**Experience and Employment**

2016 - Present South Dakota State University College of Nursing, Instructor

Instructor for NURS 119: Nursing Seminar

Co-instructor for NURS 372: Professional Nursing Concepts II

Assist in skills lab for first semester (NURS 258) and second semester (NURS 358)

Clinical instructor for acute adult clinical and community clinical (NURS 335)

Clinical instructor for community clinical (NURS 435)

Assists with simulation experiences for undergraduate nursing students throughout the nursing program

Member of the Faculty Development Committee

2015 - 2016 Mary Greeley Medical Center, Clinical Resource Nurse, Medical-Surgical Unit

Implements staff development and project management for the Medical-Surgical Unit

Chair of the Nursing Practice Council

Assists with planning and implementation of the Nurse Residency Program

Member of the Wound Resource Team

Member of the Peer Interview Team

Member of the Subject Matter Expert (SME) Committee for Communication

Member of the Tracheostomy Care Standard Work Team

Develop and revise hospital policies related to direct nursing care

Developed policy for the use of intrapleural tPA-DNase in the treatment of loculated pleural effusion and empyema

Advisor for the Medical-Surgical Shared Decision Making Team

Oversees the Safety Volunteer Program at Mary Greeley Medical Center

Instruct nursing orientation for intravenous therapy and nursing communication

Participates in A3 problem solving for adverse events

2015 Mary Greeley Medical Center, House Manager

Provide clinical support for patient care and services

Provide management insight into problem solving, promote and assure quality nursing care to patients

Provides organizational leadership

2009 - 2015 Mary Greeley Medical Center, Registered Nurse- Nursing Support Services

Provided care to patients from birth to end-of-life including intensive care, cardiac, surgical, hospice, and pediatric patients.

Chair of Nursing Practice Council

Assisted with the planning and implementation of the Nurse Residency Program

Member of the Wound Resource Team

Member of Peer Interview Team

Member of Subject Matter Expert (SME) Committee for Communication

2008 - 2009 East Alabama Medical Center, Registered Nurse- Renal Unit

Peritoneal dialysis educator for night shift

Charge nurse

2006 - 2008 Auburn University Forest Health Dynamics Laboratory, Lab Assistant

Management and organization of undergraduate student workers.

2005 Auburn University Department of Nutrition, Undergraduate Research Fellow

Performed research involving the use of Leptin in the treatment of Type II Diabetes Mellitus.

**Academic Record**

2013 M.S. Clinical Nurse Leadership University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, Clinical Nurse Leadership.

Capstone Project: Standardization of weight measurement on a medical-telemetry unit.

2007 B.S. Nursing Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama.

2006 B.S. Nutrition and Food Science Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama.

**Certifications**

2014 Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL) Certification Received

2011 Medical-Surgical RN (CMSRN) Certification Received

ACLS and BLS Certified

**Conferences**

2013, 2014, 2015 Iowa Hospital Association Annual Conference Attendee

2014 Advance Practice Institute: Promoting Adoption of Evidence Based Practice Attendee

**Awards and Recognition**

Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society (Nursing)

Kappa Omicron Nu Honor Society (Nutrition and Food Science)

**Professional Organizations**

Academy of Medical-Surgical Nurses

Member of AMSN Clinical Practice Committee

Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society