the Department of Health and Human Services, in collaboration with the Iowa Department of Human Services, Des Moines, Iowa, 1991-1993 (\$100,000 per year for 2 years; subcontract of 14% of grant for research and evaluation). **Role: Principal Investigator**

A Family-Centered Transagency Model for Children with AIDS, HIV Infection, or Drug Exposure, funded by the Abandoned Infants Assistance Program, in collaboration with the Maryland Department of Human Resources, Baltimore, Maryland, 1991-1993 (\$435,303 per year for 2 years; subcontract of 14% of grant for research and evaluation). **Role: Principal Investigator**

Post Adoption Resources for Treatment, Networking and Evaluation Services (PARTNERS), funded by the Department of Health and Human Services, in collaboration with Four Oaks, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 1989-1991

(\$200,000 for 2 years; subcontract of 13% of grant for research and evaluation). **Role: Principal Investigator**

A Follow-up Study of Intact Special Needs Adoptions: The Family and Child's Perspectives, funded by the Iowa Department of Human Services, 1990, (\$6,400). **Role: Principal Investigator**

Adoptive Placement of Special Needs Children Who Reside in Foster Care, funded by the Department of Health and Human Services, in collaboration with Iowa Department of Human Services, 1989-1990 (\$71,900 for 1 year; subcontract of 7% of grant for research and evaluation). **Role: Principal Investigator**

GRANT ACTIVITY-INTERNALLY FUNDED

Research Initiative Grant. Funded by the Office of Research Administration, 2000-2002 (\$50,000/year for 2 years) to MSASS for faculty research development to complete grant applications to federal agencies. **Role: Administrator.**

The Relationship of Institutionalization to the Development of Latency-Age Romanian Children Adopted Internationally. Funded by the Schubert Center for Child Development, 1999-2000, (\$10,700). **Role: Principal Investigator.**

A Follow-up Study of Children Adopted from Romania, funded by the Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Dean's Discretionary Account, Fall 1994, (\$2500). **Role: Principal Investigator**

Assisting Romania in Modernizing the Child Welfare System, funded by the Midwest Universities Consortium for International Activities [MUCIA], University of Iowa, Summer, 1992 (\$1500). **Role: Consultant and Trainer**

Assisting Romania in Permanency Planning, funded by the Midwest Universities Consortium for International Activities [MUCIA], University of Iowa, Summer, 1991 (\$1500). **Role: Consultant and Trainer**

Recruiting Foster and Adoptive Families for Children with AIDS and HIV Infection: A Pilot Study, funded by the Spelman Rockefeller Seed Grant for Research on Children, University of Iowa, 1990 (\$5,000). **Role: Principal Investigator**

Family Functioning in Special-Needs Adoptions, funded by Old Gold Fellowship, University of Iowa, Summer, 1990 (\$3500). **Role: Principal Investigator**

A Follow-up Study of Special Needs Adoptions, funded by Old Gold Fellowship, University of Iowa, Summer, 1989 (\$3500). **Role: Principal Investigator**

Institutional Maltreatment awarded from the Undergraduate College, University of Oklahoma, for undergraduate research project with Oklahoma Department of Human Services, 1987-1988 (\$3700). **Role: Principal Investigator**

Pilot Study: Psychosocial Adjustment of AIDS Patients, awarded for undergraduate research from the Dean of Arts and Sciences, University of Oklahoma, Spring, 1988 (\$200). **Role: Consultant**

BOOKS AND BOOK PROPOSALS REVIEWED

Bergquist, K. J. S., Vonk, M. E., Kim, D. S., & Feit, M. D. (2007). *International Korean Adoption: A Fifty-Year History of Policy and Practice*. New York: Haworth Press, Inc. Reviewed for Haworth Press, 2007 and *Adoption Quarterly*, 2007, 10(2):92-94.

Bhargava, V. (2005). *Adoption in India: Policies and Experiences*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications. Reviewed for *Social Services Review*, 2006.

