

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Undergraduate

December 2004	University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA	BSN Honors	Nursing
May 1987	Jameson Hospital School of Nursing New Castle, PA	Diploma	Nursing
May 1966	Rosary Hill College Amherst, NY	BA	History and Government

Graduate

December 2014	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	PhD	Nursing
December 2014	University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health , University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA University of Pittsburgh	MPH	Public Health
May 2010	University Center for Social and Urban Research University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA	Graduate Certificate	Gerontology

Appointments and Positions

Academic	University of Pittsburgh	Graduate Assistant
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		Recruiter: Undergraduate/Graduate Nursing Students, Student Services, Pittsburgh School of Nursing
8/2007 - 4/2008 Older Adult 1/2014 - 8/2014	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	Clinical Instructor, Nursing Care of Undergraduate BSN Program
8/2014 – Present	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing	Primary Clinical Faculty, Community Health Nursing Clinical Undergraduate BSN Program
5/2016 – Present	University of Pittsburgh	Didactic Professor, Community Health Nursing Clinical Undergraduate, Accelerated BSN Degree Program,
8/2014 – Present	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing	Assistant Professor Undergraduate BSN Program
Non-Academic		
2003-2005	Home IV Therapist	UPMC Private Duty Services, Pittsburgh, PA
1999-2003	Clinical Charge Nurse	UPMC Benedum Geriatric Center, Pittsburgh, PA
1997-1999	Teacher/Student Assistant, Health and Special Education	Slippery Rock High School Slippery Rock, PA
1996-1997	Charge Nurse, Skilled Nursing Center	St. Francis Medical Center North Cranberry, PA
1987-1996	Staff Nurse	Jameson Memorial Hospital, New Castle, PA
1979-1984	Office Manager	James F. Byers, MD, PC. Butler, PA

Licensure and Certification

April 30, 2018 RN288315L Pennsylvania

Membership in Professional and Scientific Societies

01/2004 – Present National Black Nurses Association (NBNA)
01/2004 – Present Pittsburgh Black Nurses In Action
08/2015 – Present Association of Community Health Nurse Educators
06/2016 – Present American Nurses Association
06/2016 – Present Pennsylvania State Nurses Association

Honors

1/2006 Pittsburgh Black Nurses In Action Scholarship \$1000
8/2007 National Black Nurses Assoc. /Mayo Foundation
Scholarship \$1000
1/2006, 1/2007 Szeming Sze Gerontology Scholarship \$1,531.50 and \$3,078
1/2006, 1/2007 University of Pittsburgh Graduate School Public Health Minority
Scholarship
4/2013 – 8/2014 Graduate Assistance in Areas of National Need (GAANN) Fellow
(Dept. of Education P200A 120097)

Publications

Manuscripts in preparation

Kregg-Byers, C. M. & Doswell, W. (2012). Middle school African American girls' attitudes toward pregnancy and teen parenting: A secondary analysis

Kregg-Byers, C. M. & Doswell, W. (2017). Bibi perspectives: African American grandmothers rearing preteen and teen granddaughters.

Manuscripts submitted for publication

Kregg-Byers, C. M., Terhorst, L., Doswell, W. M., Matthews, J. T., Rodriguez, E. G., & Schlenk, E. A. (Submitted 6/2017). Predictors of food security in older adults living in the northeast U. S. *Journal of Nutrition in Gerontology and Geriatrics*.

Kregg-Byers, C., M., Betty J. Braxter, Millie Jones, Martin I. Seltman, & Willa M. Doswell. (Submitted 2017). "My Bibi" A Conversation: Grandmothers Raising Teen Granddaughters. *Journal of Intergenerational Relationships*.

Manuscript – accepted for publication

Braxter, B. J., Doswell, W. M., Kregg-Byers, C. M., & Ren, D. (2011). "Think it over baby" - A parenting simulation activity for middle school African American girls. *Annals of Behavioral*

Kregg-Byers, C. M. & Schlenk, E. A. (2010). Implications of food insecurity on global health policy and nursing practice. *Journal of Nursing Scholarship*. 42(3):278-85.

