CURRICULUM VITAE

**KATE HARRINGTON, MSN, APRN, FNP-C**

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**EDUCATION**

2014-2017 Master’s degree, University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, IN.

Summa Cum Laude

Family Nurse Practitioner

2009-2010 Bachelor’s degree, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA.

Summa Cum Laude

Nursing

2000-2004 Bachelor’s degree, Boston University, Boston, MA.

Magna Cum Laude

Hospitality Administration

**CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSES**

* Georgia Board of Nursing; Registered Nurse #RN213677
* Georgia Board of Nursing; Advanced Practice Nurse Practitioner #RN2123677
* American Academy of Nurse Practitioners Certification Board; Family Nurse Practitioner #F09170196. Expires 9/4/2027

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2023-Present Clinical Lecturer, Kennesaw State University

* Course Coordinator and Lecturer for Clinical Pathophysiology for the undergraduate nursing program
* Undergraduate nursing health assessment skills instructor
* Lead 12-hour acute-care pediatric clinical rotations for undergraduate nursing students

2022-2023 Part-time Pediatric Clinical Faculty, Kennesaw State University.

* Responsible for guiding and supervising students in acute patient care during undergraduate pediatric clinical rotation
* Led discussions on current research in pediatrics, oversaw medication administration, and taught nursing interventions during 12-hour shift at Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta

2017-2023 Family Nurse Practitioner, Lifetime Family Medicine and Sleep Disorders.

* Responsible for diagnosing and treating pediatric through geriatric patients with acute and chronic health disorders including diabetes, cardiovascular disease, depression, ADHD, and sleep disorders
* Performed annual physical exams on pediatric through geriatric patient populations
* Educated patients on disease state, preventive measures, lifestyle medicine, and treatment options
* Evaluated treatment outcomes and adjusted therapy as needed

2011-2012 Registered Nurse in the Cardiac Intensive Care Unit, Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta

* Responsible for monitoring cardiac function in pediatric patients with acquired heart defects prior to and immediately after cardiac surgery
* Managed electrolytes, vasoactive medications, chest tubes, and heart lines while educating parents on their child’s heart condition

2005-2008 Patient Coordinator and Front Office Manager, Golden Isles Center for Plastic Surgery

* Responsible for supervising and training front office employees
* Worked with insurance companies to obtain surgery approval and appeals. Created and discussed surgery estimates with patients as the cosmetic surgery patient coordinator
* Designed and organized the physician’s patient education seminars

**MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

* American Academy of Nurse Practitioners
* Georgia Association of Nursing Education
* National League of Nursing
* Sigma Theta Tau, Mu Phi Chapter

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

**Teaching:**

* Faculty Who Made the Biggest Impact for Students During Their Time at KSU 2024
* Pinning Ceremony Presenter for the “Passing of the Flame” 2024
	+ Wellstar School of Nursing Spring Graduating Class
* “Expanding the Nest” Innovator
	+ Kennesaw State University’s Center for Excellence in Teaching 2024

and Learning

* Awarded Affiliate Graduate Faculty Status 2024
	+ Kennesaw State University’s Graduate College

**Scholarship**:

* Primary Care (PCTE-RTPC) HRSA Grant Fund Recipient, Graduate Sutdent 2016 - 2017
	+ University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, IN
* Lettie Pate Whitehead Graduate Scholarship Recipient, Full Ride 2014
* Georgie State University, Atlanta, GA
* Sigma Theta Tau Inductee 2010
* Lettie Pate Whitehead Undergraduate Scholarship Recipient 2009 - 2010
	+ Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA
* Boston University Academic Conduct Review Board Student Representative 2003
	+ Boston University, Boston, MA

**COURSES TAUGHT AT KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY**

Course Number Course Title Number of Times Taught

NURS 3318 Parent-Child Nursing (Clinical) 14

NURS 3304 Clinical Pathophysiology for Nurses 3

NURS 3309 Health Assessment Skills Lab 3

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE: TEACHING, SUPERVISION, & MENTORING**

**Departmental Service:**

Co-Chair, Fiscal and Physical Resource Committee Fall 2024 - Present

Committee Member, Department Faculty Council Fall 2023 - Present

Committee Member, Fiscal and Physical Resource Committee Fall 2023- 2024

**Guest Lectures:**

K. Harrington (2024). *Diagnosing and Treating Pediatric ADHD.* Wellstar School of Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner Program, Kennesaw, GA.