Thomas S. Weisner (Ed.), *Discovering Successful Pathways in Children's Development. Mixed Methods in the Study of Childhood and Family Life*. Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press, 2005. Reviewed for *Sociology and Social Welfare*, 2005.

Tiziano Vecchiato, Anthony N. Malucchio and Cinzia Canali (Eds). (2003). *Evaluation in Child and Family Services: Comparative Client and Program Perspectives*. New York: Aldine de Gruyter. Reviewed for *Sociology and Social Welfare*, 2003.

K. McCurdy, & Jones, E. D. (2000). *Supporting Families: Lessons from the Field*. Thousand Oaks, Ca: Sage Publications. Reviewed for *Child and Family Social Work*, 2001, 6:195-196..

A Guide to Community-Based Clinical Interventions for Youth with Serious Emotional Disorders. Book proposal by B. J. Burns, K. Hoagwood, & M. English. Reviewed for Oxford University Press, Spring, 1998.

Children with Prenatal Alcohol and/or Other Drug Exposure: Weighing the Risks of Adoption by Susan B. Edelstein. (1995). Washington, D. C.: Child Welfare League of America Press. Reviewed for Journal of Applied Social Sciences, January 1996.

The Welfare of Children by D. Lindsey. Reviewed for Columbia University Press, October, 1992.

Child Welfare for the 1990's: Integrating Practice and Policy. Reviewed for Sage Publications, Inc., March, 1992.

Tapping the Dreams of All Our Children by D. Lindsey. Reviewed for D. Lindsey, August, 1991.

Ethical Decisions for Social Work Practice by F. Loewenberg and R. Dolgoff, 3rd edition. Reviewed for Peacock Publisher for 4th edition, August, 1989.

How to Reduce the Risk: Healthy Functioning Families for Adoptive and Foster Children by J. S. Cohen and A. Westhues. Reviewed for University of Toronto Press, Fall, 1988.

INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITY

- 2009 Consultant, Holt International-Guatemala. Provided training on negative effects of institutionalization on child, child assessment, permanency planning and team building to child welfare professionals in Zacapa.
- 2008 Consultant, UNICEF-Better Care Network. Developed a series of advocacy and information briefs on foster care, deinstitutionalization, domestic adoption, kinship care, kafala, HIV/AIDS and children in emergencies.
- 2007-2008 Consultant, UNICEF-Guatemala. Provided assessment, technical assistance and training on family preservation, domestic adoption, domestic foster care, and international adoption at the policy and program level; make recommendations at the system level for improving the child welfare/child protection system. Was the inaugural speaker/trainer for building skills in working with child and families in child welfare as part of Guatemala implementing the Hague and the Convention on the Rights of Children.
- 2005-2007 Technical Advisor, Ministry of Children Youth and Sports, Kiev Ukraine. Provided technical assistance, training and consultation on domestic adoption, domestic foster care, and international adoption at the policy and program level; made recommendations at the system level for improving the child welfare/child protection system. Role was part of a USAID project awarded to Holt International Children's Services.
- 2005 Trainer and Technical Advisor. Trained Social Workers on conducting case reviews in Bistrita, **Romania**. Provided technical assistance on developing a family therapy program and services. Collaborated with Ovidiu Gavrilovici from the University of Iasi.
- 2003 Researcher. Pilot tested adoption questionnaire previously used in adoption research in India, Romania and the U. S. in Bergen, Norway. In-depth pilot interviews conducted with Norwegian families who adopted from India in Bergen and Oslo, **Norway**.
- 2003 Trainer and Technical Advisor. Trained Social Workers on behavior management techniques to use with Romanian foster families in Bistrita, **Romania**. Provided technical assistance in program evaluation and logic modeling to a program providing services to families with children with HIV/AIDS. Collaborated with Fundatia Inocenti/Romania Children's Relief in Bistrita and Alaturi de voi in Iasi .
- 2002 Trainer and Technical Advisor. Trained Social Workers and disseminated research conducted the previous year on Romanian foster families in Bistrita, **Romania**. Provided technical assistance on developing a foster parent advisory group. Collaborated with Fundatia Inocenti/Romania Children's Relief.
- 2001 Researcher. Conducted research on Indian families who adopted Indian children in Pune, **India**. Role: Project Leader. Collaborated with Bharatiya Samaj Seva Kendra (BSSK) to provide technical assistance and conduct interviews with families. This project was part of my sabbatical.
- 2001 Researcher and Project Leader. Conducted research/program evaluation on families who are

