

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- 2021 Doctor of Nursing Practice, Jacksonville University.
- 2021 AGACNP Post Master's Certification, Jacksonville University.
- 2020 Certified Nurse Educator, NLN
- 2010 Certification in Neuroscience Nursing, American Association of Neuroscience Nursing
- 1992 Post Master's Certification, Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Program, University Of Rochester, Rochester, NY.
- 1987 Master of Science, Medical-Surgical Nursing with a specialization in Neuro-muscular-skeletal disease, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY.
- 1983 Bachelor of Science, Nursing, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY.

Professional Experience

- August 2016-21 Assistant Clinical Professor of Nursing, Jacksonville University, Jacksonville, FL.
- 2014-2016 Nurse Practitioner, Neurosurgery, Complex Spine and Neuro-oncology, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY
- 2012-2014 Coordinator URMCC Stroke and Cerebrovascular Center, Nurse Practitioner, Quality Assurance Liaison, Neurosurgery, University of Rochester Medical Center
- 2009-2012 Nurse Practitioner, Quality Assurance Liaison, Department of Neurosurgery, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY.
- March 2009 Promoted to Assistant Professor Nursing, Monroe Community College
- 2004-2009 Instructor of Nursing, Monroe Community College
- 2003- 2004 Temporary Part Time Appointment, Instructor of Nursing, Monroe Community College
- 2001-2003 Adjunct Instructor of Nursing, Monroe community College, Rochester, NY.
- 1993-1998 Nurse Practitioner, Division of Neurosurgery, University of Rochester Medical Center Rochester, NY.
- 1989-1993 Nurse Practitioner/Clinical Nurse Specialist, Comprehensive Epilepsy Program, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY.
- 1988-1989 Clinical Nurse Specialist, National Rehabilitation Hospital, Washington, D.C.
- 1987-1988 Clinical Nurse Specialist, Neuromuscular Disease Center, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY.
- 1986-1988 Clinical Nurse Specialist, Private General Neurology practice with Robert C. Griggs M.D., Chairman Department of Neurology, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY.

- 1985-1987 Registered Nurse, Medical Intensive Care Unit, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY.
- 1983-1985 Registered Nurse, Neuro-medical Unit, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY.

Registered Nurse licensure in Florida
 Registered Nurse licensure in New York State
 Nurse Practitioner licensure in New York State

Professional Memberships

- 2009- 2015 American Association of Neuroscience Nurses, Vice President of Greater Rochester Chapter, 2009-2012
- 2016-present NE Florida Nurse Practitioners Association
- 2009- 2016 New York State Nurse Practitioner Association
- 2009- Present American Academy of Nurse Practitioners
- 2001-present National League of Nursing

Research

- 1987 Home Caretaker's Attitudes Toward Prescribed Home Care Procedures for Chronic Ventilator Patients.
- 1996 Ventriculoperitoneal Shunts: A Retro prospective Review of Morbidity and Need for Shunt Revision.
- 2021 Quality Improvement: A Nursing Educational Intervention to Alter Pain Perception and Improve Satisfaction with Pain Treatment after Elective Surgery.

Presentations

- 1988-2009** Available on request
- 8/19/09 Meningitis, In-service lecture, Unit based 5-3600, UPMC, Rochester, NY
- 4/10 The Low Down on Low Back Pain, New York State Nurse Practitioner's Association Annual Education Day, St. John Fisher College, Rochester, NY
- 5/23/10 Increased Intracranial Pressure, Neurosurgery Step Down Unit Education Day, UPMC, Rochester, NY
- 8/10-10/10 Neuroscience Nursing Review for Certification, consisted of 5 three hour sessions, taught; Neuro Anatomy & Physiology, Spinal Cord Anatomy and Physiology, and Neuro Assessment. Coordinated all other sessions and compiled review manual. UPMC Neurosurgery, GRANN, Rochester, NY
- 12/8/10 The Neuro Check, In-service education, UPMC Neurosurgery, Rochester, NY
- 12/22/10 The Cranial Nerve Exam for Nursing, In-service education, UPMC, Rochester, NY
- 2/28/11 Management of Post Operative Pain in Neurosurgical Patients. In-service education, UPMC Neurosurgery, Rochester, NY
- 3/15/11 Management of Acute Spinal Cord Injury, Guest Lecturer, Acute Care NP program, School of Nursing, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY
- 5/19/11 The Low Down on Low Back Pain, SUNY Health Care Consortium, Annual Education Day, SUNY Brockport, Brockport NY

10/29/11 Acute Management of Spinal Cord Injury, New York State Nurse Practitioner Association Annual Meeting, Saratoga Springs NY

11/11/11 The Neuro Exam, Learn to be an Expert, New York State Nurse Practitioner Association Regional Meeting, St. John Fisher College, Rochester NY

3/21/12 Traumatic Brain Injury, Guest Lecturer, Acute Care NP Program, School of Nursing, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY

3/21/12 Spinal Cord Injury, Guest Lecturer, Acute Care NP Program, School of Nursing, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY

4/23/12 URMC Emergency Department, Guest Speaker, Neurosurgery Triage Considerations, Interdepartmental CEU educational presentation.