**Undergraduate Student Mentoring:**

Faculty Leader, Undergraduate Student Mentoring Group Spring 2024

**INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

**Webinar Presentations:**

Harrington, K. (2024). *Winning Strategies: Boosting Student Success for Every Brain, ADHD Included.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Winning+Strategies/1\_73inno5e

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Critical Reading Skills Part 1.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. [https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Critical+Reading+Skills+Part+I/1\_66uj7tz9](https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Critical%2BReading%2BSkills%2BPart%2BI/1_66uj7tz9)

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Critical Reading Skills Part 2.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA.

[https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Critical+Reading+Skills+Part+II/1\_8ug45n73](https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Critical%2BReading%2BSkills%2BPart%2BII/1_8ug45n73)

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Effective Note Taking Part 1.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA.

https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Effective+Note+Taking+Part+I/1\_m6k57p3q

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Effective Note Taking Part 2.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Effective+Note+Taking+Part+II/1\_5hafma43

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Effective Note Taking Part 3.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Effective+Note+Taking+Part+III/1\_kvs6a4hv

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Online Learning Part 1.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Online+Learning+Part+I/1\_a7pqkwjo

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Online Learning Part 2.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Online+Learning+Part+II/1\_ap04190t

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Professional Communication Skills Part 1.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Professional+Communication+Skills+Part+I/1\_aa70g037

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Professional Communication Skills Part 2.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Professional+Communication+Skills+Part+I/1\_aa70g037

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Organization Part 1.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennsaw State university, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Organization+Part+I/1\_a22f04hr

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Organization Part 2.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Organization+Part+II/1\_hyw8ut2b

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Organization Part 3.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. [https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Organization+Part+III/1\_lgvtrtdt](https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Organization%2BPart%2BIII/1_lgvtrtdt)

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Test Taking Strategies Part 1.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Test+Taking+Strategies+Part+I/1\_rcfquh56

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Test Taking Strategies Part 2.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Test+Taking+Strategies+Part+II/1\_odnw2u7e

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Test Taking Strategies Part 3.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Test+Taking+Strategies+Part+III/1\_ucjle6pl

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Time Management Part 1.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Time+Management%3A+The+Benefits+and+Time+Management+Personalities/1\_l9uqtm4z

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Time Management Part 2.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Time+Managment%3A+Getting+Started+and+Prioritizing/1\_8hkossfd

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success Toolkit- Time Management Part 3: Procrastination.* Wellstar College of Health and Human Services, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. https://mediaspace.kennesaw.edu/media/Time+Management%3A+Procrastination/1\_eskvj102

Harrington, K. (2024). *Student Success When You Have ADHD.* Webinar presented for the Trio

Program, Skagit Valley Community College, Bellingham, WA.

Harrington, K. (2023). *TRIO Spring Workshops: Surviving College with ADHD*. Webinar presented for Skagit Valley Community College, Bellingham, WA.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yk7PVM7gfmI>

**PUBLICATIONS**

Harrington, K. (2024). “ADHD Brains Present Unique Challenges, But the Condition if Highly Treatable– a Primary Care Nurse Practitioner with ADHD Explains the Science.” *The Conversation.* https://theconversation.com/profiles/kate-harrington-1531201/dashboard

* International audience
* 51,500 reads

**PEER REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS**

**National**

**Podium Presentations:**

Harrington, K. & Hamash, K. (2025). Study Strategies of The Top 25% performers in Clinical Pathophysiology for Student Success. *National Coalition of Nursing Academic Coaches.*