

Maria Isabel Rodriguez

Education

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN- MILWAUKEE
Completed three years
Graduate of South Division High School

Professional Experience

January, 1995 - Present
Resident Services Manager
Housing Authority of the City of Milwaukee
Develop and administer procedures and programs to implement youth and family programs which address the issues of education, employment, social services, health and recreation. Monitor service contracts with outside agencies. Supervise resident service staff.

May, 1992 – December, 1994
Staff Assistant to Mayor John Norquist
City of Milwaukee
Responsible for the communication of Mayor's agenda and programs; determine how they affected community groups or organizations. Served as Mayor's liaison to city department, community boards and committees.

July, 1990 to April, 1992
Executive Director
City of Milwaukee Election Commission
Coordinated elections and maintained voter registration records for the City of Milwaukee. Responsible for the 1991 Redistricting of City Wards.

September, 1985 to June, 1990
Community Service Director
Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin, Region 6
Responsible for public affairs, public relations, community education, and fundraising in a four county area.

December, 1983 to August, 1985
Administrative Assistant
Governor Earl's Milwaukee Offices
Responsible for constituent relations and represented the Governor's office at various public functions.

1981 to 1983
Advocacy Coordinator
Social Development Commission
Advocated for basic essential services for area residents. Responsible for emergency housing, emergency food and youth programs.

1979 to 1981
Program Coordinator
West Side Community Center
Responsible for planning and implementation of educational and recreational

programs for children and adults.

1972 to 1979

Program Director

Latin American Union for Civil Rights

**Administered a program designed to provide educational and remedial service:
for migrant
and monolingual Spanish speaking children.**

**Volunteer
Activities**

Milwaukee County Care Management Organization Appointed 2006- Present

Benedict Center 2009- Present

Women's Fund of Greater Milwaukee Board, 2003 – 2008,

Founder Latinas en Acción Fund 2008

Non-Profit Center Board, 1999 – 2003

Felix Mantilla Little League Board, 1990 - 2004

Today's Girls Tomorrow's Women Board, 1985 –2002

Latina en Acción of Milwaukee Member, 1983 – Present

16th Street Community Health Clinic Board, 1982 – 2003

United Way Volunteer, 1979 – Present Served on various panels and committee

MICAH Board, 1998 – 2000

Child Abuse Prevention Fund Committee, 1993 - 1996

Bruce Guadalupe Community School Board, 1986 – 1995

Milwaukee Area Health Education Center Board, 1992 – 1994

City Service Commission Member, 1988 – 1990

United Community Center Board 1985-1991

Honors

UMOS State Hispanic Woman of the Year, 1989

US Postal Service Award – 1999, “Women Putting a Stamp On Milwaukee”

Volunteer of the Year – 1992, 16th Street Community Health Clinic

Women Fund Lynde B.Uihlein Award for Community Service 2009