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Anat Zeira Curriculum Vitae

Education	
1978 - 1981	B.A. in Social Work, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
1982 - 1986	M.A. (with honors) in Social Work, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
1988 - 1996	Ph.D. The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
1996 - 1997	Post doc, Graduate School of Social Work, Boston College
Academic P	ositions
1997 - 2002	Lecturer, School of Social Work, The Hebrew University
2003 - 2009	Senior Lecturer, School of Social Work, The Hebrew University
2009 - 2013	Associate Professor, School of Social Work, The Hebrew University
2013 -	Full Professor, School of Social Work, The Hebrew University
Other Positi	ions at the Hebrew University
1997 - 2000	Head, the Paul Baerwald School of Social Work Alumni Association.
2004 - 2008	Head, BSW Program, School of Social Work
2004 - 2008	Chair, Admissions Committee, School of Social Work
2004 - 2008	Member, Central Admissions Committee
2004 - 2009	Member, Scholarship and Prizes Committee, School of Social Work
2005 - 2006	Coordinator, the self evaluation report for the Israeli National Council
	for Higher Education (MALAG).
2010 - 2014	Chair, Teaching Committee, School of Social Work
2010 - 2014	Member, Teaching and Learning Committee (NAHAL)
2010 - 2014	Member, Screening Committee, School of Social Work
2010 -	Member, Development Committee, School of Social Work
2012 - 2016	Chair, Board of Directors, Maiersdorf Faculty Club
2016 - 2021	Head, the Senior Academic Faculty Union at the Hebrew University
Othor Publi	c and Academic Positions
1981 - 1987	Parliamentary Assistant, specializing in social policy
1981 - 1987	Clinical consultant and board member, "Shilo" - a pregnancy advisory
1984 - 1987	Parliamentary Coordinator, the International Center for Peace in the
1904 - 1907	Middle-East
2003 - 2011	Member, Israel Council of Social Work
2003 - 2011	Member, National Registration Committee, Ministry of Welfare
2012 - 2021	Head of Research and Evaluation, Haruv Institute
2017 - 2021	Chair, Social Work Degrees and Academic Institutions Committee,
	Israel Council of Social Work
2020 -	Chair. The Coordinating Council of the Faculty Associations in Israel

Organization of Conferences and Workshops

2008	Scientific Board Member - The X th EUSARF international conference:
	Assessing the evidence-base of intervention for vulnerable children and
	their families. Padova, Italy, March 26-29, 2008
2013 - 2019	Scientific Chair (annually) - International PhD students' workshop on
	child maltreatment, Haruv Institute, Jerusalem
10/2013	Scientific Chair - Child and youth care research and training:
	Challenges and opportunities. The Halbert Centre for Canadian
	Studies, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
10/2015	Scientific Chair - Child maltreatment in context: The 1st Haruv
	international conference on child maltreatment, Jerusalem
6/2017	Scientific Chair - The first Mediterranean summit on child protection
	and child well-being, Tirana, Albania
12/2017	Scientific Chair, Child maltreatment in context: The 2 nd Haruv
	international conference on child maltreatment, Jerusalem
5/2019	Scientific Chair - The Haruv USA summit on child abuse and neglect,
	Tulsa, OK
6/2020	Scientific Chair - Child maltreatment in context: The 3 rd Haruv
	international conference on child maltreatment, Jerusalem
1/2023	Scientific Chair - Integrating theoretical and methodological aspects in
	longitudinal studies of care leavers. ISF international workshop,
	Jerusalem.

Service in Other Academic and Research Institutes

2001 - 2003	Visiting Scholar, Graduate School of Social Work, Boston College
2/2009	Visiting Scholar, Fondazione E. Zancan. Padova, Italy
2/2012	Visiting Scholar, Fondazione E. Zancan. Padova, Italy
4-5/2016	Visiting Scholar, Hunter College, NY
9/2016	Visiting Scholar, Osaka City University, Osaka, Japan

Grants (last 10 years)

