

Sigal Pilpel

Education	2006 - 2007	Bar Ilan University	Ramat Gan, Israel
	PAIRS Facilitator <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Certified as PAIRS (Practical Application of Intimate Relationship Skill) group facilitator▪ Certified in treatment of couples and families		
	1992 - 1996	Hebrew University	Jerusalem, Israel
	B. S. W. <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Practical training as mediator between divorced couples▪ Practical training as instructor of mentally retarded children		
Professional Experience	2009 – 2010	“Atid Hadash” Corp.	Haifa, Israel
	Manager, “Kochav Hatsafon” Hostel for the Mentally Ill <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Supervising other social workers and workers in the hostel▪ Creating weekly / monthly schedules, managing hostel finances / appointments with outside bodies, etc.▪ Work in addition to previous appointment		
	2007 – 2010	“Atid Hadash” Corp.	Haifa, Israel
	Social Worker, “Kochav Hatsafon” Hostel for the Mentally Ill <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Creating rehabilitation plan: finding work, coordinating medical supervision, etc. for hostel residents▪ Communication with residents’ families▪ Communication with residents’ workplace, school, psychiatrists, etc.		
	2000 - 2005		New York, NY, USA
	Caretaker, Families with Special Needs Children <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Daily care and treatment of families with autistic, retarded, and other special needs children▪ Made daily use of professional experience accumulated during studies and previous work		

1999 - 2000 Heart and Minds New York, NY, USA

Personnel Manager, “Hearts & Minds” Non-Profit Organization

- NPO deals with connecting clients to relevant help organizations (legal, medical, etc.)
- Interviewed and classified clients and volunteers according to their needs or skills
- Managed the NPO’s database
- General office work

Languages

Native Hebrew speaker

Excellent English speaker

Basic understanding of Spanish

Military Service

1989 - 1991 Israeli Defense Forces Israel

Sergeant, Israeli Navy

Other Skills

Expert user of MS Office software (Word, Excel, Powerpoint, etc.)

Computer and Internet literate

Referees

William (Bill) Blackman, founder, “Hearts and Minds”

Yael Belkind-Eran, manager, “Kochav Hatsafon” Hostel

(Letters of recommendation available upon request)