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EDUCATION

University of Alabama
Ed.D. in Instructional Leadership – Nursing Education **2023 - Present**

University of Rochester – Warner School of Education
M.S. Health Professions Education **2014**

Nazareth College of Rochester
B.S. Nursing **2010**
Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society – Pi Psi Chapter
Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship
Dean’s List, Two semesters

University of Rochester
B.A. Psychology **2006**

LICENSURE

New York R.N. Licensure **2010 - Present**
Arizona R.N. Licensure **2020 - Present**

CERTIFICATIONS

Certification in Inclusive Instruction for Equitable Learning **2023**
(Association of College and University Educators)
This certificate signifies my completion of a 5-module course in inclusive teaching practices requiring the implementation of evidence-based instructional approaches. The certificate distinguishes faculty for their commitment to educational excellence and student success.

Certified Academic Clinical Nurse Educator **2022 - Present**
Certified Apple Teacher **2022 - Present**
Certified Cardiac-Vascular Registered Nurse **2019 - Present**
Certified Neuroscience Registered Nurse **2013 - Present**

ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Beginning Medical-Surgical Nursing
University of Rochester School of Nursing
Accelerated Bachelor’s Program for Non-Nurses
Didactic Faculty: Summer 2021 – present
Clinical Faculty: Spring 2014 – Summer 2015, Summer 2021 - present

Health Assessment for Nurse Leaders and Educators

University of Rochester School of Nursing
Masters in Nursing Education Program
Didactic & Lab Faculty: Fall 2022 – present

Transition to Practice

University of Rochester School of Nursing
Accelerated Bachelor's Program for Non-Nurses
Clinical Faculty: Summer 2022 – Spring 2024

Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing

University of Rochester School of Nursing
Accelerated Bachelor's Program for Non-Nurses
Clinical Faculty: Fall 2014, Spring 2018 – Fall 2020

Nursing Health Assessment

University of Rochester School of Nursing
Accelerated Bachelor's Program for Non-Nurses
Lab Faculty: Spring 2017 – Fall 2017

Adult/Older Adult Health I

St. John Fisher University
Traditional Nursing BS Program
Clinical Faculty: Spring 2015

Adult/Older Adult Health II

St. John Fisher University
Traditional Nursing BS Program
Clinical Faculty: Spring 2013, Fall 2013

CLINICAL WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Rochester Medical Center, Cardiac Cath/EP Lab

Registered Nurse, Senior Level III

2018 – Present

Provide direct patient care to adults undergoing emergent and routine cardiac and vascular procedures as part of a multidisciplinary team

University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600

Clinical Nurse Educator, Level V

2015 - 2018

Provide educational experiences and opportunities for novice to experienced nurses working on a neurosurgery step-down unit. Responsible for unit stroke compliance measures to assist in maintaining The Joint Commission Comprehensive Stroke Certification.

University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600
Registered Nurse, Level I to Senior Level III **2010 - 2015**

Provide direct nursing care to adults on a neurosurgery step-down unit, collaborate with members of the healthcare team, precept new nurses, and function as the charge nurse.

University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600
Patient Care Technician **2007-2009**

Provide hands-on care to help patients with ADLs, and assist the nurses with basic care, VS, blood draws, and BGs.

PRESENTATIONS

Santory, K. & Morris, T. (2024, April). *Surviving to Thriving: Cultivating Self-Care and Resilience in Early Career Academia* [Conference Session Presentation]. Faculty Women of Color in the Academy Conference, Arlington, Virginia, United States.

Santory, K. & Burke, K. (2024, March). *Implementing PlayPosit in a Graduate-Level Course* [Conference Session Presentation]. Teaching and Learning with Technology Symposium. Ithaca, College, Ithaca, New York, United States.

Santory, K., Dukes, M., Minges, M., Mastin, M., Pierre, C., Oquendo, B., & Rumfola, R. (2016, May). *Don't Wait...Ambulate: 5-3600 Mobility Taskforce Initiative* [Poster Presentation]. University of Rochester Medical Center National Nurses Week Best Practice Showcase. University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, New York, United States.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Faculty Women of Color in the Academy Conference **2023, 2024**
Attendee

University of Rochester School of Nursing
 Undergraduate Sub-Committee **2022 - Present**
Member

NurseThink Next Gen Learning Conference **2022**
Attendee
 Hands-on conference for educators to learn about the Next Gen NCLEX and develop teaching strategies and learning activities to foster clinical judgment in nursing students.

University of Rochester Medical Center, Cardiac Cath/EP Lab **2019 - Present**
Safety Nurse
 Participation in and creation of safety initiatives to enhance the safety of patients, families, and staff in the Cardiac Cath/EP Lab.

- University of Rochester Medical Center, Cardiac Cath/EP Lab
Preceptor **2019 - Present**
 Oversee the clinical Cath Lab orientation of experienced and novice nurses who transfer to the Cardiac Cath/EP Lab.
- Nazareth College, Pinning Ceremony **5/2022**
Keynote Speaker **5/2013**
 Provided the keynote speech for the graduating nursing class.
- University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600
CNRN Certification Course Developer **2017 - 2018**
 Created a certification program for eligible nurses to review neuroscience nursing topics and successfully pass the Certified Neuroscience Registered Nurse exam.
- American Association of Neuroscience Nursing Annual Conference **2016**
Attendee
 Educational conference on the latest innovations and developments in neuroscience nursing.
- University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600
Mobility Task Force Initiative Co-creator **2016**
 Developed an interdisciplinary mobility task force to increase the mobility of complex patients on a neurosurgical step-down unit.
Presenter
 “Don’t Wait...Ambulate! 5-3600 Mobility Taskforce Initiative” results presented during the National Nurses Week Best Practice Showcase.
- American Association of Neuroscience Nursing Annual Conference **2014**
Attendee
- University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600
Mentoring Program Developer **2013 - 2018**
 Created a mentoring program for new nurses and coordinated the placement of newly hired nurses with more experienced nurses, following up with participants to assess progress and areas for improvement.
- University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600
Preceptor **2012 - 2018**
 Oversee the clinical orientation of new graduate nurses to the unit through clinical competencies and checklists.

University of Rochester Medical Center, Unit 5-3600

Journal Club Chairperson

2011 - 2018

Search, present, and lead discussions on current research related to the complex adult neurosurgery patient population.

Nazareth College: Sigma Theta Tau

Pi Psi Newsletter Editor

2011 - 2015

Create and distribute a quarterly newsletter for Pi Psi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau to active members.

MEMBERSHIPS

National Black Nurses Association

2023 - present

Rochester Black Nurses Association

2023 - present

American Association of Neuroscience Nurses

2013 - present

American Heart Association

2013 - present

Council on Cardiovascular and Stroke Nursing

Sigma Theta Tau Epsilon Xi Chapter

2010 – present

Activity and Events Coordinator

VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Lasagna Love Volunteer

2020 - present

Make and deliver lasagnas weekly to people facing food insecurity

Salvation Army Community Thanksgiving Volunteer

2016 - present

Volunteer yearly to donate food and help serve food to the homeless individuals in the Rochester, NY community

Young Mothers Program Volunteer

2000 – 2003

Worked with teen mothers to provide support and create a supportive and nurturing environment that focused on being successful in school while being a mother