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Objective

My objective is to train up BSN-prepared nurses to go into every person's world with excellent medical knowledge and skills and with the love of Jesus.

About me

I was raised in Hopewell, VA with 2 brothers: a twin brother (he's 23 minutes older) and a younger brother. All 3 of us graduated from Hopewell High School. I have been happily married for 33 years and am a proud Mom to 4 kids (2 of which include another set of boy-girl twins!). I am a huge sports fan and prefer anything involving the outdoors.

My professional goal is: to become a certified animal therapist and utilize therapy dogs in my practice. My heart is to see AAT (animal-assisted therapy) reduce my patient's anxiety and other health issues.

Education

DNP, Maryville University , St. Louis, MO	May 2018
Doctor of Nursing Practice, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
MSN-FNP, Old Dominion University , Norfolk, VA	December 2012
Master of Science in Nursing (MSN), <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP), Board Certified	February 2013
American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC)	
BSN, Oral Roberts University , Tulsa, OK	May 1998
Bachelor of Science in Nursing, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Hopewell High School , Hopewell, VA	1986
General studies degree	

Professional credentials

RN license, OK	expires 11/30/20
NP license, OK	expires 11/30/20



Professional experience

Oral Roberts University, Anna Vaughn College of Nursing	August, 2019 - present
DNP Program Director, Associate Professor and FNP Clinical Coordinator	
Virginia Cancer Institute	July 2016-May 2018
Oncology Nurse Practitioner	
Appomattox Area Health and Wellness Center, Petersburg, VA	November 2014-July 2016
Family Nurse Practitioner	
Crater Community Hospice, Petersburg, VA	October 2014-January 2017
Per diem Nurse Practitioner performing face-to-face hospice re-certifications	
Colonial Orthopaedics, Colonial Heights & Chester, VA	March 2013-January 2014
Nurse Practitioner	

Registered Nurse experience includes:

Adult Critical Care – approx. 6 years – St. Francis Medical Center in Tulsa, OK; Stillwater Medical Center in Stillwater, OK and John Randolph Medical Center in Hopewell, VA

PACU, Adult and Pediatric Critical Care – 3 years – John Randolph Medical Center, Hopewell, VA

Humana home-based Personal Nurse – 5 years

ADON, long-term care – 1 year

Professional memberships

Golden Key National Honor Society	2012-present
National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculty (NONPF)	October 2019-present

Community involvement

Reigning Hope (equine therapy program)	March 2017-October 2018
Livorno, Italy	June 2011
Camp nurse on the US Army Base, Camp Darby, with Outpost Expeditions	
Oradea and Tinca, Romania	September 2009



Short-term mission trip; assisted in the set-up of a medical clinic at Salem Church in Oradea, Romania

PTSD Protocol co-developer, John Randolph Medical Center Hopewell, VA 2011 (approx)

Assisted another recovery nurse and a retired Army Colonel develop a PTSD Protocol.

Managua and Leon, Nicaragua

November 2014; November 2017

I was one of three providers on a medical mission trip. We provided direct medical care via clinics as well as house calls in local barrios. Our patient population included cradle to grave.

References

Available upon request

Anna Vaughn College of Nursing:

New DNP Program Launch: Developer and Director and Associate Professor, Oral Roberts University- Aug 2019-present

BSN to DNP Program with FNP concentration

Duties: development of a new nursing program tract; continual CCNE accreditation preparation; course development; course writer and developer with course designers; textbook evaluation and adoption; Adjunct Faculty development, acquisition and onboarding; writing, development and adoption of policies and procedures; DNP Committee Chair; writer of DNP program Guidebook and DNP Scholarly Project Guidebook

FNP Clinical Coordinator – July 2020 – present

Duties: FNP Clinical Guidebook writer and developer; FNP student facilitator and clinical packet generator and coordinator; FNP student Clinical Preceptor search; FNP student's Clinical Advisor; FNP clinical policies and procedures writer

MSN to DNP Program Launch – July 2020 - present

July 2020 – process began to determine Higher Learner Commission's (HLC) requirements for launch of an MSN-DNP tract

August 12, 2020 – received HLC approval; initial draft of "DNP Independent Studies" course provided to ORU Administration. Other than this course, the MSN-DNP curriculum is ready although some courses are still being written. The proposed launch is set for Fall 2021.



September 2020 – second draft of “DNP Independent Studies” course sent to ORU Administration; plan to submit a new Curriculum Change Proposal (CCP) to register the new course.

Educational Development, Oral Roberts University, Anna Vaughn College of Nursing BSN to DNP program with Family Nurse Practitioner concentration:

Spring 2020:

GDNP 601, *Graduate Orientation*, course writer, developer and Instructor

GDNP 602, *Spirit-Empowered Life and Leadership*, course co-writer

GDNP 655, *Transitioning to the APN Role*, course writer, developer and Instructor

Fall 2020:

GDNP 617, *Advanced Health Assessment*, course co-developer

GDNP 730, *Epidemiology and Population Health*, course writer and developer

NUR 300, *Health Assessment* – section Instructor for the BSN program

MSN to DNP program:

Fall 2020:

GDNP 700 (proposed course number), *DNP Independent Studies*: new course writer, developer and designer. This is an optional course for those that have not completed the required 1,000 clinical hours in their MSN program.

Committees

Academic Council (University appointment) – August 2020 – present

DNP Committee, Chair – August 2019 – present

Native American Nurses Association/Organization – developer and founder – July 2020 – present

Committee member for AARP’s Curriculum Committee - September 2020 - present
Re: a workshop for American Indian-Alaskan Native (AI-AN) nurse mentoring; with Project Analyst, Advocacy & Consumer Affairs, Scott Tanaka, MSW and Dr. Winifred Quinn, Director of Advocacy & Consumer Affairs.

Native American Nursing



July 2020 – began the process of research for the development of an American Indian-Alaskan Native (AI-AN) nursing program with the support of Dean Jezek. This occurred in collaboration with Bev Warne, Mary Isaacson and Valeria Big Eagle of South Dakota State's Native American Nursing Education Center (NANEC – see <https://www.sdstate.edu/native-american-nursing-education-center>). The plan is for a state-wide organization with several mentoring chapters in colleges and universities at all nursing levels. The proposed goals are: 1) to mentor AI-AN nursing students; 2) encourage higher education among native nurses; 3) facilitate better healthcare and healthcare access to the tribes and 4) AI-AN student retention in all levels of nursing education.

August 2020 – recruited the efforts of Dr. Diana Mashburn at Northeastern State University in Muskogee, OK and Dr. Rachel Mack of Frontier University, OKC. They have agreed to be a part of the planning process with me. After the initial interest meeting in October 2020, we plan to organize an Advisory Council with full launch no later than Fall 2021.

September 2020 - brown bag interest meeting invite developed for Tuesday, October 27 from 12-1p CST and sent to nursing educators across OK.

September 9, 2020 – asked to join a committee of Native American and Alaskan Native nurses by Bev Warne of South Dakota State in developing curriculum for AARP. The Committee Facilitator is Scott Tanaka of the AARP Public Policy Institute. The curriculum will be used in a workshop about AI-AN Nurse Mentoring.

October 27, 2020 – first interest meeting