Poster Presentation

Morris, J. M., Kregg-Byer, C., Chasens, E. R. (2016). Financial Insecurity and Attitude toward Self-Care in People with Diabetes. University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing's "Rising Star of Research and Scholarship." Accepted for poster presentation" at the Sigma Theta Tau International (STTI) Leadership Connection Conference. Indianapolis, IN. September 2016.

Braxter, B. J., Doswell, W. M., Kregg-Byers, C. M., & Ren, D. (2011). "Think it over baby" - A parenting simulation activity for middle school African American girls. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, Supplement, A-138.

Research

Research grants

Role	Research Assistant (volunteer)	7/1/05 – 6/30/07
Type	R01 Willa M. Doswell (PI)	
Funding Agency	NIH/NICHD	
Title	A Randomized Control Trial of the NIA Intervention	
Amount	\$9,050.00	

Presentations

May 25, 2017 Guest Lecture: "Ethics Advocacy Policy", NUR 1128 – Community Health Nursing

- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA
- May 18, 2017 Guest Lecture: “Economics & the U. S. Health Care System”, NUR 1128 – Community Health Nursing.
University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA
- May 15, 2017 Guest Lecture: “Culture and Aging”, NUR 1054 (Didactic). Nursing Care of Older Adults.
University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA
- May 11, 2017 Guest Lecture: “Americah Health Care System” for NUR 1128 – Community Health Nursing
University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- March 2017 Guest Lecture: “Health Problems in Families Caring for Older Adult Family members and Community Resources”, NUR 2518: Family Theory
University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- June 9, 2016 Guest Lecture: “Caring For Adult Women’s Health”, NUR 1050/NUR 1250: Nursing Care of Mothers, Newborns, and Families.
University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA
- April 15, 2016 Guest Lecture: “Caring for the Health of Older Adults in Family and Community Settings”. NURNP 2518 (Didactic) Family Theory for Nurse Practitioners: Principles, Implications, and Application Across the Life Span. University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- April 5, 2016 Guest Lecture: “Culture and Aging”, NUR 1054 (Didactic). Nursing Care of Older Adults.
University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- January 13, 2016 Guest Lecture: “Culture and Aging”, NUR 1054 (Didactic). Nursing Care of Older Adults.
University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- February 9, 2016 Guest Lecture: “Vulnerability Issues in Community Health Nursing: Advocacy, Ethics, Poverty”. NUR 1128 Community Health Nursing (Didactic). University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- January 28, 2016 Guest Lecture: “The PPACA (Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act): Its Meaning to Nursing”, NUR 1128 Community Health Nursing (Didactic). University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.

- December 10, 2015 Guest Lecture: “Caring For Adult Women’s Health”, NUR 1050/NUR 1250: Nursing Care of Mothers, Newborns, and Families. University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- October 5, 2015 Guest Lecture: “Communication With Older Adults”, NUR 1054 (Didactic). Nursing Care of Older Adults. University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- September 28, 2015 Guest Lecture: “Culture and Aging”, NUR 1054 (Didactic). Nursing Care of Older Adults. University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- June 22, 2015 Guest Lecture: “Health Education” NUR 1128 Community Health Nursing (Didactic). University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA.
- August, 2015 Guest Lecture: “So You Want To Be A Nurse?” For the University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing and the Office of Financial Aid and Admissions. Panel discussant of: what is a nurse, employment opportunities, earning a BSN, what makes Pitt special, nursing student awards and scholarships, graduate nursing programs, student profiles, application and admission concerns, campus and academic life to 264 attendees including 88 perspective undergraduate nursing students and their families.
- April, 2015 Guest Lecture: Caring for the Health Needs of the Elderly in Family Settings. Delivered to Master FNP and DNP students, NUR 2518- Family Theory Nursing at the University Of Pittsburgh School Of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- March, 2015 Guest Lecture: “Health Education”. Delivered to undergraduate senior nursing students, NUR 1128 – Community Health Nursing at University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- September, 2014 Guest Lecture: “Vulnerability Issues in Community Health Nursing: Advocacy, Ethics, and Poverty”. Delivered to undergraduate nursing students, NUR 1128: Community Health Nursing, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA
- November, 2014 Guest Lecture: “Health Care of the Older Adult Female”. Delivered to undergraduate nursing students, NUR 1050/NUR 1250: Nursing Care of

