

# **Debbie Murad**

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Adjunct Assistant Professor with expertise in intersectionality of intimate partner violence, trauma, substance abuse, and mental health.

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## **Biography**

LILIAN MURAD is part of the adjunct faculty and teaches courses on domestic violence and clinical practice. She maintains a private practice and serves as a clinical consultant for social service agencies in the Los Angeles area.

Murad has been involved in the domestic violence movement for more than 20 years. A licensed clinical social worker, she is an active member of the social justice-focused Southern California Women's Council with the National Association of Social Workers. Her area of expertise includes the intersectionality of intimate partner violence, trauma, and co-occurring substance abuse and mental health issues. Her professional experience includes managing domestic violence programs, providing addiction treatment, and developing and implementing unique services.

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## **Industry Expertise**

Training and Development, Mental Health Care, Health Care - Providers, Health and Wellness, Health Care - Services, Education/Learning

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Social Work Education, Trauma, Substance Abuse, Mental Health, Partner Violence, Social Work

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## **Education**

**University of Southern California**  
M.S.W.

**Pitzer College**  
B.A.

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