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Education: Doctorate Psychology, 2000, California Coast University; Master Social Work, 1986, Wayne State University; Master Arts, Guidance/Counseling, 1968, University of Detroit

Position: **The National Institute for Trauma and Loss in Children (TLC), Founder**
Dr. Steele founded TLC in 1990 and its national certification program for Trauma and Loss School Specialists, Consultant, and Consultant Supervisor in 1995. He developed, field-tested, and researched trauma-specific school/agency based intervention programs for children, adolescents, and adults. TLC trains over 2,000 professionals annually and is a program of Starr Commonwealth.

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- Steele, W. (1991). *Working With Families in Crisis*, New York, NY: Guilford Publications.
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Intervention Programs:

Developed, evidenced-based researched and field-tested intervention programs used throughout the country with children 3-18 years of age, adults and parents.

- *Trauma Intervention Program for At-risk, Adjudicated Youth (SITCAP-ART)* (2007)
- *What Do I Tell My Child When I'm Scared, Too?* (2003)
- *Adults in Trauma: Learning to Survive* (2001)
- *Structured Sensory Trauma Intervention Program (SITCAP)* (1997)
- *What Color is Your Hurt?* (1996)
- *I Feel Better Now!* (1995, 2007-revised).

Video Productions:

- *What Do I Tell My Child When I'm Scared, Too?* (2005), TLC Institute;
- *Debriefing for Schools* (2000), TLC Institute
- *After the Violence* (1995) Film Ideas
- *Children of Trauma* (1993) Kids Rights
- *Where Have All the Children Gone?* (1987) Kids Rights - Nominated for a Michigan Emmy Award
- *Preventing Teen Suicide* (1985) - Winner of a Michigan Emmy Award.

Awards:

- Alumni of the Year, Wayne State School of Social Work, 1996
- One of the first American's selected by the Kuwait Social Development Office to provide trauma and loss intervention training in the aftermath of the Gulf War, 1993
- Great Seal of the State of Michigan, Outstanding Community Service, 1990
- Father of the Year, 1987

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