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PRESENT EMPLOYMENTS

***Georgia Southern University
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**Current Position
Faculty Instructor
Nursing Department**

***Hospice Savannah
1352 Eisenhower Drive
Savannah, GA 31406***

**Current Position
RN Triage Nurse**

***GA Licensure
RN134310***

OBJECTIVES

Promote well-being, innovative care, and maintain dignity as an active participant of the health care faculty and a liaison within the community regarding nursing student education.

MANAGEMENT

- * Capable of setting up scheduling***
- * Strong time-management skills***
- * Facilitate group meetings***
- * Composite seminars & up-dates***
- * Coordinate cares with patients, families, students, and facilities***
- * Knowledgeable of CCNE & Nursing Board Regs***
- * Capable of negotiating with contract facilities and agencies to accommodate student needs***
- * Ability to manipulate scheduling according to student & department needs***
- * Experience with budget planning & implementation***
- * Develop, promote and implement educational activities for various levels and disciplines***
- * Experienced with interviewing, hiring, disciplinary actions and dismissals of staff/ student when alternative actions were not effective***

COMPETENCIES

- Direct patient & family care***
- Audit review and quality improvement***
- Patient/ family advocate focus care planning***
- Staff, student, and community Educator***
- Ability to develop and implement educational activities***
- Test writing skills, evaluation of test validity***
- Ability to design, implement, and evaluate course curriculum***
- Define and initiate research in formal and informal format to effectively collect data with focus to improve care, education, and / or budget funding.***
- Program and Evaluation process development & evaluation***

EDUCATION

Capella University, Minneapolis MN
2009 – 2013 (Anticipated) PhD in Education – Nursing

Georgia State University, Atlanta GA
2006 – Spring 2009 (course work, only)

Winona State University, Winona MN
1994 – MSN -Education

Viterbo College, Lacrosse WI
1992 – BSN

Western Wisconsin Technical College, Lacrosse WI
1987 – ADN

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- **NLNA** – National League of Nursing Association
- **Sigma Theta Tau** – National (Joined Local) , Elected for Nominating Committee (2010)
- **HPNA** – (National) Hospice & Palliative Nursing Association (1994-current)
- **GHPCO** – (State) Georgia Hospice & Palliative Care Organization
(Education Committee, 2003-2006)
- **GANE** – (State) Georgia Association of Nursing Educators
(Poster and Presentation Evaluation Committee 2009 - 2010)
- **HOW** – (State) Hospice Organization of Wisconsin (member 1993- 2000)
(Education Committee, 1995-1997)

CERTIFICATIONS

National Board for Certification Hospice & Palliative Nursing (CHPN) – 1996-Current

Certified Hospice Administrator - 2004

Certified EPEC Trainer - 2001

National Professional Certification - Palliative Care Specialist - 2000

Hospice Institute Certification Program - Certified Hospice Trainer - 1996

WORK HISTORY

Georgia Southern University

- *Faculty Instructor Fall 2012 - Current*

Hospice Savannah, Inc. Savannah, GA

- **After-hour Triage RN 2005 - Current**
- *Director of Education 2000 – 2005*
- *Admissions Manager 1999 – 2000*
- *Homecare Manager 1998 - 1999*
- *RN Team Leader 1997 – 1998*

College of Coastal Georgia

- Assistant Professor 2010 – Summer 2012

Armstrong Atlantic State University

- Assistant Professor 2005-2010
- Clinical Instructor 2003 – Jan-May

Savannah Technical College, Savannah, GA

- Adjunct 2004 – (A&P Class)

Community Hospice – VNA, Lacrosse WI

-Hospice Director 1995–1997

Unity Hospice, LaCrosse WI

-Homecare Hospice Nurse 1992 – 1995

Norseland Nursing Home, Westby WI

-Night Nurse Supervisor 1989 – 1993

Lutheran Hospital, Lacrosse WI

-Medical/Oncology Staff Nurse 1988 - 1994

St. Mary's Hospital, Sparta, WI

-Medical/ Surgical Nurse 1987 - 1988

PUBLICATIONS:

Palliative Care Nursing Self-Study Modules (2013)

Continued Education (Lead author)
Module 3- Advanced Stage Disease States

Palliative Care Nursing Self-Study Modules (2009)

Continued Education through Georgia Nursing Association
Module 6 – Facilitating Communication & Advanced Care Planning in Palliative Care
Module 7 – Cultural Influences on Advanced Disease Management

ATI Fundamental Module, 6.0 ed. (2007, Jan.)