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2011 - 2014	Higher education without family support. Jacobs Foundation
	(€292,000)
2012 - 2014	Transition to adulthood of care leavers in Israel: Follow-up study.
	Israel Science Foundation (159,000 IS)
2012 - 2015	The impact of National Civil Service from the perspective of youth
	at- risk. Ministry of Science and Technology (346,340 IS)
2012 - 2015	Transnational academic careers in child and youth welfare. EU
	TEMPUS (€965,831)
2013	Child and youth care research and training: Challenges and
	opportunities. The Halbert Centre for Canadian Studies (\$12,000)
2016 - 2020	Alumni of youth villages: A follow up study. Israel Ministry of
	Education (390,000 IS)

2018 - 2021	From adolescence to adulthood: Following care leavers' outcomes
	and trajectories. Israel Science Foundation (272,072 IS)
2022	The cycle of child maltreatment. The Halbert Centre for Canadian
	Studies (\$12,000)
2023	Integrating theoretical and methodological aspects in longitudinal
	studies of care leavers. Israel Science Foundation (70,000 IS)

Editorial Board Member

2001 - 2018	Child and Family Social Work
2003 - 2006	Social Work Research
2009	Vulnerable Children & Youth Studies- Guest editorial board member.
	Special issue of on improving outcomes of care alumni.
2015 -	International Journal of Child and Family Welfare

Reviews

Foundations

Israel Science Foundation; EMET; Israel Foundations Trustees; Czech National Science Foundation; Jacobs Foundation; Hong Kong National Research Grants Council.

Journals

Families in Society; British Journal of Social Work; Social Work; Child and Family Social Work; Evaluation and Program Planning; Social Service Review; Children and Youth Services Review; Journal of Children's Services; Society & Welfare (Hebrew); Mifgash (Hebrew); Social Security (Hebrew).

Memberships

- Licensed social worker (Israel)
- iaOBERfcs International Association for Outcome-based Evaluation and Research on Family and Children Services (Italy)
- ACRC Association of Children's Residential Centers (USA)

Teaching Advanced Students

Post doc	
2014	Mangold, Katharina: Continuity and discontinuity in the transition
	from care to adulthood.
2016	Oppenheim-Weller, Shani: Implementing Safe Care in Israel.
2018	Mor Salwo, Yifat: Secondary traumatic stress among care workers.
2023	Dal Ben, Anna: Children in out-of-home care.

Doctoral Degree Students

2008 - 2012	Dinisman, Tamar : Transition of young people from welfare r
	esidential care to independent living.

2011 - 2017 **Mor Salwo, Yifat**: Transition to higher education of vulnerable youth in Israel.

- 2016 2019 **Cohen, Ofra**: Children in emergency centers: Perceptions of their satisfaction and participation.
- 2022 **Eisa, Mais**: The backyard: Children from East Jerusalem who were removed from their homes.
- 2023 **Kovach, Lior**: Assessment of readiness to independent living of young people who graduated from the Youth Promotion Units (HILA) in Israel.

Master's Degree Students

- 2000 2001 **Haj-Yahia, Nassrin**: School violence in primary schools in Hertzelia district: Mapping the most dangerous times and places.
- 2003 2004 **Goldstein, Ayelet**: Parental functioning and child well being in families with multiple problems.
- 2005 2008 **Kaplan, Yehoshua**: Patterns of seeking professional help among ultra orthodox youth.
- 2005 2008 **Jacobson, Shlomo**: The relationship between deviation from religious norms and deviation from the state laws among ultra orthodox youth.
- 2006 2008 **Shapira, Smadar**: The state and well-being of children experiencing relocation due to their parents' duties in the Israeli Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
- 2007 2009 **Lasser, Tal**: Evaluation of group work with young Ethiopians in educational residential care settings.
- 2008 2009 **Avraham, Sharon**: The status of adults of grew up in youth villages.
- 2010 2011 **Tal, Adi**: The relationships between the characteristics of violence, the legal system and the sense of mastery among battered women in shelters.
- 2010 2012 **Zabari, Rowee**: Needs and readiness for independent living among Ultra-orthodox vulnerable youth.
- 2011 2012 **Houri, Yisca**: Needs and readiness for independent living among youth in Orthodox out-of-home settings.
- 2010 **Gabay, Naama**: Alumni of therapeutic residential facility: Their perceptions of its impact on their transition to adulthood.
- Mana, Shelly: The impact of the *Lamerchav* on the transition to adulthood from the perspective of its alumni.
- 2011 **Mashiach, Yoel**: The impact of military service on the transition to adulthood of vulnerable youth.
- 2011 **Kabada, Maritu**: Transition to independent living of young Ethiopians.
- Ben-Shitrit, Michal: Perception of motherhood among care givers in group homes.
- 2011 **Hershkowitz, Avigail:** Readiness to independent living: Perceptions of foster parents and youth.
- Noam-Rosenthal, Ayelet: Effective interventions with maltreated children with special needs.

