

ANDREA OCAMPO

Andrea Ocampo, MS, has a Master's Degree in Clinical Psychology and extensive experience in trauma-focused assessment and treatments, mental health intervention programs for depression, psychological interventions with underprivileged populations, prevention and promotion of mental health, and child, adolescent, and family therapy. As a DEI specialist at UCLA, Andrea combines her passion for helping children develop resilience with advocating for more inclusive care, programs, and policies. In her current role at the National Center for Child Traumatic Stress, she supports and coordinates the implementation of trauma-informed practices in child welfare and integrated-care settings nationwide. Ms. Ocampo supports the implementation of antiracist, socio-culturally, and linguistically responsive evidence-based practices and products. Also, Ms. Ocampo managed and served as a cultural expert in a multi-site SAMHSA grant with UCLA, the American Academy of Pediatrics, and the University of Massachusetts Medical School that educate pediatricians about childhood trauma and resilience; The Pediatric Approach to Trauma Treatment and Resilience (PATTeR) Project. Andrea is also an international trainer and assists with developing, implementing, and utilizing the Transformational Collaborative Outcomes Management (TCOM) framework and the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS) tool in mental health systems. Andrea provided training and technical assistance on the TCOM tools and in evaluating children's systems of care with child welfare and mental health agencies, primarily in Colombia and California. Andrea moved to the United States from Costa Rica, where she worked for four years as a director of Psychology Services for a Health Clinic of the government of Costa Rica in a marginal, urban community. There, she had the opportunity to develop a comprehensive clinical program while treating numerous patients with different psychopathologies ranging from children to seniors.

