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Education:

1978 M.S. in Nursing, Ohio State University. Specialized in general systems approach to community mental health, family therapy and mental health consultation and education.

1973 B.S. cum laude in Nursing, Ohio State University. Member of Sigma Theta Tau, National Nursing Honorary; member of Alpha Tau Delta Nursing Sorority; vice-president Torch Club Service Organization.

- Ohio R.N. License # 21-12-5605.
- A.N.A Certified as an Adult Psychiatric/Mental Health Clinical Nurse Specialist #096918-01.
- Ohio Board of Nursing Advance Practice Nurse Certificate of Authority #NS-01381.
- Second Degree Reiki Therapist
- Certified Advance Care Planning Facilitator

Professional Experience:

2003-present Prospective Health Care Program Manager, OSU Faculty/Staff Wellness Program. Development, implementation and evaluation of employer-sponsored health initiatives for OSU faculty/staff. Member of the team developing the Your Plan for Health initiative, embedding wellness into the University's health care plan (www.yourplanforhealth.com).

1991–2003 Psychiatric/Mental Health Clinical Nurse Specialist, James Cancer Hospital and Research Institute.

Clinical responsibilities: As Chair of the Patient Support Services Committee, developed, implemented and evaluated a comprehensive psycho-oncology program for patients, families and staff. Program includes a full range of support groups, bereavement initiatives, staff development and patient education programs, body image programs, milieu treatment programs, research and evaluation projects, publications and awards.

Develop a hospital-wide mental health consultation liaison service to provide crisis intervention, grief facilitation and therapy for patients and families facing life-threatening illness. Staff support counselor for Palliative Medicine and Hospice Program.

Member, Cancer Pain Service, Comprehensive Oncology Rehabilitation Leadership Council, Oncology Rehabilitation Conference Planning Committee, Advance Practice Nursing Peer Review Subcommittee of Medical Credentialing Committee among many others.

Teaching responsibilities: Patient education via individual, group and class formats on a variety of mental health and wellness approaches to coping with life threatening illness. Staff development on the use of cognitive, behavioral and holistic approaches with patients via inservices, mandatory education presentations, Basic Oncology Nursing Course and the Advanced Oncology Nursing course. Faculty for

Roxanne Pain Scholars Program. Numerous presentations to business and industry for the Medical Center's Corporate Health and Wellness Office and Faculty/Staff Wellness Program.

Adjunct faculty status, College of Nursing. Precept graduate and undergraduate nursing, allied health and medical students in the clinical arena. Develop and present class lectures as well as participate on multidisciplinary seminar panels.

For the College of Medicine, develop Psycho-oncology mini-module, participate in Death and Dying mini-module, Doctor-Patient Relationship Series, Complementary Medicine module, Breaking Bad News Simulations, Palliative Medicine, Cultural Diversity programming and contract work developing curriculum materials and teaching medical students communications competencies regarding end-of-life decision-making.

Leadership position to develop The Ohio State University Center for Integrative Medicine. Planning including proposal writing, developing credentialing standards, collaborative committee work across community, colleges and departments.

1985-1990 Co-founded, owned and managed Wilbridge Consultation Center, a multidisciplinary holistic health center in Columbus, Ohio.

1981-Present. Private practice providing individual, family and group therapy as well as mental health consultation and education to business, government and professional organizations (see Professional Presentations listing). Clinical focus: working with life-threatened individuals and their families.

1979-1985 Consultant with ANCER (Applied Nursing Consultation and Education Resources, a nurse-owned consulting firm). Program and staff development targeted for Midwest health care agencies.

1979-1983 Clinical Nurse Specialist, North Central Mental Health Services.

- Coordinator for Professional Development, North Central Institute: conference planning, implementation and evaluation for professional groups.
- Women's Issues Consultant: programming for high-risk groups of women.
- Outpatient Therapist: individual, family and group therapy as well as consultation and education.

1978-1979 Nursing Consultant, Ohio Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, Division of Mental Health. Provided consultation relative to JCAH and Medicare standards and programming to nineteen state mental health facilities.

1975-1977 Instructor, Grant Hospital School of Nursing. Taught Nursing Fundamentals, Psychiatric Nursing, and integrated mental health concepts into the curriculum. Membership on numerous faculty committees.

1974-1975 Director of Nursing, Alpine Mental Health, Alpine California. Responsible for direct supervision of nursing personnel, direct patient care, coordination of patient services, writing patient care policies, staff development, etc.

1973-1974 Staff Nurse, Adolescent Unit, Harding Hospital. Dealt with wide range of mental health problems in persons 12-18 years of age in milieu therapy setting. Charge nurse responsibilities.