- fostering Romanian children in Bistrita, **Romania**. Project included graduate students and collaborating with Fundatia Inocenti/Romania Children's Relief to conduct interviews with families.
- 2000 Trainer and Project Leader. Trained Social Workers and disseminated research conducted the previous year on Romanian Families who Adopted Romanian Children in Bucharest & Constanta, **Romania**. Project included graduate students, alums, and collaborating with Holt International to provide training and technical assistance.
- 2000 Project Leader. Conducted key informant interviews in order to develop an agency-university partnership in child welfare research. Project included graduate students, alums, and collaborating with the National Organization for the Prevention of Child Abuse in **Belize**, Central America.
- 1999 Project Leader. Trained Social Workers and conducted research on Romanian families who adopted Romanian children in Bucharest & Constanta, **Romania**. Project included graduate students, alums, and collaborating with Holt International to provide training, technical assistance, and conduct interviews with families.
- 1999 Trainer and Technical Advisor. Lectured and provided technical assistance on curriculum development, presented at Helwan University, Cairo, **Egypt**, February 15-26. Also, was ambassador from CWRU to further explore building a university-to-university partnership.
- 1998 Trainer and Project Leader. Trained Social Workers and Conducted Research on Street Children of Romania in Bucharest, **Romania**. Project included graduate students, alums, and collaborating with medical school faculty to provide training, technical assistance, and conduct interviews with key informants and street children.
- 1997 Project Leader. Conducted Community Assessment of Issue for Women and Children with or at-risk of HIV/AIDS in Iasi, **Romania**. Project included graduate students, recent alum, and collaboration with medical school faculty to conduct interviews with key informants and pregnant women.
- 1996 Project Co-Leader. Asset Mapping of Communities, Fundraising for local Nongovernmental Agencies in Child Welfare, and Lecturing on Adoption Outcomes of Children Adopted from Romania to the United States. Project included a dozen graduate students, recent alums, and community volunteers. Project involved traveled throughout the entire country of **Romania**.
- 1995 Consultant and Trainer. Trained on assessing and strengthening families, held in Bucharest and Iasi, **Romania**, in collaboration with Holt International and the University of Iasi. Project included graduate students from Case Western Reserve University and a recent alum of the program.
- 1994 Consultant and Trainer. Trained on assessing and strengthening families, held in Bucharest, **Romania**, in collaboration with Holt International. Project included graduate students from Case Western Reserve University.
- 1993 Co-Director and Trainer. Curriculum Development Project in Romania (CDROM), located in

Oradea and Iasi, **Romania**. Project included graduate students from the University of Iowa, bachelor level graduates from the University of Oklahoma, a graduate student from Case Western Reserve University, Social Work faculty members from universities around the country, and one community volunteer. We developed curriculum, taught the trainers (university professors and students) and distributed thousands of social work and psychology books to universities throughout the country.

1992 Consultant and Trainer. Assisted in child welfare planning by assessing children and developing program recommendations in Videle and Suceava, **Romania**. Collaborated with the Rocky Mountain Adoption Exchange and the Ministry for the Handicapped. . Project included social work graduate students from the University of Iowa.