- Mothers, Newborns, and Families, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- September 16/14 Guest Lecture: “Vulnerability Issues in Community Health Nursing: Advocacy, Ethics, and Poverty”. Delivered to undergraduate senior nursing students, NUR 1128 – Community Health Nursing at University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- August 9, 2014 Kregg-Byers, C., Terhorst, L., Doswell, W., Matthews, J., Rodriguez, E., & Schlenk, E. (2014). Predictors of Food Security Status in Older Adults Living in the Northeast United States. Podium presentation at National Black Nurses Association Conference and Institutes, Philadelphia, PA
- September 7, 2012 Kregg-Byers, C., Terhorst, L., Schlenk, E. (2012). Predictors of Food Security: Literature Review and Synthesis. Poster presentation at the University Of Pittsburgh School Of Nursing’s 2nd Annual Scholars Symposium, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 3/26/2011 Kregg-Byers, C., Terhorst, L., Schlenk, E. (2011). Predictors of Food Security in Older Adults from the Ecological Model of Health Behavior Poster presentation at the Eastern Nursing Research Society, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2/22/11 Guest Lecture:” Nutrition and Oral Hygiene and Older Adults”. Delivered to undergraduate nursing students, NUR 1054 at University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 10/15/2010 Kregg-Byers, C., Terhorst, L., Schlenk, E. (2010). Predictors of Food Security in Older Adults from the Ecological Model of Health Behavior. Paper presented at the Greater Pittsburgh Nursing Research Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 9/24/2010 Kregg-Byers, C., Terhorst, L., Schlenk, E. (2010). Predictors of Food Security in Older Adults from the Ecological Model of Health Behavior. Poster Presentation PhD Dissertation Proposal at the First Annual Rita M. McGinley Symposium, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 8/7/2010 Braxter, B., Doswell, W., Kregg-Byers, C., & Linn, T. (2010). *Middle School African American Girls and a “Baby Think It Over (BTIO)” Infant Simulator Weekend Activity*. Paper co-presented at the National Black Nurses Association 40th Annual Institute and Conference, San Diego, CA.

- 6/3/2010 Kregg-Byers, C., Braxter, B., Doswell, D. My Bibi: Intergenerational Care- Giving By Grandmothers of Their Teen Granddaughters. Poster presentation Second Annual PhD Student Research Dinner, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing.
- 3/2/2010, Guest Lecture:” Nutrition and Oral Hygiene and Older Adults”. Delivered to undergraduate nursing students, NUR 1054 at University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 8/2008 Kregg-Byers, C., Doswell, W. (2008). *My bibi: A conversation with grandmothers raising granddaughters*. Paper presented at the National Black Nurses Association 36th Annual Institute and Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- 10/2006 Kregg-Byers, C. (2006, October). *Middle school African American girls’ attitudes toward pregnancy and teen parenting pre and post a “Baby Think It Over®” weekend activity*. Paper presented at the Greater Pittsburgh 18th Annual Nursing Research Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.

Service

University Committees

- 9/2008 – 8/2009 Student Advisory Committee, Office of Health Sciences Diversity, University of Pittsburgh
- 9/2009 – 5/2010 Health Sciences Committee, Board of Trustees, University of Pittsburgh
- 4/2015 Judge- University of Pittsburgh Health Sciences 2015 Disparities Poster Competition, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health, Center for Health Equity.
- 3/21/16 - Present 2016-17 Scholarship Essay Reviewer – Undergraduate/ Graduate level - University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.