Professional Memberships/Honors:

- American Society of Psychosocial and Behavioral Oncology/Aids
- American Nurses Association
- Sigma Theta Tau National Nursing Honorary
- Who's Who in American Nursing, Sixth Edition
- Ohio State University Council on Academic Excellence for Women (1995-1998)
- 1993 Service Award from the Volunteer Services Department of the Arthur James Cancer Hospital and Richard Solove Research Institute
- 1994 Spirit of Hope Award, Arthur James Cancer Hospital and Richard Solove Research Institute
- 1995 Award for Excellence in Patient Education Interdisciplinary Team Award, OSU Medical Center
- 2001 Division of Nursing Clinical Excellence Award, James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute
- 2003 Healthcare Professional of the Year, Columbus Cancer Clinic
- 2005 Silver Governor's Award for Healthy Ohioans Workplace, OSU Faculty/Staff Wellness Program
- 2009 5 star, 100 point rating for Tales from the Pager Chronicles from Doody's Book Review Service.
- 2010 Tales from the Pager Chronicles entered into Ohio State University's All Ohio Book Collection.

Other Professional Activities:

- 2009 - present Staff therapist for University Health Connection, OSU
- 2002 - present Editorial Reviewer, The Journal of Psycho-Oncology, Journal of Oncology Nursing
- 1998 - present Member, Wellness Community Professional Advisory Board.
- 1992 - 2003 Advisor, American Cancer Society–One to One Program
Member, vice-president, Board of Directors of St. Mark's Health Center
- 1983 - 1985 Clinical Instructor, Capital University College of Nursing, Columbus State Institute
- 1977 - 1978 Volunteer Worker, Emergency Services, North Central Mental Health Services, Crisis intervention on a walk-in or phone basis.
- 2003 - 2004 Juror, Columbus International Film and Video Festival, Chris Awards, Mental Health Documentary Division.
- 2008-2009 Support group work for The Wellness Community, Columbus
- 2008-2009 Community Educational Presentations for Ohio Health
- Ongoing Numerous radio and television spots on a variety of holistic and mental health subjects.

Publications:

Books

The Pager Chronicles Volume II (2010), Booklocker.com.

Tales from the Pager Chronicles, (2008). Sigma Theta Tau International, Indianapolis.

Chapters

Psychological problems of physically ill patients, in *Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing: An Interpersonal Approach to Professional Practice*. (publication pending 2012). Edited by Jeff Jones, Ph.D. & Joyce Fitzpatrick, Ph.D., Springer Publishing.

Emotional wellness: keeping it real and keeping your cool, when all around you, others are losing theirs. (2009). in *Healthy Profits: The Five Elements of Strategic Wellness in the Workplace*, ed. Sandra Larkin, Yellow Duck Press, Chicago. 131-134.

Co-author with Glass, Elaine and Cluxton, Doug, Palliative care assessment, in *The Oxford University Press Textbook of Palliative Nursing*. (2010, 2005, 2001). Edited by Betty Ferrell and Nessa Coyle. 37-50.

Working with angry patients and families. (2007. 2000). *The Clinical Teaching Handbook*, eds., Andy Hudson and Dawn Watson, Ohio State University College of Medicine and Public Health, Columbus, Ohio, 75-77.

Clinical treatment for body image disturbances: variations on a theme: interactive guided imagery, empty chair work, and therapeutic letter-writing. (2006). *Body Image: New Research*, Nova Science Publications, New York.

Contributor, Nursing as a spiritual path. (2006). *21 Peaceful Nurses*, Ed. By Doris Popovich and Joan Cantwell, Outskirts Press, Colorado.

Party talk. (2005). *Ordinary Miracles in Nursing*, edited by Patricia Winstead-Fry and Deborah Labovitz, Jones and Bartlett Publishers, Boston, 245-248.

Computer-Based Training Programs, CDs and Other On-line Programs

Courageous Conversations, 2009, web-archived lecture for The OSU College of Nursing, Oncology Nursing Course. <https://nucleus.con.ohio-state-edu/oncology/courageous%20Conversations/index.html>

SUNSET, The Series to Understand, Nurture and Support End of Life Transitions, a comprehensive web-based palliative care curriculum designed to improve palliative care skills of multidisciplinary long-term care workers at <http://sunset.osu.edu>. (2009, 2002) for OSU Department of Geriatrics and Gerontology.

Mental health issues: symptom recognition, intervention and referral. (2006). *Professional Service Coordinator Certificate Program*, a web-based curriculum for HUD-based service coordinators, for OSU Department of Geriatrics and Gerontology, <http://aasc.osu.edu>.

