

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Education and Training

<b>Undergraduate</b> 1979-1980	Shadyside Hospital School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	Diploma	Nursing
1980-1983	LaRoche College Pittsburgh, PA	BSN	Nursing
<b>Graduate</b> 1986-1988	Indiana University of Pennsylvania Indiana, PA	MSN	Nursing
2007-2013	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	CNS/DNP program Doctoral student	

### Appointments and Positions

<b>Academic</b> 2014-2016	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	Assistant Professor Full-time
2008-2014	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	Instructor Full-time
2007-present	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	Clinical Instructor Part-time

2005-2008	Community College of Allegheny County, Nursing Department Pittsburgh, PA	Temp F/T Faculty
1998-2005	University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	Clinical Instructor P/T Faculty
1987-1997	Shadyside Hospital School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA	Teaching Specialist

**Non-Academic**

1999-2005	UPMC Shadyside Pittsburgh, PA	Registered Nurse Day of Admission Surgery Unit
1997-1999	UPMC Shadyside Pittsburgh, PA	Registered Nurse Short Stay Unit
1982-1987	Shadyside Hospital Pittsburgh, PA	Staff Nurse ER Department
1978-1980	Shadyside Hospital Pittsburgh, PA	Nursing Assistant Part-time
1974-1976	Dr. T.S. Danowski Endocrinologist Pittsburgh, PA	Medical Assistant
1974-1976	Dr. Leo H. Crip Allergist Pittsburgh, PA	Medical Assistant

**Licensure and Certification**

1980-present	RN 247979	Pennsylvania
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**Honors**

May 2008	Pi Lambda Theta, International Honor Society & Professional Association in Education
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**Teaching****Primary Teacher (University of Pittsburgh)**

<b>Term / Years</b>	<b>Course Number &amp; Title</b>	<b>No. of Students</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Didactic or Clinical</b>
2017-present	NUR 0090 Foundations of Nursing Practice I	~ 8	Sopho-	Clinical
2007-present	NUR 0082, Nursing Management of the Adult, w/Acute/Chronic Health Problems	~ 8	Sophomore	Clinical
Fall, 08, 12, 13 Spring 08, 12,	NUR 1133 Transition into Professional Nursing Practice	~ 10	Seniors	Clinical
5-2012, 2013, 2014	Fast Track Back Course presented to RNs returning to clinical practice	4	RN's	Didactic + Clinical
1998-2013 2007-2022	NUR 0090, Foundations of Nursing Practice I NUR 1281/1282	~ 8 Fall~6, Spring 8	Sophomore 2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree	Clinical Clinical
Spring, & Fall, 13	NUR,1120 Advanced Nursing Management of the Adult with Acute/Complex Health	~8	Junior	Clinical

Fall & Spring 2020, 2021, 2022	NUR,1990 Senior Seminar-	~Fall-35-45, Spring-150-178	Senior	Didactic
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**Primary Teacher (Community College of Allegheny County)**

<b>Term / Years</b>	<b>Course Number &amp; Title</b>	<b>No. of Students</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Didactic or Clinical</b>
2005-2007	NRN 101, Introduction to Nursing (Lab & Clinical Instructor)	40	1 <sup>st</sup> level	Didactic Clinical
2005-2007	NRN 102, Health Promotion and Illness Prevention In Age-based Populations	40	1 <sup>st</sup> level	Didactic
2005-2007	NRN 102C, Nursing Care of Children and Families	40	1 <sup>st</sup> level	Didactic Clinical
2005-2007	NRN 202, Health Promotion and Illness Prevention in Adult Populations	8	2 <sup>nd</sup> level	Clinical

### Primary Teacher (Kaplan)

Term / Years	Course Number & Title	No. of Students	Level	Didactic or Clinical
2002-2005	Kaplan Test Prep Corporation Part-time Instructor on NCLEX Preparation	varies	GN	Didactic

### Lecturer /Guest Lecturer University of Pittsburgh, SON

Term/ Years	Course Number & Title	No. of Students	Level	Topic of Lecture
May 2008	Test Taking Workshop Senior RN Students	varies	seniors	Nursing Care of Children & Med -Surgical Nursing

### Service

5-7-17-Member of the Academy of Medical Surgical Nurses

### Community College of Allegheny County

2005-2007 NCLEX Council Member

### Shadyside Hospital School of Nursing:

1987-1997 Member, Curriculum Committee

1987-1997 Member, Faculty Development Committee

### Presentations/Publications

**9th Annual Patient Safety Symposium: EHR and Patient Safety: Awarded a 3rd place certificate for commitment to patient safety for my capstone project poster, 4/4/14.**

**Invited and presented a poster at the 2014 Clinical Research Forum: Jump In! Inspire Change in Nursing Practice through Research and Evidence-Based Practice at UPMC St. Margaret Hospital, 5/23/14.**

**Invited to present both podium and poster presentation at the 5th Annual Nursing Research Symposium: Mission Zero: Eliminating Preventable Harm at Stanford Children's Hospital, 6/2/14.**

**Invited to present poster for the June 16/17, 2014 @ UPMC Horizons Nursing Conference.**

**Invited and Presented at the Omics International Nursing and Healthcare Conference in San Francisco, CA, October-5-7<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Abstract published in the Omics International Nursing and Healthcare Journal.**

**Invited and Presented at the International Nursing and Healthcare Conference in Orlando, Florida, October 26-28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Abstract Published in the Conference Abstract Journal.**

Manuscript publication: *Clinical Nurse Specialist Journal of Advanced Practice*. **Evaluation of a Surgical Site Discharge Teaching Tool using Pictures and a Mirror**. March/April 2016. doi: 10.1097/NUR.000000000000186.

Selected as Editorial Board Member for the *Journal of Nursing and Health Sciences*. March-2015. Editorial published, April 2015. **Quality Improvement for Surgical Patients**.

**Editorial published-Journal of Nursing & Health Sciences. May-June, 2015. **International Conference on Nursing and Healthcare**.**