Chapter 83 – Glucose Monitoring
Chapter 84 – Gastroenterol Feedings
Chapter 85 – Nasogastric Tubes

PRESENTATIONS:

Local:

2009 - **Pain Management in EOL Care**
Ogeechee Hospice – Statesboro & Local Nursing Home staff
2007: **Palliative/Hospice Care Refresher Course for the Health Professional**
125 participants/ one day seminar /the East Alabama Medical Center

State/Regional:

2012: Implementing a Concept-Based Curriculum (Univ. Kansas City)
- **Altering Clinical Time to Emphasize Concepts of Collaboration and**

Communication

- 2011: Georgia Association of Nursing Educators
Student Nurses' Attitudes toward Care of the Dying
- 2008: Georgia Association of Nursing Educators Poster presentation
Pilot study: **Amish Perceptions of Dying, Death and Loss**

National/International:

- 2013: Elsevier Faculty Development Conference – Las Vegas, NV
- **Poster Presentation: Altering Clinical Time to Emphasize Concepts of Collaboration and Communication** – Jan. 2-5, 2013
- 2009 HPNA Professional Nurse Web/Teleconference
Topic: **“Care of the Amish Patient”** - May 13, 2009
- 2008 Hospice & Palliative Nursing Association
Clinical Practice Forum: Caring for people who are not like me.
Topic: **“Diversity Circle – Amish culture”** - September 5-6, 2008 in Pittsburg, PA
100% of the evaluations were highly favorable.
- 2007 National Association of Orthopaedic Nurses' Annual Congress.
Topic: **“Pain: issues of mobility”** - May 19-23, 2007 in St. Louis, MO
90% of the evaluation was highly favorable.
- 2007 Hospice & Palliative Care Study Seminar in Britain
Topic: **“Hospice in the US”** March 14-April 3, 2007 in London, England
40 participants from various nations

Conferences Actively Facilitated

2004 -EPEC Conference (Educating Physicians on End of Life Care)

- 35 participants (community Physicians and advanced practice health care workers)
- Composite, facilitated and designed program using EPEC modules
- Chaired committee to include all local hospitals and universities

1996 - HOW Spring Fling

- Good Grief, How the Caregiver Copes
- 25 participants (Multidiscipline – RN, SW, CNA, Volunteers, PC)
- 2.0 hour presentation
- Composite, Present, Evaluate, & Review
- Handouts, lecture, overhead, and interactive

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Course Coordinator Experiences

- *Pharmacology I & II (2 credits each/ junior I & junior II BSN students)*
- *Fundamental Nursing Care (1 year, BSN Students)*
- *Adult Health I (4 years, BSN Students)*
- *EB Research – BSN Students (5 yrs, class and online)*
- *Pathophysiology – (Summer sessions X5)*
- *Palliative Care Nursing Elective (4 yrs, class and online)*
- *Introductory Pharmacology (2 yrs, high focus on Medication Calculations)*
- *Clinical Instructor (Adult Health I)*
- *Independent Study Course (one to three students for remediation)*
- *International Nursing (study abroad course to London and Paris)*

Course Co-faculty or Assisted Experiences

- *Adult Health I (6 semesters)*

- *Assessment Labs, Skills Labs, Clinical Instructor (Adult Health I)*
- *Fundamental Nursing Care (1 year, ADN Students)*

ADDITIONAL EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCES

Hospice Savannah Orientation - Monthly

- *5-30 participants (volunteers & new staff)*
- *4 day curriculum- Basic Hospice 101*
- *Assist in Composite, Facilitate, and present*

Advanced Hospice Training – 3/year

- *3-15 participants (Clinical Staff – RN, SW, PC, CNA, & Alt. Therapies)*
- *2 day curriculum- Disease process, professionalism, COP's, JCAHO, etc.*
- *Composite, Facilitate and present*

CHPN Review Course – 1 to 2 per year (based on need)

- *3-12 participants (RN's & LPN's preparing for exam)*
- *2 day curriculum- Hospice & palliative practices*
- *Composite, Facilitate and present*

Resident Curriculum Segment

- *15-30 participants (Resident Physicians in Internal and Family Practice)*
- *1.5 hours presentation on Hospice care, Pain & Symptom Management the Palliative Approach, Communicating Bad News, Hospitalization of Hospice Patients, etc.*
- *Composite & present*
- *Two week rotation in Hospice consisting of facility, homecare, and interdisciplinary exposure and application*

Contracted Long Term Facilities

- *5-30 participants (Nursing Home Staff – RN, LPN, CNA, and general staff)*
- *0.25 – 1.5 hour presentation on hospice care, infection control, advanced directives, bereavement, and general end of life issues*
- *Composite & Present*

UK for Palliative Care- 2 week seminar (March 14-April 3, 2007)

- Promote the implementation of 3 activities from the conference:

1. Use of Day Hospice in the US, presented to CEO of Hospice Savannah,
2. Addressed the need for International Health Care education to students
 - * Proposed/fulfilled a study abroad, took class of 12 BSN students/ Spring 2008)
3. Apply research interviews and seminar education to enhance Dissertation work
 - * Presented to Hospice Savannah & Senior Care Center to promote collaborated effort

Boot Camp for Nurse Educators (Jan 27-30, 2006)

- Promote the implementation of 3 activities from the conference:

1. Implemented use of 1 Minute Assessment in the clinical setting and shared idea with other clinical instructors for Adult Health I
2. Addressed the need for 100% accuracy of Calculation exam (Particularly in 3345)
3. Restructure of Skills check offs from a teaching focus to a learning focus
 - Using case scenarios increased use in Skills lab, advance with this in 2007