

**CURRICULUM VITAE  
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**EDUCATION**

*RUTGERS THE STATE UNIVERSITY, College of Nursing, Newark, NJ* **2013**

**Doctor of Philosophy** – Nursing

Dissertation: Factors Associated With Peer Victimization in Elementary, Middle and High School Students.

*RUTGERS THE STATE UNIVERSITY, College of Nursing, Newark, NJ* **2003**

**Certificate** – School Nursing

*KEAN UNIVERSITY, School of Nursing, Union, NJ* **2001**

**Masters of Science** – Nursing

Thesis: A comparison of Perceptions on Caring Behaviors between Patients and Nurses.

*KEAN UNIVERSITY, School of Nursing, Union, NJ* **1999**

**Bachelor of Science** – Nursing

*FRAMINGHAM UNION HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING, Framingham, MA* **1987**

**Diploma** – Nursing

**FACULTY APPOINTMENTS**

*THE COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY, School of Nursing, Ewing, NJ*

**Assistant Professor**

**September 2014 – Present**

Courses taught: Professional Role Development I and The Development of Unitary Man and Environment across the Life-Span.

Committee service:

*KEAN UNIVERSITY, School of Nursing, Union, NJ*

**Lecturer**

**2012-2014**

**School Nurse Program Coordinator**

**2013-2014**

**Graduate Program Coordinator**

**2013-2014**

Courses taught: Professional Nursing Practice in the Community, Independent Practicum Capstone, Health Promotion in the Community, Conceptual Foundations and Research in Nursing.

Committee service: Member, Faculty Search Committee, Research Chair, Sigma Theta

Tau Lambda Iota chapter, Chair, Awards Committee, Sigma Theta Tau Lambda Iota chapter.

*RUTGERS THE STATE UNIVERSITY, College of Nursing, Newark, NJ*

<b>Clinical Faculty</b>	<b>2001-2011</b>
<b>School Nurse Program Coordinator/Advisor</b>	<b>2007-2011</b>
<b>Adjunct faculty</b>	<b>2011-2014</b>

### **RELATED EXPERIENCES**

*BAYSHORE MEDICAL CENTER, Holmdel, NJ*

<b>Faculty, Instructor Trainer</b>	<b>1997-2011</b>
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*MONMOUTH MEDICAL CENTER, Long Branch, NJ*

<b>Community Health Educator</b>	<b>1994-2006</b>
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Coordinated and developed various community education programs for the public  
Including; childbirth education classes, breastfeeding education classes, CPR classes,  
baby care classes and sibling (big brother big sister) classes.

*KEAN UNIVERSITY, Union NJ*

<b>Graduate Assistant</b>	<b>1999-2001</b>
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Worked with graduate students assisting with coursework, computer technology as well as  
student teaching responsibilities.

*AM-SERV HEALTHCARE, Edison, NJ*

<b>Nursing Supervisor/Director of Education</b>	<b>1993-1997</b>
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Responsible for supervising nursing and ancillary staff in the home care settings as well as  
developing and implementing various continuing education programs for the nursing staff  
and non-licensed homecare staff to comply with New Jersey Board of Nursing regulations  
for certification and licensure.

*VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL JERSEY, Red Bank, NJ*

<b>Intravenous Team Director</b>	<b>1991-1993</b>
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Responsibilities included; direct patient care in homecare settings, supervision of nursing  
staff, as well as development and implementation of various in-service programs for  
nursing staff.

*KIMBERLY QUALITY CARE, Montclair, NJ*

<b>Nursing Director of Intravenous Program</b>	<b>1990-1991</b>
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Responsibilities included; direct patient care in homecare settings, supervision of nursing  
staff, as well as development and implementation of various in-service programs for  
nursing staff.

*SHORT HILLS PEDIATRICS*, Livingston, NJ

**Staff Nurse**

**1989-1990**

Direct patient care to pediatric population ages newborn to 21.

*SAINT CLARES HOSPITAL*, Denville, NJ

**Staff Nurse**

**1987-1989**

Direct patient care to a variety of medical surgical orthopedic patients.

