

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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## EDUCATION

**Vanderbilt University School of Nursing**, Nashville, TN 1994  
*MSN Child and Adolescent Nursing*

**Dawson College**, Montreal, QC 1988  
*Nursing Diploma*

## EXPERIENCE

**Indiana University/Purdue University**, Fort Wayne, IN 2010 – present  
*Clinical Assistant Professor*

- Course Coordinator for NUR 379 Caring for Children in BSN program
- Clinical Instructor NUR 379 Caring for Children Practicum
- Course Co-Coordinator for NUR 377 Professional Seminar II

### Committees of Interest

e-portfolio committee  
Spectacular Committee  
Conceptual Framework Taskforce

**Parkview Hospital**, Fort Wayne, IN 2008- present  
*Clinical Nurse Specialist, Peds and PICU*

- Oversees the clinical practice of pediatrics and PICU. The patient population includes the following specialties: trauma, general surgery, hematology, pulmonary, renal, gastroenterology, endocrinology, and general pediatrics.
- Creates and implements educational programs to support and develop nursing practice across the units.
- Develops nurses within the department to become leaders, educators, preceptors, and clinical resources
- Coordinates the orientation program for pediatrics and PICU.
- Provides clinical expertise to nurses at the bedside as well as throughout the system as a pediatric resource
- Serves as a resource regarding pediatric nursing issues throughout the hospital system, including Emergency Department
- Implements Continuous Quality Improvement initiatives.

### Committees of Interests

Quality Committee  
Advocacy Committee  
Code Blue Committee  
Trauma Services Committee

## EXPERIENCE

**Nurse Builders**, Philadelphia, PA  
Author/Presenter

2007 – present

- Develops and teaches educational programming for Pediatric Critical Care Nurse exam review.
- Contributing author for a pediatric certification review text book. (published in, 2010).
- Develops and presents keynote presentations specific to pediatric nursing.

**Indiana University School of Nursing**, Indianapolis, IN  
*Visiting Lecturer*

2003-2007

- Course Coordinator for H363 The Developing Family and Child in both traditional and accelerated tracts.
- Clinical Instructor for H364 The Developing Family and Child Practicum
- Co-teacher for B230 Developmental Issues and Health
- Clinical Instructor for H 600 Capstone
- Faculty Mentor for students entering Junior year
- Preceptor for new faculty member

**Riley Children's Hospital**, Indianapolis, IN  
*Staff Nurse*

2001-2003

- Cared for children of all ages with various diagnoses and trauma.
- Served as a preceptor.

**Edward Hospital**, Naperville, IL

*Clinical Nurse Specialist/Case Manager, Pediatrics*

1998- 1999

- Oversaw the clinical practice of Pediatrics. The patient population included the following specialties: general surgery, hematology, pulmonary, renal, gastroenterology, endocrinology, and general pediatrics.
- Served as a Case Manager for all in patient children
- Created and implemented educational programs including orientation.
- Actively participated in the development of a 4 bed PICU.
- Served as a PALS instructor

**Vanderbilt University**, Nashville, TN

*Lecturer for the Practice of Nursing*

1995- 1997

*Staff Nurse PICU*

1991 -1997

- Course Coordinator for both the didactic and clinical components of Health Promotion of the Child (N240).
- Lab and Clinical Instructor for Health Assessment (N203)
- Clinical Instructor for the Masters level pediatric practicum, Advanced Child and Adolescent Nursing (N313).
- Guest Lecturer for various courses including Theoretical Foundations of Child and Adolescent Nursing (N312), and Theoretical Foundations of Newborn Nursing (N335)

## EXPERIENCE

- Project Nurse, responsible for data collection in collaboration with the Project Director and Principle Investigator of Pediatric Coping Studies
- Served as a level II PICU staff nurse, where critically ill medical and surgical children of all ages were cared for.
- Served as a preceptor for new staff.