2012 Rassner, Netta: High-risk adolescent girls in Israel: Characteristics, needs and services. 2014 **Admon Karen**: Professionals perceptions about mandatory reporting on children in the Ultra-Orthodox community. 2017 - 2019 **Dvori**, Mor: Aspects of distance and proximity in the perceptions of young people's concepts of risk and risky behaviors. 2019 **Shtark Tammy**: Evaluating BROSH - An intervention with families coping with mental health. 2018 - 2019 Goldfinger Chananel: The integration of alternative Ultra-Orthodox Yeshiva graduates in the job market. 2019 - 2021 Dikla Yagel: Identifying predictors of referring cases of maltreated children to exemption committees (VA'ADOT PTOR). Mezada Bochris: Echoes of mourning: The experience of loss and 2023coping strategies among people who lost their sibling in the events of October 7.

List of Publications

Ph.D. Thesis

1. **Zeira, A.** (1996). Explication of interventive principles based on the experience and practice wisdom of social workers. Jerusalem: The Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Advisor: Aaron Rosen.

Edited Journals

- 2. **Zeira, A.**, & Benbenishty, R. (2008). (Guest editors). Special issue on: Transition to adulthood of youth at-risk. *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work*.
- 3. **Zeira, A.**, & Auslander G. K. (2010). (Guest editors). Special issue on: Practice research in Israel. *Research on Social Work Practice*.
- 4. Brandon, M., McNamara, P., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2010). (Guest editors). Special issue on: *International Journal of Child and Family Welfare*.
- 5. **Zeira, A.**, Attar-Schwartz, S., & Benbenishty, R. (2012). (Guest editors). Special issue on: Children and youth in out-of-home placement in Israel. *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work*.

Edited Books

6. Fernandez, F., **Zeira, A.**, Canali, C., & Vecchiato, T. (2015). *Theoretical and empirical insights on child and family poverty - Cross national perspective*. NY: Springer.

Chapters in Collections

7. **Zeira, A.** (2002). Promoting self-evaluation of programs for children at risk and their families. In T. Vecchiato, A. Maluccio & C. Canali (Eds.). *Clients and*