School Committees

- 2015 - 2017 University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Essay Reader Scholarship Steering Committee
- 5/2009 – 5/2010, Diversity Committee, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing.

2015 – 2017

2017 – 2019 Co-Chair Diversity Committee, University Pittsburgh School of Nursing

5/2006 - 8/2008 PhD Council, School of Nursing, University of Pittsburgh, Grad Student Representative

June 2016 – Present Faculty Candidate Reviewer Dept HCS

Community and Other Activities

8/2006 American Diabetes Association Health Fair, David Lawrence Convention Center, Pittsburgh, PA. Diabetes education teaching With African American community participants.

9/2006, 9/2009, 9/2010, 2015 Take a Professional to the People Day, University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health. Performing blood pressures and general health screenings

9/2007 – 9/2010 Fitness and Information Transforms Health (FAITH) Ministry, St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, PA. FAITH Exercise Nutrition Program. Through Pittsburgh Parish Nurse Program, the organization forms and conducts health exercise and nutrition programs for local parishes and community adults.

11/2004 - 2011 Girls Ministry, Ethnan Temple, Wilkinsburg, PA. Monthly activities with African American girls to enhance self esteem and self-efficacy in social skills, relationship skills, and prevention of early sexual behaviors.

9/2006 – 12/2011 Youth Ministry Co-Director, St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, PA. Direct youth 11 years old through high school in identifying internalization of Episcopal faith and extending those personal beliefs into action and involvement in activities and events in their home communities.

10/29/13 Presentation with Betty Braxter, PhD, RN, CNM:” Affordable Care Act (2010) What does it really mean to me and my family”. Northside Institutional Church of God in Christ. North Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA. Oral presentation to “Healthy Tuesday” series.

2/22/14 Presentation with Betty Braxter, PhD, RN, CNM:” Affordable Care Act (2010) What does it really mean to me and my family”. Union of African

- Communities, Kingsley Center, Pittsburgh, PA. Oral presentation to group quarterly lecture series.
- 5/31/2014 Gateway Medical Society, Closing the Gap: "Gateway to wellness: Learning to live well". Haberman Conference Center, UPC Shadyside Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA. Community blood pressure screening, patient teaching, and medical referrals.
- 9/13/2014 Representative/Participant from Pittsburgh Black Nurses In Action to Gateway Medical Society: "Veterans Health Update for Community Healthcare Providers". Shadyside Hospital Haberman Conference
- June/2014 - present PA Action Coalition: Cultural Competence Conference Planning Committee.
Abstract and Speakers Sub-Committee.
Conference Title: "Pennsylvania's healthcare mosaic: building a culture of health equity". October 20,2016, Robert Morris University
- 9/2011- 9/2016, Delegate, Pittsburgh Black Nurses In Action to U.S. Congressional Black Caucus, Annual Legislative Conference, Washington, DC.
- 7/1/2015 Attendee: Medical Assistant Champions Program and Graduation, Jewish Health Foundation, Pittsburgh, PA
- January 7, 2016
– Present National Black Nurses Association -Health Policy Committee
- 5/2011 – 5/2016 Delegate, Pittsburgh Black Nurses In Action to U.S. Congressional Black Caucus Health Brain Trust, Washington, D. C.
- 4/2016 National Minority Quality Forum Leadership Summit on Health Disparities and Congressional Black Caucus Spring Health Brain-trust, Washington D. C.
- 4/20/16 Diversity Round Table Panel: Diversity and Inclusion Seminar of the Student Government's Board and Academic Affairs Committee, William Pitt Union.
- April 12. 2016 Attended in Support of Kappa Chapter, Inc. Chi Eta Phi, Inc. Sorority Annual Mamie Garland Scholarship Brunch. LeMont Restaurant on Mt. Washington- 1114 Grandview Ave, Pittsburgh, PA.