Guided Meditations from The James, (2000). CD and Tape of relaxation exercises, voice narration accompanied by harp with Pegi Engelman-Loose.

20 Online Guided Meditations for OSU Faculty and Staff: osuhealthplan.com/online/guidedimagery/

Papers/Articles

From patient to survivor: making the transition, in *Coping with Cancer Magazine*, May/June, 2011.

Art interpretation as a clinical intervention toward healing, co-authored with Terry Barrett, PhD., PubMed, in *Journal of Holistic Nursing*, Vol. 29, No.1, March, 2011.

Using Archetypes and Transitions Theory to Help Patients Move from Active Treatment to Survivorship, in *Clinical Journal of Oncology Nursing*, (2008). 12(6), 935-941.

Integrating complementary and alternative therapies into end of life care. (2008). In *Touch, a Hospice and Palliative Care Resource*, Ohio Hospice and Palliative Care Organization, 12(4), Spring, 8-10.

Co-author, A pilot intervention to promote walking and wellness to improve the health of college faculty and staff. (2007). *The Journal of American College Health*, Jan/Feb, 55(4), 219-225.

Courageous conversations: advance care planning for the family physician. (2005). *The Ohio Family Physician*, 57(1), Spring , 44-45.

Co-author with Major Kathryn Brauer, Use of letter-writing as a means of integrating an altered body image: a case study. (2003). *Oncology Nursing Forum*, Sept/Oct, 30(5), 841-848.

Taking charge of yourself. (2002, 1984). *American Association of Occupational Health Nurses*, 50(10), 433-435.

Catapulting through life stages: when young adults are diagnosed with life-threatening illnesses. (2002). *Psychosocial Nursing and Mental Health Services*, 40(2), 33-37.

Contributor, *Voice Massage, Scripts for Guided Imagery*. (2002). Edited by Edwards, Denise Murray, Oncology Nursing Society, Pittsburgh Pa., 59-63.

Contributor, *Nursing the Spirit: The Art and Science of Applying Spiritual Care*, (2001). Dorothy Wilt and Carol Smucker, American Nurses Association, Washington, D.C.

Standing with the bereaved: a comprehensive bereavement program in a tertiary care setting. (2000). *Journal of Oncology Management*, November/December, 9(6), 10-12.

Those tough conversations. (2000) *American Journal of Nursing*, Critical Care Supplement, 100(4), April, 24HH-24LL.

Scientific politics of prayer. (2000). *Scientific Notes*, Ohio Veterinary Medical Association Meeting, 2, February 24-27, 401.

James Care Nursing Newsletter Series on End of Life Care Planning. (1999-2000).

Recognizing and treating dysfunctional grief. (1998). Practice Corner, *Oncology Nursing Forum*, September, 25(8), 1310-1311.

Nurses can choose less stressful lives. (1997). *The American Nurse*, The American Nurses Association, May/June, 5.

Introducing medical students to psycho-oncology. (1996). *Psycho-Oncology, Journal of Psychological, Social and Behavioral Dimensions of Cancer*, 5(1), March, 55-58.

Hospital psychiatric nurses: must we be so rigid? (1995). Guest Editorial in *Perspectives in Psychiatric Care*, 31(3), July-Sept, 3.

Interactive guided imagery with oncology patients: a case illustration. (1994). *Journal of Holistic Nursing*, 12(2), June, 148-154.

The development of a comprehensive psychosocial oncology program. (1993). *The Journal of Oncology Management*, 2(5), September- October, 33-35.

In praise of failure: our own, our clients. (1993). Guest Editorial in *Perspectives in Psychiatric Care*, 29 (3), July-September, 3.

Guided imagery: a technique for healing when curing is out of the question. (1991). *Perspectives in Psychiatric Care*, 27(4), 30-33.

Problem patrons or problem librarians? codependency & the law librarian. (1990). *Reader Services Law Librarian*, 13(1), September, 2-5.

Developed for ANCER (Applied Nursing Consultation and Educational Resources), Columbus, Ohio:
Facilitating Positive Energy in the Workplace, 1983.
Gaining Interactive Power: Conflict Resolution and Assertive Problem-Solving, 1982.
The Nurse, the Patient and Human Sexuality, 1980.

Stress management for patients with chronic aphasia. (1982). *AAO Exchange (Aphasia Association of Ohio)*. 2(1), 22-25.

Group synergy or how to multiply health potential in persons coping with disease (1980). *Health Values: Achieving High Level Wellness*. 4(3), May, June, 117-118.