- program perspectives on outcome evaluation in child and family services (pp 183-194). NY: Aldine de Gruyter.
- 8. **Zeira, A.** (2003). Promuovere autovalutazione in programmi per I minori a rischio e per le loro famiglie. In C. Canali, A. Maluccio & T. Vecchiato, (Eds.). *La valutazione di efficacia nei servizi persone* (pp 477-489). Padova, Italy: Fondazione "Emanuela Zancan" (Italian).
- 9. **Zeira, A.** (2005). Toward reunification: The development of community-based services for children at-risk in Israel. In C. Canali, A. Maluccio, & T. Vecchiato (Eds.). *La valutazione di outcome nei servizi per l'eta evolutiva e la famiglia* (pp 95-102). Padova, Italy: Fondazione "Emanuela Zancan" (Italian).
- 10. Berry, M. Brandon, M., Chaskin, R. Fernandez, E., Grietens, H. Lightburn, A., McNamara, P., Munford, R., Palacio-Quintin, E., Saunders, J., Warren-Adamson, C., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2007). Identifying sensitive outcomes of interventions in community-based centers. In M. Berry (Ed.). *Identifying essential elements of change* (pp 9-17). Leuven, Belgium: Acco.
- 11. **Zeira, A.** (2007). A case study of one Israeli family in deep distress: Small steps toward a sensitive outcome. In M. Berry (Ed.). *Identifying essential elements of change* (pp 103-112). Leuven, Belgium: Acco.
- 12. **Zeira, A.** (2009). Testing practice wisdom in child welfare. In S. Kamerman, S. Phipps, and A. Ben-Arieh (Eds.). *From child welfare to child well-being: An international perspective on knowledge in the service of making policy* (pp 49-63). NY: Springer.
- 13. Zeller, M., **Zeira, A.**, Koengeter, S., Benbenishty, R., & Schroer, W. (2009). Care leavers and their transition to adulthood: Comparative perspectives in Israel and Germany. In E. Grupper, J. Koch, and F. Peters (Eds.). *Challenges for child and youth care: A German-Israeli dialogue* (pp 141-161). Frankfurt: IGfH-Eigenverlag.
- 14. **Zeira**, **A.** (2010). Evaluating programs aimed at promoting child well-being: The case of local welfare agencies in Jerusalem. In J. A. Morell (Ed.). *Evaluation in the face of uncertainty* (pp 204-209). NY: The Guilford Press.
- 15. **Zeira, A.** (2011). The important place of professional relationship: A case study of an Israeli family. In A. Maluccio, C. Canali, T. Vecchiato, A. Lightburn, J. Aldgate, and W. Rose (Eds.). *Improving outcomes for children and families* (pp 166-177). London: Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- Dinisman, T., & Zeira, A. (2013). Transition to adulthood of adolescents in residential care: Their status and contributing factors to independent living. In E. Grupper & S. Romi (Eds.). Promoting children and adolescents at risk in Israel: Training programs and future development (pp 165-189). Ramat-Gan: Mofet. (Hebrew)
- 17. **Zeira, A.** (2014). Training social workers to understand and use evidence. In A. Shlonsky & R. Benbenishty (Eds.). *From evidence to outcomes in child welfare: An international reader* (pp 161-179). NY: Oxford University Press.
- 18. **Zeira, A.** (2015). Listening to young alumni of care in Israel: A brief note from research about successful transitions to adulthood. In Whittaker, J.K., Del Valle,

- J. & Holmes, L. (Eds.). *Therapeutic Residential care with children and youth: Identifying promising pathways to evidence-based international practice* (pp 203-212). London and Philadelphia: Jessica Kingsley Publishers
- 19. Mor Salwo, Y., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2016). The contribution of a key scenario to care leavers' transition to higher education. In P. Mendes & P. Snow (Eds.) *Young people transitioning from care: International research, policy and practice* (pp 155-172). UK: Palgrave MacMillan.
- 20. Schiff, M., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2016). Group Supervision in Social Work Field Education: The Perspective of Supervisors. In Taylor, I., Bogo, M., Lefevre, M., & Teater, B. (Eds.) *International handbook of social work education* (pp 254-262). Routledge.
- 21. **Zeira, A.,** & Grupper, E. (2023). Residential child and youth care in Israel: Trends and directions. In J. K. Whittaker, L. Holmes, J. F. del Valle, & S. James (Eds.) *Revitalizing residential care for children and youth: Cross-national trends and challenges* (pp 357-370). NY: Oxford University Press.