1991 Consultant and Trainer. Assisted in child welfare planning by assessing children and developing program recommendations in Videle, **Romania**. Collaborated with the Rocky Mountain Adoption Exchange and the Ministry for the Handicapped. Project included social workers from the community.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- 2007 to current Grace F. Brody Professor in Parent-Child Studies, inaugural chair.
- 2000 to current Professor, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University.
Graduate courses: Adoption Practice & Policy, Family Systems Intervention, Child Welfare Practice, Social Work with Groups, International Travel and Study
- 2002 to 2005 Chair, Doctoral Program, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University.
Responsible to provide leadership, administration and coordination in the planning of the Doctoral Program. Administration of doctoral budget related to doctoral fellowships, tuition waiver, mentorship program, and doctoral training colloquia. Supervision of administrative staff. Involved in creating and implementing the Strategic Plan for the Doctoral Program.
- 1993 to 2000 Associate Professor, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University. Tenured 1996.
Graduate courses: Family Systems Intervention, Child Welfare Practice, International Travel and Study
- 1998 to 2001 Associate Dean of Research and Training, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University (Interim from 1998-2000, permanent Spring 2000)
Responsible to provide leadership, administration and coordination in the planning of research and training programs. Administration of discretionary budget related to research development, year-long seminar on methodology, budget review and approval for external government funding, and oversight of Human Subjects Review process. Work with faculty to locate consultants or technical assistance for their proposals.
Supervision of Director/Coordinator of Research & Training and administrative staff.
- 1995 to 1998 Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University.
Administration of discretionary budgets related to faculty research development, curriculum development, and the international committee. Responsible to coordinate the planning of curriculum in full time, part time and intensive semester weekend program, curriculum development, research development, and overall functioning of the academic programs. Negotiate faculty workload and deployment including hiring, training and monitoring of adjunct faculty. Directly responsible for Master's Program, Doctoral Program, Field Education Program, Library Services and Computer Services/System Support.
Supervision of Director of Library Services, Director of Field Education, Director of Doctoral Program, Director of Intensive Semester Program, and administrative staff.

1988 to 1992 Assistant Professor, School of Social Work, University of Iowa. Graduate Advisor & Chair of the Practice Sequence (1988-1992)

Graduate Courses: Fundamentals of Social Work Practice (offered through distance learning), Social Work Research, Advanced Social Work Research, Interpersonal Communication and Change, Social Work Practice in Interdisciplinary Settings (offered through distance learning).

Undergraduate

Courses: Practice I, Practice II

Combined Graduate
& Undergraduate

Courses: Interpersonal Skills Laboratory, Getting a Grant in the 90s.

1987 to 1988 Visiting Assistant Professor, School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma. Work with graduate and undergraduate admissions committee as well as ad hoc committees as needed.

Graduate Courses: Research Methods I & II, Family Therapy, Integrative Seminar for Advanced Practicum, Practicum I & II (Field liaison).

Undergraduate

Courses: Research Methods I & II

1985 to 1987 Instructor, Department of Sociology, University of Oklahoma. Sole teaching responsibilities for courses from 1985-1987; assisted in teaching 1984-1985. Computer consultant for graduate students and faculty 1985-1987.

Undergraduate

Courses: Social Problems, Introduction to Sociology

1984 to 1985 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Oklahoma. Sole teaching responsibilities for courses from 1985-1987; assisted in teaching 1984-1985. Computer consultant for graduate students and faculty 1985-1987.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

1993-current Consulting Practice (Groza Consulting & Adoption PARTNERS LLC)

1988.1992 Four Oaks, 5400 Kirkwood Blvd, Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Contract staff (10% time): Administrative duties included grant development, program development and program evaluation. Clinical duties included group and family therapy for latency age children in residential treatment, and for adolescent sex offenders.

1985-1988 *Lodestar Center, 101 W. Main, Moore, Oklahoma 73160*

Adolescent Program Coordinator(3/4 time): Administrative duties include supervision of clinical staff and Practicum students, program development, training and coordination of

services. Clinical duties include individual, group, family and multi-family therapy.

