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OBJECTIVE

A master's prepared registered nurse leader with 10 years' experience. Specialization in the areas of Women's Health and Nursing Education. Desire to teach, inspire, and grow the next generation of nursing students both academically and clinically.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

- Ability to delegate, inspire, and communicate effectively
- Possesses excellent organizational and problem-solving skills
- Proficient in the use of innovative technologies to provide instruction
- Ability to teach complex nursing concepts creatively
- Excellent project management and team collaboration skills

WORK EXPERIENCE

Jan 2024-Present

Limited Term Instructor of Nursing
Kennesaw State University

Sep 2019-Present

Prenatal Health Educator
Wellstar Kennestone Regional Medical Center

- CAPP certified childbirth educator teaching a variety of classes such as Understanding Birth and Understanding Newborn to expectant mothers and their families across the Wellstar system both online and in-person at all the birthing hospitals

Sep 2022-Dec 2023

Graduate Teaching Assistant
Kennesaw State University

- Mentor and tutor to undergraduate nursing students on lecture content and test taking strategies
Collaborate closely with the professors to help facilitate active learning and collaborative instruction
- Proficient use of Microsoft Office & Teams to provide education, store documents and create appointments

June 2014-Jan 2017

Mother/Baby Nurse
Wellstar Kennestone Regional Medical Center

- Meticulous postpartum nurse helping, advocating, and educating mothers, newborns, and their families through the physical and emotional postpartum period

Cross trained to women's gynecological and reconstructive surgery and recovery unit

Mar 2013-June 2014

Critical Care Nurse

Wellstar Kennestone Regional Medical Center

- Dedicated, compassionate, and patient-focused healthcare professional with experience providing high quality care to patients presenting with diverse & critical life-threatening complications

EDUCATION

Dec 2023

Master of Science in Nursing

Kennesaw State University

Dec 2012

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Kennesaw State University

AWARDS & PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2023 Atlanta Journal Constitution Celebrating Nurses Award Nominee
- 2015 and 2016 Daisy Award Nominee
- WSON Student Success Advisory Committee
- Golden Key International Honor Society
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society

CONTINUING EDUCATION AND CONFERENCES

- 2023: Study Aboard Healthcare in Italy: International Training Healthcare Workshop
- 2023: CAPPa certification renewal
- 2015: OB Fellowship
- 2013: Critical Care Fellowship

LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Registered Professional Nurse License
- CAPPa Certified Childbirth Educator
- BLS/CPR Certified

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

JAN 2024

- NURS 3209 Skills Lab
- NURS 3209 Clinical
- NURS 3313 Skills Lab
- NURS 3313 Lecturer

COMMITTEES AND SERVICE

- Domain 7 Essentials Task Force Team