

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Personal Statement

I am an experienced critical care nurse with a passion for education. As a travel nurse, I learned the importance of flexibility and teamwork, which have been important qualities as an educator. I believe in encouraging students to reach their fullest potential by helping them set their own educational goals, setting boundaries, and guiding them through their journey to becoming a nurse. My goal is to assist students to become Holy Spirit empowered nurses who are excellent in their role as nurse.

### Education

Oral Roberts University	May, 2004
Bachelor of Science in Nursing	

Northeastern State University	expected May 2015
Masters of Science in Nursing Education	

### License/ Certification

Registered Nurse State of Illinois	2004-2014, now inactive
Registered Nurse State of Florida	2006-2014, now inactive
Registered Nurse State of California	2007-2009
Registered Nurse State of Iowa	2009-2011
Registered Nurse State of Oklahoma	2010- present
Basic Life Support	2004- present
Advanced Cardiac Life Support	2004- present

### Current Research

Development of Clinical and Adjunct Faculty Evaluation Tool	
Capstone Project	
Northeastern State University,	Spring, 2015
Dr. Heather Fenton, Advisor	

### Professional Membership

American Association of Critical Care Nurses	current
National Rural Health Association	2011-2013
Sigma Theta Tau, Mu Iota Chapter	Fall 2014- current

## **Professional Experience**

### Clinical Experience

St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, OK Contract and Per Diem RN- Adult Intensive Care Unit	7/10 to present
Blake Medical Center, Bradenton, FL Contract RN- Cardiac Intensive Care Unit	2/10-6/10
Mercy Hospital and Medical Center, Chicago, IL Contract RN- Medical Surgical Intensive Care Unit	9/09-2/10
Hammond Henry Hospital, Geneseo, IL Contract RN- Acute Care RN in Critical Access Hospital	5/09-9/09
Blake Medical Center, Bradenton, FL Contract/ Per Diem RN- Cardiac Intensive Care Unit	7/07–5/09
Morton Plan Hospital, Clearwater, FL Travel RN- Cardiac Intensive Care Unit	1/07-7/07
Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, San Jose, CA Travel RN- Medical Intensive Care Unit	10/06-11/06
Mercy Hospital and Medical Center, Chicago, IL Staff RN- Med-Surg Intensive Care Unit	5/04-5/06

### Teaching Experience

Mercy Hospital and Medical Center New Graduate Preceptor Nurse Refresher Preceptor (college)	2005-2006
Morton Plant Medical Center New Graduate Preceptor	2007
Oral Roberts University Simulation Lab Specialist	11/10-3/12

Simulation Lab Manager	3/12-present
Sim Lab Instructor for courses	
NUR 202 Foundations of Nursing	01/11-05/14
NUR 305 Patterns of Health and Illness I	08/11-12/14
NUR 307 Patterns of Health and Illness II	01/11-05/14
Adult and Pediatric sections	
Guest Lecturer for	
NUR 202 Foundations of Nursing	
NUR 304 Community Mental Health Nursing	
NUR 406 Patterns of Health and Illness IV	
Lecturer, Sim lab instructor, Clinical instructor for	
NUR 406 Patterns of Health and Illness IV	Current

### **Service to college**

Development of Community Mentor Program  
 Development of alumni communications  
     Social Media  
     *Progress Notes* newsletter  
     Creation of alumni registry  
 Organization of Spring Alumni reception  
 Organization of fall welcome back picnic for students  
 Developed AVCON Advisory Committee  
 Participated in NEPR grant committee  
 Organization of Curriculum Development Committee  
 Traveled to India as part of an assessment team for future international clinical sites  
 Serve as mentor to students  
 Chaperone and driver for Global Health Missions Conference, Louisville, KY  
 Learning Resource Committee Chair  
 AVCON Student Handbook Committee member

### **Service to University**

Filmed commercials as nursing representative

### **Service to Community**

Served as Royal Family Kids Camp nurse	2011
Served as Royal Family Kids Camp Counselor	2006, 2007, 2009
Church Nursery worker Doxa Church	2012-2014
St. John Medical Center New Graduate Mentor	2013- present

Serve in Resource Center Transformation Church	2014- present
Prison Ministry with Transformation Church	2014- present
<b>Continuing Education</b>	
Basic Arrhythmia Course Mercy Hospital and Medical Center Chicago, IL	Februrary, 2005
Seminar for Intra-Aortic Balloon Pumping Tech Program Mercy Hospital and Medical Center Chicago, IL	March, 2005
Critical Care Nursing: Your Challenge Course E.M.S. Nursing Education Chicago, IL	May, 2005
Protecting Human Research Participants National Institute of Health Office of Extramural Research	May, 2011
Training as a Patient Care Team: Simulation Conference University of Oklahoma Oklahoma City, OK	May, 2011
Rural Health and Critical Access Hospital Conference National Rural Health Association Kansas City, MO	September, 2011 September, 2012
Nurse Educator Bootcamp DI Associates Alq, NM	July, 2012
9 <sup>th</sup> Annual Caring Across Cultures Conference Oklahoma City, OK Kramer College of Nursing	September, 2012
Students in Transition Conference St. Louis, MO National Resource Center	October, 2012
Fall Cardiology Update Seminar Tulsa, OK Oklahoma Heart Institute	November, 2012
13 <sup>th</sup> Annual Nurse Educator Institute DB Productions	April 2013