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- 22. **Zeira, A.**, & Rosen, A. (1999). Intermediate outcomes pursued by practitioners: A qualitative analysis. *Social Work Research*, 23(2), 79-87.
- 23. **Zeira, A.** (2000). Generating empirical knowledge on the basis of practice wisdom. *Society and Welfare, 20(3)*, 265-290. (Hebrew)
- 24. **Zeira, A.**, & Rosen, A. (2000). Unraveling "tacit knowledge": What social workers do and why they do it. *Social Service Review*, 74(1), 103-123.
- 25. **Zeira, A.**, & Blythe, B. (2001). Considering goals: An example of two intensive home-based family services. *Journal of Family Social Work*, 6(3), 1-14.
- 26. Astor, R. A., Benbenishty, R. Haj-Yahiya, M., **Zeira, A.**, Perkins-Hart, S., Marachi, R., & Pitner, R. (2002). The awareness of risky peer group behaviors on school grounds as predictors of students' victimization on school grounds: Part II: Junior high schools. *Journal of School Violence*, 1(3), 57-76.
- 27. Astor, R. A., Benbenishty, R., Marachi, R., Haj-Yahiya, M., **Zeira, A.**, Perkins-Hart, S., & Pitner, R. (2002). The awareness of risky peer group behaviors on school grounds as predictors of students' victimization on school grounds: Part I: Elementary schools. *Journal of School Violence*, *1*(1), 11-33.
- 28. Astor, R. A., Benbenishty, R., **Zeira, A.**, & Vinokur, A. (2002). School climate, observed risky behaviors, and victimization by peers as predictors of high school student' fear and judgments of school violence as a problem. *Health Education and Behavior* 29(6), 716-736.
- 29. Benbenishty, R., Astor, R. A., **Zeira, A.**, & Vinokur, A. (2002). Perceptions of violence and fear of school attendance among junior high school youth. *Social Work Research*, 26(2), 71-87.
- 30. Benbenishty, R., **Zeira, A.**, & Astor, R. A. (2002). Children's reports of emotional, physical and sexual victimization by educational staff in Israel. *Child Abuse and Neglect*, *26*, 763-782.

- 31. Benbenishty, R., **Zeira, A.**, Astor, R. A., & Khouri-Kassabri, M. (2002). Maltreatment of primary school students by educational staff in Israel. *Child Abuse and Neglect*, *26*, 1291-1309.
- 32. **Zeira, A.**, Benbenishty, R., & Astor, R. (2002). Sexual harassment in Jewish and Arab public schools in Israel. *Child Abuse and Neglect*, *26*, 149-166.
- 33. Benbenishty, R., Astor, R. A., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2003). Monitoring school violence at the site level: Linking national-, district- and school-level data over time. *Journal of School Violence*, *2*(2), 29-50.
- 34. **Zeira, A.**, Benbenishty, R., & Astor, R. (2003). School violence in Israel. *Social Work*, *48*(*4*), 471-483.
- 35. Pitner, R. O., Astor, R. A., Benbenishty, R., Haj-Yahiya, M., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2003). Adolescents' approval of peer and spousal retribution in their culture versus other cultures: The role of group stereotypes. *British Journal of Developmental Psychology*, 21, 221-242.
- 36. Pitner, R. O., Astor, R. A., Benbenishty, R., Haj-Yahiya, M., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2003). The effects of group stereotypes on adolescents' reasoning about peer retribution. *Child Development*, 74(2), 413-425.
- 37. Koury-Kassabri, M., Benbenishty, R., Astor, R. A., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2004). The contribution of community, family, and school variables on students' victimization. *American Journal of Community Psychology* 34(1/2), 187-204.
- 38. **Zeira, A.**, Astor, R. A., & Benbenishty, R. (2004). School violence in Israel: Perceptions of homeroom teachers. *School Psychology International*, *25*(2), 149-166.
- 39. **Zeira, A.**, (2004). New initiatives in out-of-home placements in Israel. *Child and Family Social Work*, 9(3), 305-307.
- 40. **Zeira, A.** & Dekel, R. (2005). Self-image of adolescents and its relationship to their perception of the future. *International Social Work Journal*, 48(2), 177-192.
- 41. Schiff, M., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2005). Dating violence and sexual risk behaviors. *Child Abuse & Neglect*, *29*, 1249-1263.
- 42. Astor, R. A., Benbenishty, R., Vinokur, A., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2006). Arab and Jewish elementary school students' perception of fear and school violence: Understanding the influence of school context. *British Journal of Educational Psychology*, 76, 91-118.
- 43. **Zeira, A.** (2006). What do we need for a successful intervention? The case of one Israeli family in deep distress. *International Journal of Child and Family Welfare*, 9(1-2), 92-101.
- 44. **Zeira, A.** Reithoffer, A., & Blythe, B. (2006). Assessing treatment integrity: A case example. *Family Preservation Journal*, *9*, 23-38.
- 45. **Zeira, A.**, & Ben-Harush, A. (2007). Support centers in Jerusalem: A new initiative in a changing reality. *Social Security*, 74, 95-120. (Hebrew).
- 46. **Zeira, A.** (2007). Support centers in Jerusalem: Innovative service for families in deep distress. *Studi Zancan, VII (1)*, 109-119. (Italian).