Book Reviews

The Path Through Grief: A Compassionate Guide by Marguerite Bovard with Evelyn Gladu for *Oncology Nursing Forum*, 26(8), Sept., (1999). 1387.

Affirming the Darkness, an Extended Conversation about Living with Prostate Cancer by Martha and Chuck Wheeler for *Oncology Nursing Forum*, 24(10), Nov./Dec, 1812. (1997). 1812.

Professional Presentations:

The following represent groups for which conferences, workshops and seminars were presented between 1977–present.

Ohio Department of Health

- Ohio Women’s Health Initiative–Psycho-oncology
- Division of Chronic Diseases–Conflict Resolution
- Division of Family Planning–Assertiveness Training
- Division of Occupational Health–The Planning of Change

The Ohio State University

- Department of Agricultural Education–Assertive Communications, Advance Care Planning.
- Office of Women’s Services–Assertiveness Training of Trainers
- College of Nursing–Psycho-oncology, Relationships with Dying Patients, Complementary Therapies, Health Coaching
- College of Medicine–Extensive participation in the Medical Humanities Program.
- College of Pharmacy – Integrative Therapies and the Oncology Patient, Reiki and Guided Imagery
- College of Veterinary Medicine – Reiki and Guided Imagery
- School of Optometry – Communications Skills for Working with Visually Impaired
- Summer Institute – Maximizing Quality of Life for Patients and their Families
- School of Allied Health -Assisting Patients and Families Face Life-Threatening Illnesses
- Faculty/Staff Wellness Program – Health and Spirituality, Responding to Serious Illness in the Workplace, Wellness Coaching Workshop and Retreats, Advance Care Planning, Locating Reliable Health Information on the Internet, Working through Change and Transitions, Insomnia Management, The Many Applications of Guided Imagery, How to Be Your Own Health Coach, Ten Ways to Move More on the Job and in Your Life, Stress, Nutrition and You, The Multigenerational Workforce, Stress Management, Holiday Stress, Conflict Resolution (webinars),

Annual James Cancer Hospital Rehabilitation Conferences

- 2004 James Continuing Education – Letter-Writing as a Tool to Integrate Altered Body Image
- 2002 Psychosocial Rehabilitation and Altered Body Image
- 2002 James Nursing Grand Rounds – Courageous Conversations
- 2001 Complementary Therapies and Cancer Care
- 2000 A Comprehensive Bereavement Program in a Tertiary Care Facility

Ohio State University Medical Center

- Medical Intensive Care Unit – Courageous Conversations
- Medical Center Service Board – Communication and the Alleviation of Suffering
- University Hospitals East – Behavioral Approaches to Pain Management
- Center for Wellness and Prevention – Health Coaching
- Department of Pastoral Care – Working with Dying Patients

- University Hospitals Department of Nursing Staff Development– Multiple annual conference presentations, e.g. Guided Imagery, Death & Dying, Stress Management for Caregivers, Support Groups, Working with Families, etc.
- U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development–Conflict Resolution
- Ohio Medical Records Association–Stress Management
- Aphaseology Association of Ohio–Stress Management
- Mental Health Association of Ohio–Development of Training Book for Volunteers
- Mental Health Association of Franklin County - Communication in the Family
- Arthritis Association of Central Ohio–Support Group Development
- Pan-Western Insurance Company–Stress Management
- Bethesda Hospital–Assertiveness Training for Managers
- Planned Parenthood Association of Butler County–Assertiveness and Children
- Action for Battered Women in Ohio–Group Work
- Choices for Victims of Domestic Violence–Group Work
- Central Ohio Lung Association–Stress Management
- American Society for Training and Development–Curriculum Development
- Center for New Directions–Group Work
- Credit Union Executive Society–Stress Management
- Mid-Ohio District Nurses Association–The Role of the Clinical Nurse Specialist
- Ohio Board of Nursing–Advance Practice Nursing: Changing Challenges into Opportunities
- Ohio College Health Association–Assertiveness Training
- Ohio Occupational Health Nurses Association–Strategies for Self Empowerment
- Ohio Public Health Association–Guided Imagery
- Catholic Social Services Cuban Refugee Resettlement Program–Conflict Resolution
- American Association of Law Librarians–Codependency
- Grady Memorial Hospital–Guided Imagery
- American Assoc. of Operating Room Nurses–Heightened Suggestibility of Anaesthetized Patients
- Reed College (Portland, Oregon)–Men and Violence against Women
- Central Ohio Area Agency on Aging–Complementary Medicine Update
- North Central Institute–Interactive Guided Imagery
- Third World Congress of Psycho-Oncology - International Symposium, New York, Oct. 1996. Complementary Modalities for Cancer Pain Management
- Grant/Riverside Hospitals-Keynote Address for Nurses Week May, 1998, The Nursing Narrative: Stories That Heal Our Patients, Ourselves, Overview of Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Reiki and Guided Imagery, Integrating Complementary Therapies into Your Practice, into Your Life
- Mary Ruttan Hospital –Psycho-oncology, Healing and Spirituality, Grief and Loss.
- Columbus Polarity Therapy Institute – Complementary Therapies and the Oncology Patient
- Mid-Ohio District Nurses Association – Narratives that Heal, Journaling Techniques
- Ohio Nurses Association – “An Overview of Alternative Therapies,” 1999
- Central Ohio Rehabilitation Nurses – Psychosocial Rehabilitation of the Oncology Patient
- Case Management Conference – Orlando, Fl., Panel Presentation on Catastrophic Case Studies