1984-1985 *Project Adopt*
1613 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73103

Supervision counselor (contract work): Duties included supervision of families adopting special needs children and completion of home studies for potential adopting families.

1982-1984 *Hope Community Services, Inc.*
4500 S. May, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Substance Abuse Counselor: Administrative duties included program planning and development, community outreach, and public relations. Clinical duties included individual, group, family and marital therapy for adult and adolescent clients in a day hospital and outpatient setting. Hotline worker for statewide telephone lines of rape, domestic violence, and substance abuse. Provided crisis intervention, information and referral to appropriate resources in communities.

1978-1982 *Shadow Mountain Institute*
6262 S. Sheridan, Tulsa, Oklahoma

Treatment Planning Coordinator: Administrative duties included program evaluation, program planning and development, public relations, coordination of services between hospital and education, expressive therapies, and psychology departments, and supervision of Practicum students and volunteers. Clinical duties included individual, group and family therapy for hospitalized adolescents.

Senior Psychiatric Technician: Administrative duties included program planning and development and supervision of psychiatric technicians. Clinical duties included individual and group therapy for hospitalized adolescents.

CONSULTING CONTRACTS

2008-current Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services
2008-current Adoption Network Cleveland
1997-current Bellefaire Jewish Children's Bureau, Adoption Center
1994-2006 Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services, Adoption Unit
1992-2000 Northeast Ohio Adoption Services, Warren, OH
1992-1999 National Resource Center for Family Based Services, Iowa City, IA
1994-1998 Summit County Children and Family Services, Kellogg Initiative

1991-1992 Institute for Social and Economic Development, Iowa City, IA

1988-1993 Four Oaks, Cedar Rapids, IA

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Association of Social Workers
Society for Social Work Research

HONORS, ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

United Way Certificate of Appreciation for Leadership, Adoption Initiative, December 2003.

Adoption Triad Advocate of the Year Award, Adoption Network, Cleveland, OH, 1996

Volunteer Award, Rocky Mountain Adoption Exchange, Denver, CO, 1991-1992

PSI CHI member, University of Tulsa, Tulsa, OK, 1978

SERVICE ACTIVITIES—Journals (date first asked to review)

REVIEWER Pediatric Psychology, 2009-current
REVIEWER Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal, 2008-current
REVIEWER Adoption Quarterly, 2007-current
REVIEWER Journal of Community Practice, 2006-current
REVIEWER Social Service Review, 2006-current
REVIEWER American Journal of Orthopsychiatry, 2005-current
REVIEWER Research on Social Work Practice, 2005-current
REVIEWER Journal of Immigrant Health, 2005-current
REVIEWER Nonprofit Management and Leadership, 2005-current
REVIEWER Developmental Psychopathology, 2004-current
REVIEWER Child Welfare, 2001-current
REVIEWER Developmental Psychology, 2000-current
REVIEWER Children and Youth Services Review, 1986-current
REVIEWER Social Work Research, 2002-2004
REVIEWER Family Relations, 1997-2003
REVIEWER Journal of Applied Social Sciences, 1993-2001
REVIEWER Adoption Quarterly, 1999-2001
REVIEWER Families in Society, 1991-2001

Advisory Board National Child Welfare Resource Center on Adoption, Evidence Based
Research Practice Consortium, 2005-current

Advisory Board Romanian Children's Relief/Fundatia Inocenti, 2000-current

Advisory Board Innovations in Service Delivery and Practice with Vulnerable Populations,
Oxford University Press, 1995-2002

Advisory Board Research Advisory Committee, The Evan B. Donaldson Adoption Institute,
New York 1997-current

Board of Editors	<u>Adoption Quarterly</u> , 2007-current <u>Review of Research and Social Intervention</u> , 2006-current <u>Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health</u> , 2006-current <u>Children and Youth Services Review</u> , 1992-current
Proposal Review	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC), February 2007
Proposal Review	European Science Foundation, France, Closed Institutions for Children and Young People – A Comparative European Research Project, June 2006
Proposal Review	Nuffield Foundation, England, Longitudinal Study of Hard to Place Children and their families, September 2002

REVIEWS OF BOOK-- Clinical and Practice Issues in Adoption

Affilia, Spring 2001, 119-121.