- 47. **Zeira, A.**, Cananli, C., Vecchiato, T., Jergeby, U., Thoburn, J., & Neve, E. (2007). Illavoro sociale basato su prove di efficacia con minori e famiglie: prospective internazionali. *Studi Zancan, VII (1)*, 72-91. (Italian)
- 48. **Zeira, A.**, Canali, C., Vecchiato, T., Jergeby, U., Thoburn, J., & Neve, E. (2008). Evidence-based social work practice with children and families: A cross national perspective. *European Journal of Social Work, 11(1)*, 1-18.
- 49. **Zeira, A.**, & Benbenishty, R. (2008). The status of alumni of educational residential care settings in Israel. *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work,* 28 (December), 95-134. (Hebrew)
- 50. Benbenishty R., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2008). Assessment of life skills and the needs of adolescents on the verge of leaving care. *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work*, 28 (December), 17-44. (Hebrew)
- 51. **Zeira, A.** (2009). Alumni of educational residential settings in Israel: A Cultural Perspective. *Children and Youth Services Review, 31*, 1074-1079.
- 52. Ward, H., Courtney, M., Del Valle, J. F., McDermid, S., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2009). Editorial: Improving outcomes for children and young people in care. *Vulnerable Children and Youth Studies*, *4*, 101–106.
- 53. **Zeira, A.**, & Schiff, M. (2010). Testing group supervision in field work training for social work students. *Research on Social Work Practice* 20, 427-434.
- 54. **Zeira, A.,** & Auslander, G. K. (2010). Editorial: Research on social work practice in Israel. *Research on Social Work Practice*, 20, 353-355.
- 55. Brandon, M., McNamara, P., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2010). Editorial: Cross-national dialogues on identifying effective interventions with vulnerable children and families. *International Journal of Child and Family Welfare*, *13*, 2-5.
- 56. **Zeira, A.** (2010). My journey with quantitative and qualitative approaches for assessing outcomes: Yesterday, today and tomorrow. *Studi Zancan, XI (5)*, 139-145. (Italian)
- 57. **Zeira, A.** (2011). Dissemination of systematic evaluation processes in direct practice. *Social Security*, 85, 49-70. (Hebrew).
- 58. Pitner, R. O., Astor, R. A., Benbenishty, R., Haj-Yahiya, M., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2011). Putting context into cultural perspective: Examining Arab and Jewish adolescents' judgments and reasoning about spousal retribution. *Violence Against Woman*, 17, 584-602.
- 59. Dinisman, T., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2011). The contribution of individual, social support and institutional characteristics to perceived readiness to leave care in Israel: An ecological perspective. *British Journal of Social Work*, *41*, 1442-1458.
- 60. **Zeira, A.**, & Benbenishty R. (2011). Readiness to independent living of adolescents in youth villages in Israel. *Children and Youth Services Review, 33*, 2461-2468.
- 61. Ezell, M., Spath, R., **Zeira, A.**, Canali, C., Fernandez, E., Thoburn, J., & Vecchiato, T. (2011). An international classification system for child welfare. *Children and Youth Services Review*, *33*, 1847-1854.
- 62. Avraham, S., Dinisman, T., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2012). Alumni of educational residential settings in Israel: A qualitative analysis of promoting and preventive

