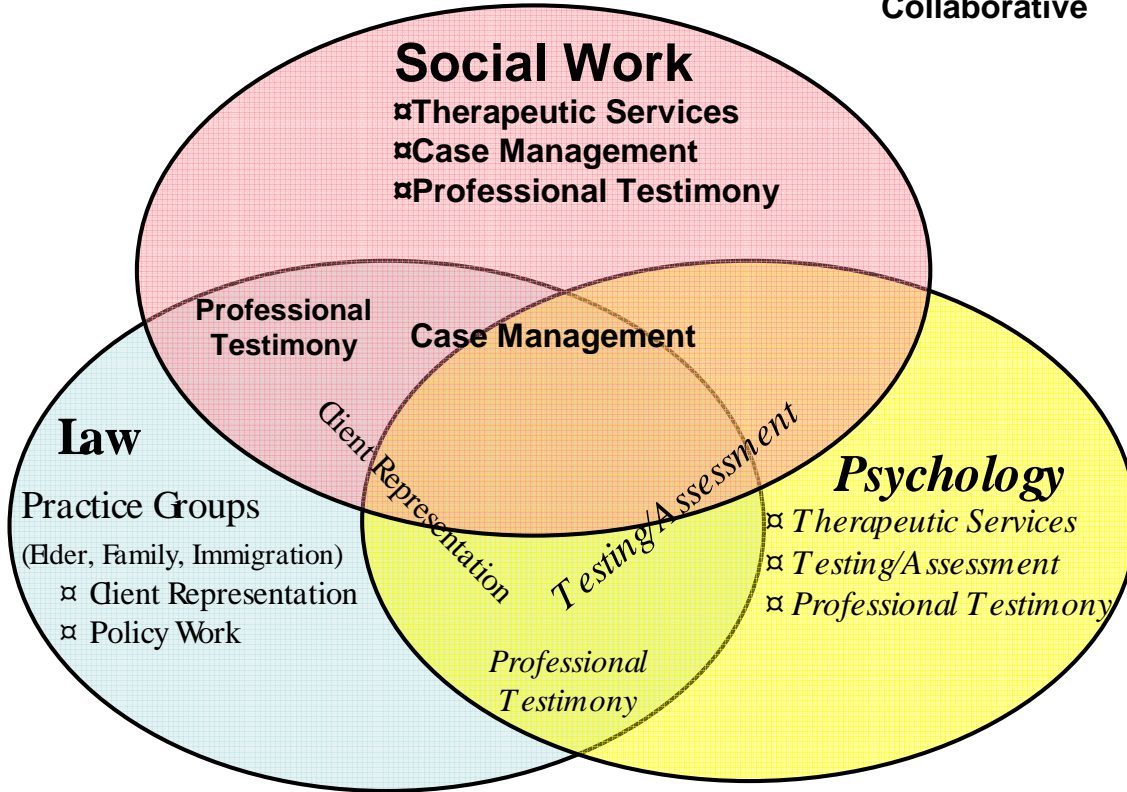
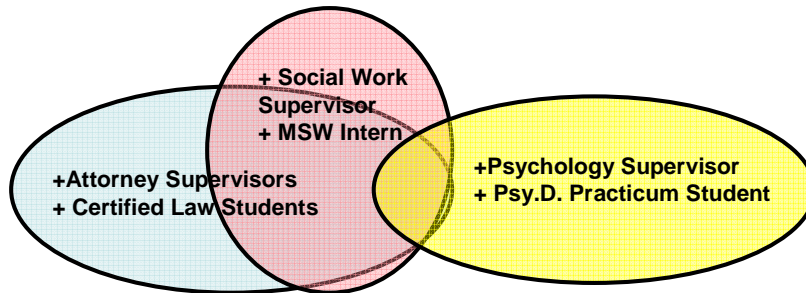




Independent & Collaborative



### Collaborative Case Team: Immigration Case Example



- CLIENT SERVICES**
- Legal Representation: Asylum
  - Case Management: Housing, Benefits, Job Preparation, legal interview debrief
  - Psych Assessments/Expert testimony
  - Counseling

- ETHICAL ISSUES**
- Client Confidentiality (all)
    - “embedded” social workers
  - Professional Independence
  - Client presenting at rounds (all)
  - Client living with outside service provider (SW/Psych ethics)

- TRAINING ISSUES**
- “Silo” Coursework – e.g. Psych Assessment courses
  - “Interprofessional” Classes – e.g. Expert Witness
  - Live Clients – Mooting & Courtroom performance

- COLLABORATION**
- Case team meetings – Who’s In, Who Out?
  - Communication – e-mail, in-person
  - Evaluation

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