**CONSULTIVE AND ADVISORY POSTIONS**

*NATIONAL LEAGUE FOR NURSING AMBASSADOR*, Kean University

**2012-2014**

*SIGMA THETA TAU INTERNATIONAL*

*Educational Task Force Member*

**2013-present**

*NURSE OF THE FUTURE GAP ANALYSIS COMPETENCIES*

*Task Force Member*

**2013**

**VOLUNTEER COMMUNITY SERVICE**

*PARKER FAMILY CLINIC*, Red Bank, NJ

**2009-present**

Volunteer at the Parker Family Clinic providing CPR certification to the volunteer physicians, nurses and ancillary staff.

*AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE*, Freehold, NJ

**2009-present**

Volunteer various services for the Relay for Life.

*VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL JERSEY*, Red Bank, NJ

**2002-present**

Volunteer in the Red Bank, Keyport, Keansberg and Asbury Park Community Health Centers providing CPR training to the physicians, nurses, and ancillary staff.

*ADVANCED DENTAL SEMINAR GROUP*, Long Branch, NJ

**2013**

Volunteered CPR training to Dentist and Oral Surgeons form all over New Jersey.

**AWARDS, CERTIFICATIONS AND HONORS**

- National League for Nursing, Certified Nurse Educator, 2012
- Recipient of the Robert Wood Johnson Scholarship, the purpose of this scholarship was for the pursuit of a doctorate with a focus in nurse education preparation, 2009
- Certified School Nurse, Board of Education State of New Jersey, 2003
- Received the distinguished service award from Kean University School of Nursing, 2001
- Inducted into the National Honor Society for Nursing, Sigma Theta Tau, 1998
- Awarded American Heart Association Training Center Faculty, 1997
- Certified Childbirth Educators LLC, Certified Childbirth educator, 1994
- American Heart Association Certified CPR Instructor, 1991
- Intravenous Nursing Society, Chemotherapy Certification, 1990

- Saint Clares Hospital Intravenous Certification, 1989

### **SCHOLARSHIP, GRANTS AND RESEARCH**

- September 2014: Novo Nordisk grant funded \$45,000; Co-Investigator.
- Dissertation: “Factors Associated with Peer Victimization in Elementary, Middle and High School Students”, 2013.
- Annual Reviewer for American Public Health Association conference podium and poster presentations.
- Reviewer for Pediatric Nursing Journal
- Applied for National School Nurses Association grant, scored third overall, not funded, 2011.
- Pilot study “The Association of Unexplained Psychosomatic Symptoms and School Climate”, 2010.
- Produced and marketed Infant and Child CPR DVD, 2006
- Received \$500.00 grant from Sigma Theta Tau to reexamine my thesis results, 2004
- Thesis: “A Comparison of Perceptions on Caring Behaviors Between Patients and Nurses”, 2001.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Perron, T (2013). Peer victimization: Strategies to decrease bullying in the schools. *British Journal of School Nursing*, (8) 1, 25-29.

Perron, T (2014) in review at the Journal of Pediatrics, “Factors associated with bullying: An empirical review of the literature.”

### **SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS**

- October 2014: Interviewed for “TCNJ Talks” regarding bullying, implications of bullying, and steps that students can take to help the situation or educate themselves further.
- April 2014: Keynote speaker for Sigma Theta Tau induction Lambda Iota Chapter
- September 2013: Abstract accepted at National School Nurse Association annual conference, for poster presentation “Factors Associated With Peer Victimization in Elementary, Middle And High School Students.”
- September 2013: Presentation of dissertation findings for anti-bullying program coordinator and staff for district where data was obtained.
- January 2013: Presented to New Jersey State Nurses Association members, Brookdale Community College: New Jersey Anti-Bullying law: What it is and what it means to school nurses.

