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Dr. Bobby E. Wright is most known for his contributions to Black psychology, movements, organizations and policies. Prior to receiving his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago in 1972, he worked for the Chicago Public School system

as a teacher under the Full Time Basil Substitute (FTBS), which prevented him from pursuing teaching full time. He further established the Black Teachers Caucus to challenge the FTBS. He then became the executive director of the Garfield Park

Comprehensive Mental Health Center in Chicago, which was the largest Black mental health facility in the U.S. He continued to challenge the racist foundation of psychology and the country and developed the Wright Social-Political Model.