

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### Education

MSN, Texas A&M University at Corpus Christi, 1990.

BSN, Texas A&M University at Corpus Christi, 1978.

Associate in Applied Science, Del Mar College, 1975.

Certificate, Del Mar College, 1973.

### Licensures and Certifications

Registered Nurse - Texas # 2-34960, Board of Nurse Examiners for the State of Texas. (1976 - Present).

### Professional Employment

Assistant Clinical Professor, College of Nursing and Health Sciences TAMUCC. (2004 - Present).  
Profession Nursing Issues  
Nurse as a Professional  
Psychiatric Clinical

Site-Coordinator/Faculty Extraordinary, School of Nursing, Loyola University New Orleans/Baton Rouge Campus. (1991 - 2003).

Office Manager and Occupational Health Nurse/Consultant, Bay Builders, Inc. (1986 - 1991).  
Managed office consisting of about thirty staff members. Administered first aid/taught basic first aid & CPR to workers. Taught basic principals of health promotion and prevention.

Pool Nurse, Charter Hospital of Corpus Christi. (1989).  
Rotated between Adult and Adolescent psychiatric units. Managed staff nurses, led small groups, and crisis intervention. Traveled and ran a booth for recruiting purposes.

Substitute School Nurse, College Station ISD. (1982 - 1986).  
Rotated as needed at the Elementary, Middle-School and High-school. Provided minor first aid, physical assessment, and distribution of medications

Assistant Health Care Supervisor, Ada Wilson Hospital Intermediate Care Facility, (1979 - 1982).  
Responsible for 72 bed facility which houses children ages 3-21 who are mentally and physically handicapped. Job was multi-faceted, managing care for each child through an interdisciplinary team consisting of physicians, physical therapists, pharmacist, nutritionists, psychologist, teachers, social workers, and occupational therapist.

Health Occupations Teacher Grades 9-12,, Flour Bluff High School. (1976 - 1977).

Prepared students who were interested in healthcare jobs, to work as nurses aides, physical therapy assistants, dental tech, and pharmacy aides. Assisted students in obtaining scholarships and/or financial aide to pursue Health related degrees

Staff Nurse-medical floor, Hermann Hospital. (1975 - 1976).

Staff LVN part-time while attending RN classes, Memorial Medical Center. (1973 - 1975).

## **Administrative Appointments**

Nursing Leadership: Behaviors & Process

-applying change theory within health care organizations, managed care environment, and use of computer technology in health care

Health Promotion Through the Life Cycle Practicum:

-guiding students through teaching projects and exploring strategies for health promotion

Community Nursing Practicum/Parish nursing/Integrated Practicum

-coordination of student group projects related to health promotion, leadership, and strategies for starting a parish nurse program in various churches/parishes

## **Professional Memberships**

American Nurses Association

Sigma Theta Tau International, ETA OMICRON Chapter

Texas Nurses Association

National League of Nurses

## **TEACHING**

### **Teaching Experience**

NURS 3214, FOUNDATIONS OF NURSING PRACTIC

NURS 3318, Eline

NURS 3435, Health Assessment

NURS 3514, FUNDAMENTALS OF NURSING CARE

NURS 3614, Eline

NURS 4564, NURSING CARE PSYCH CLIENT

NURS 4564-E01, Nursing Care of the Psychiatric Client

NURS 4564-E11, Nursing Care of the Psychiatric Client

NURS 4670, NURSE COORDINATING CARE

### **Teaching Awards and Honors**

Nursing Mentor Award, Eline Nursing Tract/Program. (2009).

### **Publications**

Refereed

Journal Articles

Deis, A. D., Garver, P. M. (1990). Cultural Conflict in a Nursing Home Setting: An Ethnographic Study. *Texas Journal of Rural Nursing*, VIII(1), 33-40.

## **SERVICE**

### **College**

Faculty Mentor. (February 2015 - Present).  
Committee Member, Eline Committee. (September 2012 - Present).  
Organizer, Meet and Greet. (January 2010 - Present).  
Committee Member, Scholarship Committee. (September 2009 - Present).  
Undergraduate Affairs Committee. (September 2004 - Present).  
Attendee, Meeting, Bylaws Committee. (September 2012 - December 2014).  
Committee Member, Clinical Task Force. (September 2011 - May 2014).  
Committee Member, CNE. (September 2011 - May 2014).  
Faculty and Staff Campaign. (September 2009 - May 2014).

### **University**

Committee Member, Intercollegiate Athletic Council. (January 2016 - Present).  
Committee Member, Student Hearing and Appellate Board. (September 2013 - Present).  
Committee Member, President's Council. (January 2010 - Present).  
Member, Islander Club. (January 2009 - Present).  
Member, Islander Athletic Foundation (formerly Tarpon Foundation). (September 2004 - Present).  
Attendee, Award Ceremony, Texas A&M System Regents Dinner and Awards. (February 2015).  
Committee Chair, Faculty/Staff Capital Campaign. (January 2012 - May 2014).  
Attendee, Meeting, Regents Dinner and Breakfast. (January 2013).  
Committee Chair, University Momentum Capital Campaign. (July 2009 - September 2011).  
Academic Affairs Committee. (September 2009 - July 2011).  
Committee Member, Intercollegiate Athletic Council. (September 2009 - July 2011).

### **Professional**

Member, National League of Nursing. (May 2012 - Present).  
Member, Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing. (July 1984 - Present).  
Member, American Nursing Association. (July 1978 - Present).  
Member, Texas Nursing Association. (June 1978 - Present).

### **Public**

Member, St. Phillips the Apostle. (September 2013 - Present).  
Member, Webb Elementary PTA. (September 2012 - Present).  
Member, Texas State Aquarium. (March 2010 - Present).  
Member, Garden Court HOA. (May 2004 - Present).  
Officer, President/Elect/Past, St. John the Baptist Catholic Church - Parish Council. (2007 - 2013).  
Member, St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. (May 2004 - September 2013).

### **Service Awards and Honors**

Alumni of the Year for CONHS, TAMUCC. (2011).