- April – May 2016 Full participant Provost's Diversity Institute for Faculty Development, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA.
- May 20, 2016 Faison School Elementary/Homewood Area Project Investigation/Partnership Formation Meeting: National Network of Libraries of Medicine, Middle Atlantic Region (NN/LM MAR) University of Pittsburgh, Health Sciences Library System /University Resources Pitt-Assisted Communities & Schools University of Pittsburgh School of Social Work/University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Faison Elementary School, Pittsburgh, PA.
- June 25, 2016 Homewood Health Matters 5K Run/Walk – 10K Bike Ride & Health Expo performing basic health screening including weights and Bps, Stargell Field on N. Lang Avenue Pittsburgh, PA.

Doctoral Student Committees

- July 14, 2015 DNP - Jaymie Cullen. Capstone Project: Combining evidence-based teaching techniques to improve community health education: Exploring an innovative diabetes prevention education intervention on knowledge, confidence, and readiness to change behavior at the Urban League of Greater Pittsburgh
- August 2016 DNP – Alexis Parente/ Project: Influence of a Community-Based Nutrition Education Workshop on Diet among Low-Income Food Bank Participants

Personal and Academic Development

- 3/23/16 University of Pittsburgh Community Violence Prevention Project: Allegheny County Homicide Review Data From 2014 & 2015. University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. Kingsley Center, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 3/21/16 Panel discussion: Population Health VS Public Health: What's the Difference? Health Policy and Management Association at Graduate

School of public Health, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health, William Pitt Union, Lower Lounge Pittsburgh, PA 15213

- 2/8/2016 Vibrant Pittsburgh – “Mini Grants Workshop, Media Planning: Learning How to Leverage the Media to Get Your Message Across”. Jewish Federation of Greater Pittsburgh, 234 McKee Place, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 4/2015 Participated in workshop: What’s New in Blackboard? Pilot the Upgrade, Educational Technology Center, University of Pittsburgh.
- 4/30/2015 – 6/5/2015 Provost’s Diversity Institute for Faculty Development, University of Pittsburgh.
- 4/15/15 HCUP Webinar: “Overview of the HCUP Databases” online tutorial, 2-3 pm.
- 4/22/2015 Community Health Workers (CHW) State Policy Summit of the Jewish Health Foundation, Harrisburg, PA.
- 5/13/2015 Webinar: “Essentials of E-Learning: Class, Clinical, and Lab Strategies for Nurse Educators”. Tim J. Bristol PhD, RN, CNE, ANEF and JoAnn Zerwekh EdD, RN, F. A. Davis Co.
- 5/14/15 Webinar: “The One-Minute Preceptor: Online training for Preceptors”. Melody Wilkinson, DNP, FNP-C, American Association of Colleges of Nursing.
- 6/16/2015 “Communicating to Connect: Strategies to Improve Health Literacy”. Regional Health Literacy Coalition, Pittsburgh, PA.
- July 27, 2015 Second Community Meeting with Dr. Karen Hacker, ACHD “Plan for a Healthier Allegheny Summer 2015”. Thelma Lovette YMCA, 2114 Centre Avenue, Pittsburgh.
- August 24-26,2015 National Health Statistics Conference Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center, North Bethesda, MD.

Innovative Teaching Career Strategies

- July 1, 2016 Workshop Participant: Teaching With and Without PowerPoint, CIDDE, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

- July 18, 2015 Preceptor/Volunteer Appreciation/Orientation: Breakfast workshop to acknowledge and show appreciation for volunteers and preceptors who participate in the course Poverty Simulation each semester, and to advance educational initiatives and strategies for preceptors who have Pitt Nursing Students in community clinical sites.
- June 4, 2015 Preceptor Orientation Breakfast: Workshop to advance educational initiatives and strategies for newly contracted preceptors who will have Pitt Nursing Students at community clinical sites.