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Administration Position

Northeastern University, Boston, Ma

August 2023- present

Visiting Clinical Assistant Professor, Traditional BSN & Direct Entry Program Director

Work with the Dean & Assistant Dean of Nursing to oversee program assessment and evaluation, manage accreditation and/or licensing review as needed by specific program; and/or university requirement, including but not limited to monitoring the academic integrity of program content, managing periodic evaluation and revision of the program student learning outcomes and assessment plan, monitoring compliance of program content with university and college policies, monitoring compliance of program content with program accreditation standards, licensing requirements, and industry best practices. Research, recommend, initiate, and manage revision of program curricula, in collaboration with all school program directors, faculty and Assistant Dean / Dean, utilizing a continuous quality improvement process. Collaborate with other school program directors, Assistant Dean / Dean to forecast and manage the allocation of program and university resources Orient new faculty hires regarding program student learning outcomes and assessment and other matters specific to instruction within the program. Review part-time faculty evaluations with Assistant Dean of Nursing and make recommendations regarding future part-time faculty hiring. Support and mentor undergraduate nursing faculty. Provide student support and resources while upholding the academic standards of the nursing program. Teach in the classroom setting, participate in the nursing governance structure,

Bunker Hill Community College, Charlestown, Ma

June 2021- August 2023

Director of Nurse Education

Responsibilities and authority for the administrative and instructional activities of the Nurse Education program. Accountable for the safe and lawful operations of the Nurse Education program with responsibility to students, faculty, and college administration. Includes management of regulations as put forth by the Massachusetts Board of Nursing and the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN), the program budget, and the overall development and maintenance of the Nursing Program. Collaboration with faculty, staff,

Assistant Dean and Dean of Health Sciences to continue program growth and success. Oversight of all nursing educational components of the program including didactic, clinical, simulation and lab.

Faculty/Education Positions

Bunker Hill Community College, Charlestown, MA

March 2017- June 2021, Nursing Professor

Nursing Faculty didactic in Pediatrics, & Advanced Medical/Surgical Nursing. Responsible for Development and implementation of learning activities for the adult learner in the Alternative Nursing Program. Pediatric Simulation facilitator for third semester nursing students. Developed and implemented pediatric and maternity simulation.

Ascend Learning: ATI NCLEX Review Educator Per Diem

March 2018- May 2021

Teach NCLEX preparation review course from ATI for Senior Nursing Students in both LPN and RN nursing programs.

Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston MA

March 2017- Dec 2017, part-time Education Specialist

June 2015 – March 2017, full-time Education Specialist

Educator for New Graduate Residency Program along with inpatient & ambulatory Pediatrics. For Pediatrics, developed and implemented annual competencies, specialty in-services, monthly education knowledge offerings, in-situ simulated mock codes, policies and procedures, and new nurse orientation structure. For New Graduate Residency Program developed framework and educational structure. Incorporated classroom education, simulation and reflection into the program development.

Bunker Hill Community College, Charlestown, MA

September 2013 –2015, Assistant Nursing Professor

Nursing Faculty didactic in Pediatrics, Advanced Medical/Surgical Nursing and Physical Assessment. Responsible for Development and implementation of learning activities for the adult learner. Pediatric clinical instructor for third semester nursing students at Mass Eye and Ear.

South Shore Hospital, Weymouth, MA

August 2009 – January 2011, Clinical Nurse Specialist NICU

Clinical Educator for 80 member level II/ III NICU staff, responsible for developing and teaching educational programs based on staff needs assessments. Co-developer of level II/III Neonatal Transport Program implemented initial education and yearly competency program for transport team members. Additionally, NICU nurse and ancillary staff orientation enhanced bedside RN skill/education, neonatal illness/disease education, in-hospital and community outreach of SIDS awareness/education. Mentoring and resourcing NICU staff to enhance bedside care.

Clinical Positions

Trinity Christian Academy – Barnstable, Mass

September 2021- present, Per Diem School Nurse

School nurse for a K-12 private school. Responsible for medical concerns/issues of all students in school. Medication administration and monitoring. Emergency preparedness support.

Mass Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston, MA

Dec 2017- March 2021, Per Diem Pediatric RN

August 2014 – June 2015, Per Diem Pediatric RN

Staff RN on the 10th floor Pediatric floor an inpatient and ambulatory (day surgery) unit Preparing pediatric patients and families for surgery. Beside care encompasses assessment, pre-op preparation, post – op care including airway management, surgical site monitoring and care, and education along with discharge teaching and preparation.

South Shore Hospital, Weymouth, MA

March 2011- June 2014 NICU Staff RN

Staff RN in a 30-bed level II and level III NICU. Utilizes family centered care while providing medical and respiratory support to premature and/or full-term infants. Bedside Care encompasses primary airway and circulatory support through oral feeding skills preparing for discharge home. Member of the Neonatal Transport Team and high-risk delivery team.

Dec 2010- March 2011, Maternity Leave

January 2002- August 2009, NICU Staff RN

Staff RN in a 30-bed level II and level III NICU. Utilizes family centered care while providing medical and respiratory support to premature and/or full-term infants. Bedside Care encompasses primary airway and circulatory support through oral feeding skills preparing for discharge home. Member of the Neonatal Transport Team and high-risk delivery team.

Weymouth Public Schools, Weymouth, MA

September 2000- January 2002, Elementary School Nurse

Cared for children in grades K-5, provided on site nursing care along with age-appropriate health education.

Children's Hospital, Boston, MA

August 1999- September 2000, RN PICU

Staff RN in a 24-bed unit, managed children in acute medical and surgical crisis. Provided medical/surgical and respiratory support to children ages 0-21 in medical crisis.

Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC

September 1996- July 1999, RN Pedi Bone Marrow and PICU

Staff RN in a 15-bed unit, managed children requiring bone marrow transplants. Provided medical care for children with graft vs. host disease, neutropenia, sepsis and respiratory compromise.

Staff RN in a 20-bed unit, managed children requiring acute medical, surgical, and cardiac care. Provided medical/surgical and respiratory support to children ages 0-21 in crisis.

FELLOWSHIP

Bunker Hill Community College: Faculty Research Fellowship 2020

Retention and Nursing Program completion rates focused research.

EDUCATION

Nursing License Number

RN218070 Registered Nurse & Certified Pediatric Nurse Practitioner – CPNP

Northeastern University, Boston, Mass

Doctor of Medical Science (DMs) candidate expected graduation Spring 2025

Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Mass - Graduate Degree

Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) and Master of Art (MA), dual degree May 2009

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner MSN

Pastoral Ministry MA - Pastoral Care and Counseling

Northeastern University, Boston, Mass - Undergraduate Degree

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) June 1996

Certifications

Healthcare Simulation Educator Certificate – Spring 2020

Adult Mental Health First Aid USA Certificate – Spring 2022

Nurse Professional Development Certification- 2016 (current 2023)

Basic Life Support – Provider 6/18/2024