Amelia Leony-Carrete
Clint Independent School District/Private Practice

Amelia Leony-Carrete is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker who holds a certification in Trauma and Loss in Children and Adolescents, is a Certified Specialist in Grief Recovery, and a Certified Anger Resolution Therapist.

A native of El Paso, Texas and raised in Juarez, Mexico, Amelia completed a Bachelor of Arts in Social Work at the University of Texas at El Paso and a Master of Science in Social Work with a Clinical Concentration at the University of Texas at Austin.

Mrs. Leony-Carrete's experience includes, providing psychotherapy to military families and active duty soldiers, children with special needs, and veterans. As part of the Texas Tech University Health Science (TTUHSC) Dept. of Psychiatry Consult Liaison Team, Amelia evaluated and provided brief therapy and trauma intervention to patients dealing with psychiatric crisis.

At the TTUHC Dept. of Psychiatry, Amelia functioned as Faculty Associate and Director of the Employee Assistance and Resident Assistance Programs for four years and is currently employed with Clint Independent School District, where she provides special education counseling to students with emotional disorder and participates in the District Crisis Response Team. Ms. Leony-Carrete has also owned a private practice for sixteen years.

Amelia was recognized by the National Association of Social Workers Rio Grande Branch as Social Worker of the Year in 2011 for her extensive work with families and children fleeing from the violence in Mexico.