

Language to introduce

**Coop Di Leu's
Triple-P & Family Intervention Services**

“Transformation Begins Within”

Did You Know?

Drs. Shirlene and Ken “Dr. Coop” Coopwood have worked in the child and family serving field for over 35 years.

Dr. S. Coopwood began her career as a high school Math and Science teacher. Her passion for helping youths holistically and beyond academics was ignited, and she started her counseling journey. She has worked across family service sectors throughout her career, serving as a school counselor, social service administrator, on state and national boards related to children’s behavioral health, child welfare, and juvenile justice. She served as a Guardian Ad Litem for twelve years in Greensboro, NC. Her footprint extends beyond the state level to Belize where she had a rich career in youth and family service. She is a Nationally Certified Counselor, Mental Health Facilitator, Master Trainer, Mental Health First AID Instructor, and Certified in Effective College Teaching. As a tenured Counseling Educator, Dr. “SCoop,” as youth and families affectionately call her, instructs the next generation of counselors for the state of North Carolina.

Dr. K. Coopwood began working with peer youth at fourteen in Gary, Indiana, and was a supervisory trainee within the Gary Manpower Project. His love for service to individuals grew from this experience, as did his work throughout the city with his family on residential restoration projects. His early-career work focused on family education planning, youth development, mentoring, and life skills. His interest in holistic education afforded him a dual career as an intervention consultant and program facilitator while serving as an administrator in higher education. He has worked in nationally recognized family and youth prevention programs such as Youth For Tomorrow, Strengthening Families, and Brother To Brother since 2005. He is now a Triple P-Positive Parenting Program Practitioner working with partners in state, county, and local administrations to support building system capacity for strengthening families.

“Dr. Coop” and “Dr. SCoop” make a warm and competent team of approachable, spiritual, and family-oriented experts. They are active community members serving the local women’s shelter, parents, and young men in Mecklenburg County.