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CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Master of Science in Nursing
Belmont University, Nashville, TN
December 2012

Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Belmont University, Nashville, TN
December 2007

LICENSE & CERTIFICATIONS

Family Nurse Practitioner: Board Certified by ANCC: Certification Number 2013001226
Advanced Practice Nurse: Tennessee: License Number 17406 (expires 12/31/2024)
State of Tennessee, Registered Nurse: License Number 163420 (expires 12/31/2024)
Drug Enforcement Agency Number: available on request
Certified Rehabilitation Registered Nurse (CRRN) (expires December 31, 2025)
Basic Life Support (BLS), American Red Cross (expires 2/01/2024)

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

Vanderbilt University Hospital
Vanderbilt Stallworth Rehabilitation Hospital

EMPLOYMENT

Nurse Practitioner, Assistant in the Department of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
Vanderbilt School of Medicine, Faculty member
November 2013 – Present

- PM&R outpatient clinic providing care for SCI, Spina Bifida, CP, Stroke, and TBI patients.
- Consultation service at Vanderbilt University Hospital for PM&R department: Trauma, Burn, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Geriatric, and Internal Medicine services. Provided PM&R consultation recommendations for post-acute care rehabilitation needs, as well as acute inpatient needs based on diagnosis
- Perform complete new patient admissions, including: History & Physical Exams, new patient orders, formulating plan of care, medication reconciliation
- Inpatient rounding and patient medical management in 80-bed acute rehab facility
- Discharge preparation, including orders, medication reconciliation, patient & family education, and discharge summaries for inpatient rehab patients

Medical Director: Rehab Without Walls, NeuroSolutions – Outpatient Neuro Therapy Centers

Tennessee Branches (Hendersonville & Murfreesboro)

August 2022 – Present

- Oversees facility operations collaboratively with Therapy Director. Assist with protocol development and faculty/staff education & compliance.

Program Director: Spinal Cord & Stroke Programs

Vanderbilt Stallworth Rehabilitation Hospital

May 2013 – October 2013

- Executes program developmental ventures for Joint Commission Disease Specific Certifications: Spinal Cord Injury & Stroke
- Reported directly to Hospital CEO and collaborated with entire interdisciplinary team (Physical/Occupational/Speech therapist, Nursing staff, dietitian, Respiratory care department, and Case Management) to promote program operations
- Ensure all staff (Stroke/SCI team members) are appropriately trained /credentialed and maintained required competencies for team membership
- Provided staff education for SCI and Stroke related topics

Family Nurse Practitioner

Nashville Primary Care- Skyline Medical Plaza

February 2013- October 2013

- Outpatient primary care medical management of patients with acute and chronic conditions
- Perform complete patient physical exams, diagnose and treat acute illnesses, and chronic disease medical management
- Provide patient and family education based on disease/condition and refer to specialists as indicated

Registered Nurse/Charge Nurse/Nursing Supervisor

Vanderbilt Stallworth Rehabilitation Hospital

June 2008- April 2013

Registered Nurse: Surgical Intensive Care Unit

Vanderbilt University Medical Center

January 2008 – June 2008

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Association of Practitioners (AANP) Member

American Academy of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (AAPM&R) Member

Association of Rehabilitation (ARN) Nurses Member

Academy of Spinal Cord Injury Professionals (ASCIP) Member

Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society: Omicron Phi Chapter

Vanderbilt Advanced Practice Nurse (APN) Council member

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

LECTURES PRESENTED

April 27, 2023: Spasticity Management. Rehab Without Walls, Hendersonville, TN location, staff in-service.

October 27, 2022: Autonomic Dysreflexia. Rehab Without Walls, Hendersonville, TN location, staff in-service

September 21, 2021: Advanced Practice Nurse Grand Rounds, Vanderbilt University Medical Center

- Post-Acute Care Rehabilitation: Transitions of Care and the Role of PM&R

July 22, 2019: PM&R Residency Didactic Lecture

- Nurse Practitioner Workflow & Culture

July 6, 2017: PM&R Residency Didactic Lecture

- Rehabilitation Nursing Care: A Comprehensive Review

July 14, 2016: PM&R Residency Didactic Lecture

- Rehabilitation Nursing Care: A Comprehensive Review

October 2012: ARN National Conference (Vanderbilt Stallworth Rehab Hospital Site Tour)

- Spinal Cord Injury Bowel & Bladder Management

PRECEPTORSHIP

Preceptor for several nurse practitioner students from Belmont and Union Universities

- Vanderbilt School of Nursing FNP student: 100 hours of preceptorship, May – July 2023
- Belmont University FNP student: 111 hours of preceptorship, January –April 2022
- Belmont University FNP student: 120 hours of preceptorship, August – November 2021
- Belmont University FNP student: 50 hours of preceptorship, January – March 2021
- Belmont University FNP student: 92 hours of preceptorship, July – September 2020
- Belmont University FNP student: 84 hours of preceptorship, January – May 2018
- Belmont University FNP student: 99 hours of preceptorship, May – July 2017
- Belmont University FNP student: 107 hours of preceptorship, January – May 2017
- Union University FNP student: 80 hours of preceptorship: August – December 2016

MENTORSHIP

Purpose Mentorship Program, Belmont University – August 2022 – April 2023

- Mentorship program designed to prepare students to connect with and stay true to their broader purpose while navigating their chosen field of work/nursing career.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

ARN Advanced Practice Nurse Special Interest Group, 2020
Belmont University Alumni Association, 2020
Hospital Inclusion & Diversity Committee member: Vanderbilt Stallworth, 2020- current
Evidence Based Nursing Practice Fellowship: Vanderbilt University Medical Center, 2014-2015

TEMPLATE CONTENT DEVELOPMENT

Develop several diagnosis specific templates (SCI, TBI, Stroke, Amputee, General Rehab) in eStar for the PM&R consult service, 2019 – 2020

TELEHEALTH DISCHARGE CLINIC

Assisted with establishing and providing care in a telehealth discharge clinic during the onset of the pandemic when COVID-19 closures made access to in-person outpatient clinic visits difficult for patients who recently discharged from inpatient rehab at Stallworth, April – May 2020

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), Nannie Berry Elementary School, August 2020 - current
HEAT Kids triathlon volunteer, Vanderbilt Adaptive Sports, Sumner County YMCA, July 31, 2021
VBS Buddy for child with special needs, Long Hollow Baptist Church, July 13-16, 2021
Kids Camp Nurse, Long Hollow Baptist Church at Deer Run Retreat Center, June 5-6, 2021
Special Needs Parents Night Out Volunteer Nurse, Long Hollow Baptist Church, February 2020
AANP NP Influence Survey Volunteer, 2020

AWARDS

Academy for Excellence in Clinical Medicine (AECM), Vanderbilt University Medical Center, inducted December 2022, ceremony February 21, 2023

Patient & Family Choice Award *nominee*, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, March 2023

Excellence in Nursing Award, Belmont University Celebrates 50th Anniversary by recognizing 50 outstanding School of Nursing Graduates/alumni: May 14, 2022

Clinical Excellence Award, Vanderbilt Stallworth Rehabilitation Hospital: 2009

Nurse of the Year Award, Vanderbilt Stallworth Rehabilitation Hospital: 2009