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Education

2005	University of Rochester, School of Nursing: Master of Science Degree in Health Care Leadership, Health Promotion, Health Education & Technology.
2003	Roberts Wesleyan College: Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing
1990	Monroe Community College: AAS Degree in Nursing.
1986	Wyoming County Community Hospital: Graduate of LPN program.

Professional Experience

I currently work at the University of Rochester, School of Nursing as an Assistant Professor of Clinical Nursing in the accelerated nursing program and in the RN to BS program. At the University of Rochester, School of Nursing, I teach clinical nursing for fundamental classes as well as advanced med surgical nursing and health assessment. I am also a course coordinator where I provide didactic content to students.

Another function of my job at the school of nursing has been student counseling with the Center for Academic and Professional Success (CAPS). The CAPS program fosters constructive relations and interaction between nursing students and faculty while cultivating personal and professional growth as well as a commitment to lifelong learning. As a member of the CAPS team, I provide academic and clinical support by helping students develop learning strategies, study habits, critical thinking abilities, and career management skills that are essential to their successful academic performance and professional advancement.

My clinical practice includes adult critical care, cardiac step down, medical/surgical nursing, nursing supervision and clinical education. My professional positions have been in critical care nursing in the intensive care unit, charge nurse, admission nurse coordinator, and nursing supervisor.

2005 – PRESENT UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER SCHOOL OF NURSING-255 Crittenden Blvd, Rochester, NY 14642

Nursing faculty for Accelerated Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Program:

- Teach Junior/senior nursing students in medical/surgical rotations.
- Teach lab utilizing computerized SIM MAN for case studies.
- Teach health assessment class for RN to BS program as well as undergraduate program.
- Course coordinator for fundamentals in nursing program. Provide lectures, coordinated program. Oversaw lab faculty and clinical faculty.
- Caps Representative. Counseled students in class work and test taking strategies.
- Clinical faculty coordinator for the Dedicated Educational Unit.
- Academic advisor to approximately 20 students each semester

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• Teach research, case management and health assessment in the RN to BS program

2021-Present Corning Guthrie Hospital Corning, NY

Nursing Supervisor:

• Responsible for all nursing services: Medical Surgical Services, ICU, Labor and Delivery, ED, and ancillary departments.

2005-2009 UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER MEDICAL CENTER-601 Elmwood Ave, Rochester, NY 14642

Specialist in Poison Information:

- Provided information regarding emergency poisoning exposures, information on prescription and nonprescription medications, questions on drug interactions as well as information for health care professionals about breastfeeding.
- Advised medical management to health care providers for patients with toxic ingestions.
- Triage/evaluated each patient and the severity of the exposure in order to determine the treatment needed.
- Follow-up calls to health care facilities and home to evaluate progression of each patient.

1992-2005 HIGHLAND HOSPITAL-1000 SOUTH AVE, ROCHESTER, NY 14620

Level 3 Staff Nurse

- Provided nursing care to critically ill patients.
- Worked as charge nurse and preceptor for new employees/new graduates.
- Nursing Supervisor. (1995-2002). Responsible for two surgical units, three medical departments, emergency, intensive care, OR, labor and delivery/mother baby and all ancillary departments within the organization. Responsibilities included: Staffing, responding to all in—house emergencies, administrative decisions during evening and night shift.
- Highland Hospital: Admission Coordinator (per-diem): (2001-2002). Directed/facilitated admissions from the ED, OR, transfer center, and other outlying hospitals.

1990-2002 UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER MEDICAL CENTER-601 Elmwood Ave, Rochester, NY 14642

Level 2 Staff Nurse Bone Marrow Transplant Unit:

• Provided nursing care to patients undergoing Bone marrow transplants. Administered chemotherapy, blood products. Administered bone marrow transplant.

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Licensure NYS: Registered Professional Nurse

• License number (426348—1).

Presentations

2014The Association for Nursing Professional Development (ANPD)
Convention Content Planning Committee. Poster Presentation Abstract submission: Creating
a Teaching Village: A DEU Clinical/Academic Partnership. July 16 – 19 2014 at the Disney
Coronado Springs Resort in Orlando, FL.

Awards

- 2003 Who's Who Award. Roberts Wesleyan College
- 2014 The Josephine Craytor Nursing Faculty Award. University of Rochester School of Nursing: Outstanding Nurse Educator.

Memberships

2015-2017 Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing. Epsilon Xi Chapter. Board Member and Vice President.