Decree, American Adoption Congress, Fall 2000, 8-9.

Adoption Quarterly, 1999, 3(1): 76-79.

REVIEWS OF BOOK-- A Peacock or a Crow

Adoption Quarterly, 1999, 3(2):95-96.

Adopted Child Newsletter (September, 1999).

REVIEWS OF BOOK-- Successful Adoptive Families

Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal (August 2003, pages 315-316)

Adoption Quarterly (Summer 1998, 98-100).

Social Services Review (September 1997, Volume 71, No. 3, pp. 498-501).

Wisconsin Bookwatch (March 1996).

Adopted Child Newsletter (July 1996).

Choice (September 1996).

Adoption UK (August 1996).

Readings: A Journal of Reviews and Commentary in Mental Health (March 1997).

MEDIA REPORTS

Victor Groza—changing live of children...one country at a time. <http://blog.case.edu/case-news/2008/04/03/orphans>

Child Welfare: A Global Crusade. Fall 2007. Case Magazine, featured article.

Case Prof helping abandoned children abroad find families. May 16, 2006. The Plain Dealer.

Adoptions: New focus on size of families. March 27, 2006. The Plain Dealer.

How the Internet changed adoption. January 21, 2006. The Seattle Times.

Overseas adoptions have a somber side. (September 15, 2005). *USA Today*.

Adoptions Don't Always Pan Out. (July 6, 2003). *Pittsburg Post Gazette*, <http://www.post-gazette.com/localnews/20030706brokenadoptionsreg2p2.asp> .

Home for the Holidays: Celebrating Christmas with your Newly Adopted Child. (December, 2002). *Iparenting Adoption* (<http://iparentingadoption.com/resources/articles/newlyadopted.htm>).

The Outcome of A Study of Indian Families Adoption Indian Children. (October, 2002). *Anubandh: House Magazine of Bharativa Samajeva Kendra, Pune, India*.

Romanian Adoption: The Struggle Continues. (September, 2001). *Adoption Today*.

Eastern European orphans met with open arms. (August 4, 2001). *Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

How well do adopted children fair in their families? (January/February 2001). *Holt International Families Magazine*.

Overwhelmed Families dissolve adoptions. (August 14, 2000). *Washington Post-Gazette*.

Reaching the Breaking Point. (November/December, 1999). *Adoptive Families*.

From Romania, a lesson in resilience. (September 13, 1999). *U. S. News & World Report*.

Children who respond to adversity with resilience have common traits. (June, 1999). *Adopted Child Newsletter*.

Mitigating the Effects of Institutionalization: Factors in Adoptive Families that Make a Difference. (May/June 1999). *Adoptive Families*.

Gay Foster Parenting Study Dispels Doubt. (January 26, 1999). *The Chronicle*.

Today's Orphans: Someone to Love. (November, 1998). *Avenues Magazine*.

Families in Crisis: When Foreign Adoption Goes Wrong. (November, 1998). *Cleveland Today Magazine*.

Richmond Heights mom nurtures Romanian ties for adopted sons. (September 6, 1998). *The Plain Dealer*.

Attachment Theory: The Ultimate Experiment. (May 24, 1998). *The New York Times Magazine*. [Reprinted in *Adoptive Magazine*, volume 31, numbers 4 & 5].

Family's Adoption Breaks Barriers. (April 2, 1998). *The Medina County Gazette*.

Building Family Ties. (January 31, 1998). *Newsday* (Nassau Edition).

An Abuse Case Leaves 2 Adopted Girls in Limbo. (October 12, 1997). *The New York Times on the Web*.

To parents, adoption is worth the costs. (October 6, 1997). *The Plain Dealer*.

