EDUCATION

DOCTORATE IN NURSING PRACTICE, FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER, Rush University, Chicago (April 2016) MASTER OF SCIENCE, NURSING LEADERSHIP, California State University, Fullerton (May 2012) BACHELOR OF ARTS, CRIMINOLOGY, LAW & SOCIETY (Minor in Management), University of California, Irvine (June 2003)

LICENSURE & CERTIFICATION

CA RN License # 775604

American Heart Association Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) certified American Heart Association Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) certified

American Heart Association/American Academy of Pediatrics Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP) certified

American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS) certified

American Heart Association/American Stroke Association NIH Stroke Scale Certified

EXPERIENCE

California State Fullerton, Fullerton, (Assistant Professor, School of Nursing)

Aug. 16 - Present

- Conducts lecture, simulation competencies, and educates undergraduate students in areas of critical care, nursing theories, ethics, research in advanced nursing, and more.
- Mentor students in their degree pursuits, capstone projects, leadership opportunities, and career development plans.
- Fosters diversity and implements a cohesive learning environment by classroom, online access, and innovative instructional tools.

Kaiser Permanente, Irvine, CA (Per Diem Staff RN, Emergency Department)

Feb. 15- Presen

- Documents assessments, anticipates diagnostics, and manages the planning and implementation of individualized emergency patient care.
- Provides education and support to patients and family members regarding current health status, prognosis and treatment process.
- Plays an active role in staff development, quality improvement, and regulatory compliance in order to provide safe and quality patient care.

Hoag Hospital Presbyterian, Newport Beach, CA (Staff RN, Emergency Department)

Nov. 10 – 2016

- Team member of a nationally designated Stroke Neurology and Cardiac Receiving Center.
- Triage, manage patient throughput, and executes comprehensive patient-centered care in a 71-bed department with a daily census of 170-200 patients.
- Actively demonstrates quality critical care to diverse patient population requiring rapid response and life saving measures in accordance with physician orders, hospital policy, and current evidence-based nursing practice.

California State University, Fullerton, Student Nurse (Pre and Post Licensure)

Aug. 08 - 2012

- Maintained high standards in nursing care for a diverse population of patients ranging from newborn to geriatric in various clinical settings including ICU, rapid response team, ED, labor and delivery, PICU, NICU, mental health, medical surgical, OR, orthopedic, cardiac catheterization, and general surgery.
- Effectively carried out guidelines for assessments, diagnostic procedures, lab tests, and medication administration.
- Provided well-childcare including immunizations, anticipatory guidance, health promotion education, and family planning to a primarily underserved African American and Hispanic population.
- Educator to patients regarding disease management, health risk factors, smoking cessation, physical activity, social support, and nutrition.

Beau Monde Treatment Program, Program Assistant

2006-2008

- Provided companionship to clients seeking psychological/emotional treatment for depression, anxiety, substance abuse, PTSD, and other mental health challenges.
- Supported clients' coping abilities, self-esteem, and commitment to healing and documented all aspects of care.

Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Intern

Sept.- Dec. 2002

- Independently created the Emergency Preparedness Template for Los Angeles County public schools.
- Compiled, reviewed, and organized relevant information, data, and references.

Santa Ana Police Department Research Program – Research Assistant

2000-2003

- Conducted interviews, gathered data, reviewed census data, coded and analyzed results to examine the relationship between a low SES underprivileged community and the Santa Ana Police Department.
- Created bilingual questionnaires to utilize for research studies on non-English speaking Vietnamese candidates.