### **Simmons College, Boston, MA**

1994 - 1995

#### *Assistant Professor*

- Course Coordinator for didactic and clinical education for students in the junior year of a BSN program
- Responsible for academic advisement of sophomore and junior level students

### **University Hospital Consortium, Oakbrook, IL**

1989 - 1991

#### *Traveling Nurse*

### **Montreal General Hospital, Montreal, QC**

1988 - 1989

#### *Staff Nurse*

## PUBLICATIONS

- Contributing author: "Pediatric Success 2nd Edition: A Course Review Applying Critical Thinking Skills to Test Taking" F.A. Davis (2014)
- Content Development Author: Healthcare Source eLearning Library (2014)
  - Reviewed and updated Psychosocial Alteration in the Pediatric Client
  - Reviewed and updated Fluid and Electrolyte Alteration in the Pediatric Client
  - Reviewed and updated Respiratory Alteration in the Pediatric Client
- Contributing author: Practice Questions for Pediatric Nursing Certification Review 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition " (2013). Nurse Builders: Philadelphia, PA
- Author: "Practice Questions for Pediatric Critical Care Nursing Certification Review 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition" 2013 Nurse Builders: Philadelphia, PA
- Author: "Practice Questions for Pediatric Critical Care Nursing Certification Review" 2011 Nurse Builders: Philadelphia, PA
- Contributing author "Pediatric Success: A Course Review Applying Critical Thinking Skills to Test Taking" F.A. Davis 2010
- Contributing author: Practice Questions for Pediatric Nursing Certification Review" (2009). Nurse Builders: Philadelphia, PA

## PRESENTATIONS

- Nurse Builders, Author/Presenter, *Pediatric CCRN Review Course 2009*. May, 2009.
  - November 2014, Houston TX
  - July 2014, Tampa FL
  - June 2014, Phoenix AZ

- March 2014, Atlantic City, NJ
  - February 2014, Fort Myers, FL
  - October 2013, Hollywood FL
  - July 2013, Philadelphia PA
  - June 2013, Morristown NJ
  - June 2013, Phoenix, AZ
  - March 2013 Atlantic City, NJ
  - March 2012, Philadelphia, PA
  - March 2012, Atlantic City, NJ
  - May 2012, Boise, ID
  - June 2012, Fairfax, VA
  - September 2012, Philadelphia, PA
  - October 2012, Orlando, FL
  - August 2011, Omaha, NE
  - July 2011, Memphis, TN
  - July 2011, Las Vegas, NV
  - March 2011, Atlantic City, NJ
  - November 2010. Orlando, FL
  - September 2010 Fairfax, VA
  - August 2010 Omaha, NE.
  - June 2010 Las Vegas, NV
  - April 2010. Akron, OH
  - March 2010. Atlantic City, NJ
  - October, 2009. Daytona Beach, FL
  - September, 2009. Memphis, TN.
  - June, 2009, Las Vegas, NV
  - June 2009, Fairfax, VA
- Pediatric Trauma: Kids Are Different
  - Parkview Pediatric Trauma Symposium, November 2014
- But We Don't Do Hearts: A Review of Congenital Heart Defects for the Non-Cardiac Nurse
  - Pediatric Nursing Symposium Atlantic City, March 2014
- Mommy it Hurts: Nursing Assessment of Child Maltreatment
  - Pediatric Nursing Symposium Atlantic City, March 2014
- Top Pediatric Ingestions and How to Manage Them
  - March 2013
- Top Pediatric Trauma and how to Manage It
  - March 2013, Atlantic City
- Nursing Management of Pediatric Shock
  - March 2012, Atlantic City, NJ
- More than Gatorade: Evidence Based Practice Dehydration Management
  - March 2011, Atlantic City, NJ

- July 2011, Las Vegas, NV
- Nursing Assessment and Management of the Child with Sepsis
  - March 2012, Atlantic City, NJ
  - July 2011, Las Vegas, NV
  - March 2011, Atlantic City, NJ
- Recognizing the Deteriorating Pediatric Airway
  - March 2012, Atlantic City, NJ
  - July 2011, Las Vegas, NV
  - March 2012, Atlantic City, NJ
- Pediatric Trauma
  - April 2008, October 2009, Fort Wayne, IN
- Preventing Pediatric Injuries: Keeping Our Kids Safe
  - August 2009, Fort Wayne, IN
  - March 2010, Atlantic City, NJ
  - July 2010, Las Vegas NE
- Understanding the Differences between DI and SIADH
  - March 2010, Atlantic City, NJ
  - July 2010, Las Vegas NE
- Non-Accidental Injuries: What We Know in 2010
  - March 2010, Atlantic City, NJ
  - July 2010, Las Vegas NE
- Visiting Nurse Scholar Pediatrics
  - August 2010, New York, NY

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND MEMBERSHIPS**

Vice President Safe Kids, Allen County Chapter, January 2009 – December 2010.  
American Association of Critical Care Nurses  
Society of Pediatric Nurses