6/5/12 Management of Increased Intracranial Pressure, Inpatient Neurosurgery Nursing Education Day, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY

6/5/12 The Neurologic Exam for Nursing Practice, Inpatient Neurosurgery Nursing Education Day, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY

10/20/12 The ABC's of Lumbar Spine Disease, NYS Nurse Practitioner's Annual Meeting, Saratoga Springs, NY

11/9/12 Arteriovenous Malformations "AVM's" in-service Interventional Radiology, SMH

11/14/12 Stroke in Women, invited guest at The Settler's Club of Rochester, Fairport NY

3/11/13 Arteriovenous Malformations "AVM's" in-service for Neuro ICU, SMH.
Also presented 3/13.

3/19/13 Spinal Cord Injury and Management, University of Rochester School of Nursing Acute Care NP Program, Invited Guest Lecturer.

3/19/13 Traumatic Brain Injury, University of Rochester School of Nursing Acute Care NP Program, Invited Guest Lecturer.

3/26/13 From Primary to Comprehensive Stroke, What does it Take? Nursing Stroke Education Conference, Mandatory for 3-28, 5-16 & 5-36 staff, ED and Neuroradiology invited. Repeated on 4/8/13 and 4/15/13.

3/26/13 Endovascular Treatment for Stroke, Nursing Stroke Education Conference, Mandatory for 3-28, 5-16 & 5-36 staff, ED and Neuroradiology invited. Repeated on 4/8/13 and 4/15/13.

5/26/13 West Webster EMS, Pre-hospital Stroke Care and the Time Impact of New Treatments for Stroke. Webster, NY

7/23/13 Geneva General Hospital Nursing Grand Rounds, with Ann Leonhardt NP, Updates in Stroke Management for Nursing Practice, Geneva NY

11/16/13 Stroke in Women, New York State Nurse Practitioner Association Regional Meeting, St. John Fisher College, Rochester NY

4/30/14 Nursing Grand Rounds FF Thompson Hospital 'Update in Stroke Care', Canandaigua NY

5/12/14 Arnot-Ogden Annual Stroke Education Day "Stroke in Women" invited guest lecturer, Elmira, NY.

8/26/14 Subdural and Epidural Hematoma's Acute Management for PACU Nursing, Strong Memorial Hospital, URMC, Rochester NY

9/5/14 Management of Subdural Strip and Grid Electrodes for Localization and Lateralization of Epileptogenic Brain, URMC Epilepsy Program Orientation Day, Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, NY

- 11/12/14 Stroke in Women, New York State Nurse Practitioner Association Annual Meeting, Saratoga Springs, NY
- 3/17/15 Traumatic Brain Injury University of Rochester, School of Nursing Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Program, Invited Guest Lecturer
- 3/17/15 Spinal Cord Injury and Management, University of Rochester School of Nursing Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Program, Invited Guest Lecturer.
- 10/6/15 Management of Increased Intracranial Pressure, Neuro Step-Down ICU teaching day, University of Rochester Medical Center
- 10/6/15 Neurologic Assessment for Nursing, Neuro Step-Down ICU teaching day, University of Rochester Medical Center
- 11/19/15 Coordinator for Neuro Advanced Practice Provider Regional Symposium, University Of Rochester Medical Center, Neurology Day 11/12/15 Neurological Triage, When to Push the Panic Button, Neurosurgery Day 11/19/15 Master of Ceremonies, Neuro Imaging for the Novice, Neurosurgery Jeopardy. 12/2/15 Neuro Critical Care Day
- 5/14/16 Fluid Balance and Electrolyte Management in the Acute Neurosurgical Patient, (Invited platform speaker) National Infusion Nurses Society Annual Education Meeting, Fort Lauderdale Fl.

Research and Publications

Home Caretaker's Attitudes toward Prescribed Home Care Procedures for Chronic Ventilator Patients, 1988.

Ventriculoperitoneal Shunts: A Retro-respective Review of Morbidity and the Etiology of Shunt Failure, Departmental Project. 4/4/97.

Willison, J., Erba, G., University of Rochester Medical Center, Comprehensive Epilepsy Program Policy and Procedure Manual, 72 pages, August, 1991.

Willison, J., (Abstract) Nursing Care of Patients with Subdural Strip/Grid Electrodes Placed for Long-term Monitoring. Epilepsia: Dec. 1992

University of Rochester Medical Center, Department of Neurological Surgery; Clinical Practice Guidelines; VTE Prophylaxis in Neurosurgical Patients. July 2012, Published on URMIC Intranet

University of Rochester Medical Center, Stroke and Cerebrovascular Center; Clinical Practice Guidelines, Guidelines for Management of Aneurysmal Subarachnoid Hemorrhage, December 2012, Published on URMIC Intranet.

Comprehensive Stroke Certification Manual 12/4/13, used for review by the Joint Commission for hospital Accreditation to achieve Comprehensive Stroke Certification with Ann Leonhardt NP.

References available on request