International adoptions: can love beat the odds. (March 22, 1997). *Woman's Day*.

Into the Heart of Darkness. (October 20, 1996). *The Spokesman-Review*.

Survey Shows Romanian Adoptees Doing Well. (Winter, 1996). *Friend of the Court Newsletter*.

When Children Adopted Overseas Come With Too Many Troubles. (June 23, 1996). *The New York Times*.

The unique challenges of overseas adoptions. (June 23, 1996). *Sunday Press-Telegram*.

Adoptions with unhappy ending. (June 23, 1996). *San Jose Mercury News*.

28 MSASS volunteers head to Romania. (June 13, 1996). *CWRU Campus News*.

When love is not enough. (August 17, 1996). *The Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

Successful siblings. (November 2, 1995). *Burlington County Register News*.

Institutionalized children have problems, show progress after adoption. (November, 1995). *Adopted Child Newsletter*.

And baby makes 3, at last. (September 14, 1995). *The Des Moines Register*.

Were these parents told the truth when they were sold their son? (September 1995). *Marie Claire*.

Progress Report. (August, 1995). *CWRU Alumni Magazine*.

Most adopted Romanian youths doing well in U. S., study finds. (August 5, 1995). *The Virginian-Pilot and Ledger-Star*.

When love can't conquer all. (May 28, 1995). *The Atlanta Journal/The Atlanta Constitution*.

Children bear legacy of bias, neglect. (May 1, 1995). *The Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

Groze airs Romanian orphan situation on national TV. (March, 1995). *CWRU Campus News*.

Florence native on national TV: News program looks at Romanian adoptions. (March 29, 1995). *The Burlington County Times*.

CBS video crew to visit CWRU. (January 26, 1995). *The Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

MSASS students aid Romanians. (December 15, 1994). *CWRU Campus News*.

Spirit inspires social workers. (September 4, 1994). *The Morning Journal*.

Bridges to Eastern Europe: Case Western Reserve University sets up an extensive array of programs in the region. (June 1, 1994). *The Chronicle of Higher Education*.

Special-needs adoptions require special attention. (March 3, 1994). *CWRU Campus News*.

International LINK. (1994). *CWRU Campus News*.

Special Success. (February, 1994). *CWRU Alumni Magazine*.

UI social workers help Romanian kids. (March 9, 1993). *The Daily Iowan*.

First Book Published. (June 25, 1992). *Burlington County Register News*.

UI team to help Romanian children. (May 1, 1992). *The Daily Iowan*.

Adopted kids adopt to families: Study. (December 22, 1991). *The Cedar Rapids Gazette*.

Romanian children. (December 7, 1991). *Iowa City Press Citizen*.

Groze is back from Romania. (October 17, 1991). *Burlington County Register News*.

Group sees handicapped victims of Romanian rule. (August 23, 1991). *The Cedar Rapids Gazette*.

Team turns to forgotten children. (August 10, 1991). *Iowa City Press Citizen*.

Professor to assess Romanian child welfare system (June 25, 1991). *The Daily Iowan*.

Iowans to aid Romanian children. (June 22, 1991). *The Cedar Rapids Gazette*.

Iowans going to Romania to help children. (June 21, 1991). *Mount Pleasant News*.

4 head to Romania to help abandoned children. (June 21, 1991). *Iowa City Press Citizen*.

Annual AIDS conference scheduled for April 24-25. (March 14, 1991). *Waterloo Courier*.

Adoption good for abused children. (November 17, 1990). *Iowa City Press Citizen*.

Spelman Rockefeller grants awarded for child research. (April 15, 1990). *The Cedar Rapids Gazette*.

Desperately seeking families. (December, 1989). *North Star*, Volume 1, Number 6.

Wanted: Adoptive Parents for Special Kids. (Fall 1989). *Spectator*, Volume 23, Number 1.

Singles Wanted. (July 1989). *Iowa Alumni Review*.

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