- Ohio Veterinary Medical Association Conference – Spirituality and Healing,
- Fifth World Congress of Psycho-oncology – Melbourne, Australia, 2000. Poster Presentation: From Breaking Bad News to Providing Bereavement Rituals to Grieving Families. Modeling Therapeutic Presence in an Academic Medical Center
- Cancer Survivorship Throughout the Lifespan: Challenges for the 21st Century – Atlanta, 2000, Abstract: From Breaking Bad News to Providing Bereavement Rituals to Grieving Families: Modeling Therapeutic Presence in an Academic Medical Center
- Central Ohio Oncology Nursing Society – Psychosocial Issues and the Cancer Patient, Courageous End of Life Conversations
- Columbus Children’s League – Spirituality and Healing
- Ohio Hospice and Palliative Care Organizations Annual Conference, Intervening in Complicated Bereavement
- Ohio Department of Aging Annual Conference – Courageous End of Life Conversations
- University of Cincinnati School of Nursing Sigma Theta Tau Conference: Bridging the Worlds of Practice, Education and Research – Teaching Students and Professional Staff How to Have those Courageous End of Life Conversations
- American Cancer Society One to One Volunteer Training–Effective Communications Skills
- Covenant Presbyterian Church – Spirituality and Healing Series
- Central Ohio Operating Room Nurses Association – A Peri-operative Music Program for Surgical Patients
- Society for Public Health Education- Stress Management and Cultural Diversity
- St. Marks Episcopal Church – Spirituality and Healing
- Association for Philanthropic Homes, Housing and Services for the Ageing, Annual State Conference – The Series to Understand, Nurture and support End of Life Transitions – an innovative palliative care Web-based curriculum
- Riverside Methodist Hospital Kobacker House Hospice - Courageous Conversations
- St. Mark’s Episcopal Church – From Age-ing to Sage-ing
- Capital University – The Heart of Healing: Integrating the Science of Body, Mind and Spirit, Spirituality and Healing.
- Ohio Department of Health, Women Coming Together Conference – Navigating Life Transitions
- Ohio Nursing Foundation – Overview of Complementary and Alternative Therapies
- Ohio Association of University and College Business Officers – Worksite Wellness Programs: How to Start, Return on Investment
- Ohio Nursing Foundation: Locating Reliable Health Information on the Internet
- Central Ohio Human Resources Association: Worksite Wellness Programs: How to Start, Return on Investment
- Consumerism: Reshaping the Costs of Health Care, 5th Annual Ohio Employers’ Summit on Solutions to Soaring Health Care Costs – Reducing Medical Costs, Improving Health Benefits, Promoting Quality Health Care and Saving Your Company Money
- Hospicescript National Webinar: Complementary and Alternative Therapies at End of Life, 2008
- Ohio Health Care Systems: Numerous community forums on Stress Management.
- Central Ohio Consortium of Sigma Theta Tau International: Tales from the Pager Chronicles: Readings from the Bedside. April 22, 2009.

- Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, Florida: Annual Minerva Rhinehart Lectureship: Tales from the Pager Chronicles: Readings from the Bedside, and Clinical Strategies for Helping Patients Work through Disturbed Body Image. Feb 3&4, 2010.
- National Oncology Nursing Congress, San Diego, May, 2010: Pre-Conference Institute: Spiritual Care Across the Cancer Continuum: Practical Approaches.
- Beehive Books, Delaware, Ohio: Tales from the Pager Chronicles, Readings from the Bedside, Feb. 2011.
- Central Ohio Clinical Nurse Specialist Association, Tales from the Pager Chronicles: Readings from the Bedside, October, 2011.