- factors related to successful transition to independent living. *Society & Welfare*, 32, 9-37 (Hebrew)
- 63. Benbenishty, R., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2012). On the verge of leaving the care system: Assessment of life skills and needs of adolescents in care. *Journal of Childhood and Adolescence Research (Diskurs Kindheits- und Jugendforschung Heft)*, 3, 291-308.
- 64. Sulimani-Aidan, Y., Benbenishty, R., Dinisman, T., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2013). Adjustment to independent living of young people aging out of care in Israel. *Journal of Social Service Research*, *39*, 704-718
- 65. **Zeira, A.**, Arzev, S., Benbenishty, R., & Portnoy, H. (2013). Children in educational residential care: A cohort study of Israeli youth. *Australian Social Work*, 67, 55-70
- 66. Dinisman, T., **Zeira, A.**, Benbenishty, R., & Sulimani-Aidan, Y. (2013). The subjective well-being of young people aging out of care. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 35, 1705-1711.
- 67. **Zeira, A.,** & Schiff, M. (2014). Fieldwork training: A comparison of students' and novice social workers' perspectives. *British Journal of Social Work, 44*, 1950-1966.
- 68. Benbenishty, R., **Zeira A.**, & Arzev, S. (2015). Educational outcomes of alumni of youth villages in Israel: A cohort study. *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work*, 42, 9-43. (Hebrew)
- 69. **Zeira, A.**, Canali, C., Vecchiato, T., & Thoburn, J. (2016). Services to prevent children coming unnecessarily into care: A cross national perspective. *International Journal of Child and Family Welfare*, 1/2, 95-112.
- 70. Shacham-Mana, S., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2016). What mentoring means for alumni of residential care: The case of "Lamerchav". *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work*, 42, 35-59. (Hebrew)
- 71. Whittaker, J.K., Holmes, L., del Valle, J. F., & **Zeira, A.** (2016). Therapeutic residential care for children and youth: A consensus statement of the International Work Group on Therapeutic Residential Care. *Residential Treatment for Children & Youth*, 33(2), 89-106.
- (also in: Dutch, Italian, Hebrew, Japanese and Spanish)
- 72. Grupper, E., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2016). Residential care: Processes and trends. *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work*, 44, 121-142. (Hebrew)
- 73. Refaeli, T., Mangold, K., **Zeira, A.,** & Koengeter, S. (2017). Continuity and discontinuity in the transition from care to adulthood: Challenges for social work research and practice. *British Journal of Social Work, 47(2)*, 325-342.
- 74. Churi, Y., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2017). Readiness for independent living of young people in Orthodox-religious residential facilities in Israel. *Society and Welfare*, *37*(1), 111-122. (Hebrew)
- 75. Oppenheim-Weller, S., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2018). SafeCare in Israel: The challenges of implementing an evidence-based program. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 85, 187-193

- 76. **Zeira, A.**, Tuval-Mashiach, R., Meir, G., Levy, D., Refaeli, T., & Benbenishty, R. (2018). Alumni of National Civic Service: Comparing the experience of atrisk and mainstream volunteers. *International Social Work, 61*, 1027-1041.
- 77. Kosher, H., Montserrat-Boada, C., Attar-Schwartz, S., Casas, F., & **Zeira**, **A.** (2018). Out-of-home care for children at-risk in Israel and in Spain: Current lessons and future challenges. *Psychosocial Intervention*, *27*, 12-21.
- 78. **Zeira, A.** (2019). Efficacia ed esiti [Efficacy and outcomes]. *Studi Zancan*, 3-4, 58-63. (Italian)
- 79. **Zeira, A.**, Refaeli, T., & Benbenishty, R., (2019). Aspirations toward higher education: A longitudinal study among alumni of public care in Israel. *Journal of Youth Studies*, *22*, 1035-1032.
- 80. Refaeli, T., Benbenishty, R., & **Zeira, A.** (2019). Predictors of life satisfaction among care leavers: A mixed method longitudinal study. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 99, 146-155.
- 81. Yitzhak Cohen, O., & **Zeira, A.** (2019), Children in emergency centers: Perceptions of professional social workers about their satisfaction and participation. *Mifgash: Journal of Social-Educational Work, 49-50*, 101-124. (Hebrew)
- 82. Tuval-Mashiach, R., Levy, D., Refaeli, T., **Zeira, A.**, & Benbenishty, R. (2019). Between being unique and being like everyone else: The development of sense of agency in young women at risk. *Children and Youth Services Review, 107*, /doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2019.104524.
- 83. Oppenheim-Weller, S., **Zeira, A**., & Mazursky, N. (2020). Evaluating SafeCare in Israel: Benefits for the families. *Child & Family Social Work, 25*, 665-673.
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