- October 2012: Abstract accepted for poster presentation at the Research Summit, Kean University, Union, NJ entitled: “The Association of Unexplained Psychosomatic Symptoms with Bullying and School Climate”
- October 2011: Peer Reviewed: Abstract accepted for poster presentation at the National Public Health Association annual meeting entitled: “The Association of Unexplained Psychosomatic Symptoms with Bullying and School Climate”
- September 2011: Wrote for the New Jersey Nursing Initiative blog entitled “NJ Takes Lead: School Nurses in Key Position to Combat Bullying”
- September 2011: Wrote for the Robert Wood Johnson Human Capital Blog entitled “NJ Takes Lead: School Nurses in Key Position to Combat Bullying”
- September 2011: Presented poster presentation for the Annual New Jersey Nursing Initiative meeting entitled: “The Association of Unexplained Psychosomatic Symptoms with Bullying and School Climate”
- July 2011: Wrote for the New Jersey Nursing Initiative blog entitled: “School Nurses Take Interest in Bullying Study”
- June 2011: Peer Reviewed: Abstract accepted for poster presentation at the National Association of School Nurses entitled: “The Association of Unexplained Psychosomatic Symptoms with Bullying and School Climate”
- May 2011: Wrote for the New Jersey Nursing Initiative blog entitled: Scholars Work on Bullying Sheds Valuable Insight”
- February 2011: Participated in the Collaborative Learning Community Webinar about “Unfolding Case Studies” for the scholars and faculty preparation program of the Robert Wood Johnson funded New Jersey Nursing Initiative.

### **CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT**

#### *KEAN UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF NURSING*

Curriculum revisions for the school nurse post graduate certification program 2013-2014.

#### *RUTGERS THE STATE UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OF NURSING*

Cultural Dimensions undergraduate sophomore level course spring 2007 and spring 2010. Developed curriculum for course including syllabus, course objectives, course content and exams.

School Nursing Practicum post graduate level course. Fall 2007 and spring 2006. Developed curriculum for course including syllabus, course objectives and course content.

Community Health nursing undergraduate senior level course. Spring 2004. Developed curriculum for course including syllabus, course objectives, course content and exams.  
Nursing Care in the Community RN-BSN course. Fall 2011. . Developed curriculum for course including syllabus, course objectives and course content.

Nursing Care Provider I undergraduate junior level course. Fall 2002 and 2004. Developed curriculum for course including syllabus, course objectives, course content and exams.

Nursing Care Provider I Lab undergraduate junior level course. Fall 2002. Developed curriculum for course including syllabus, course objectives and course content.

### **CURRICULUM EVALUATION/ASSESSMENT**

#### *KEAN UNIVERISTY, SCHOOL OF NURSING*

2013-2014: Member of the Nurse of the Future Competencies initiative to determine a gap analysis.

Spring 2013- 2014 assessment coordinator for school of nursing

### **SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE**

#### *SERVICE TO SCHOOL OF NURSING, THE COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY*

- Member of the Public Health task force September 2014
- Member of the Faculty Development/Student Affairs Committee September 2014
- Member of the Teaching with Technology task force. September 2014
- Member of the Public Health Certification Sub-Committee October 2014
- The College of New Jersey Open House October 2014
- The College of New Jersey Open House November 2014

#### *SERCVICE TO SCHOOL OF NURSING, KEAN UNIVERISTY*

- CPR certification to nursing faculty and ancillary staff for the School of Nursing. January 2014
- Participated in Kean's week of Assessment January 2014
- Acting School Nurse Program Coordinator 2013-2014

- Acting Graduate Program Coordinator Union Campus 2013-2014
- Open House, Kean University September 2013
- Department of Nursing Library Liaison Nov 2012 – 2014
- Participated in Kean's week of Assessment January 2013
- Sigma Theta Tau Lambda Iota Chapter Research Chair February 2013
- Open House, Kean University April 2013
- Assessment Coordinator April 2013- 2014
- CPR certification to ancillary staff for student health services July 2013
- Open House Kean University September 2012

*SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE OF NURSING, RUTGERS THE STATE UNIVERSITY*

- Nominated and Served as Chairperson for the Student Life Committee 2006 – 2007
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- Faculty Advisor for Rutgers College of Nursing class of 2008 2004 – 2008
- Member of the Student Life Committee 2002 – 2009
- Chair for College of Nursing Annual Picnic 2004 – 2009

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- American Heart Association
- National School Nurses Association
- National Nurses Association
- New Jersey School Nurse Association
- National Public Health Association

- National League For Nursing
- Sigma Theta Tau