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BIO

Desiree Scott is a skilled Facilitator and Coach with two deep desires; to help people understand self-care as well as help them develop and understand effective interpersonal communications skills and its impact in developing healthy relationships.

For over 20 years, Desiree has been both a Facilitator and a Life Skills Coach. She has conducted and developed a multitude of trainings with topics ranging from cultural competency, diversity, inclusion and equity, communication skills, job readiness, conflict resolution, self-care, team building, personal goal planning and relationships. Through these trainings she has helped people strengthen their ability to improve their self-care, navigate through workplace dynamics, understand the importance in DEI in executive management as well as within teams and develop sharper communication skills.

Professional Background:

Currently, Desiree is the Assistant Regional Director of Staff Development for Merakey and is responsible for both New Staff Orientation training and other regulatory trainings in Philadelphia and its surrounding suburbs, New Jersey, and Delaware and Virginia. Prior to her current position, Desiree held training positions at Devereux, CATCH (Citizens Acting Together Can Help), SPIN, American Works, Home Front Women's Transitional Housing Program and Wordsworth.

She continues conduct trainings; by request within the community, with a focus on self-care as well as healthy relationships. She has a bachelor's degree in Psychology and an MBA in Global Management. Desiree is currently working on a Speaker Professional and Executive Coaching certifications.

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