

Instructor Information

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Post Secondary Education

Degree(s)

Degree	Discipline	Institution	Year
Associates Applied Science	Nursing	Odessa College	1993
Bachelors of Science	Nursing	University of Phoenix	2006 with honors
Masters of Science	Nursing	University of Phoenix	expected 9/2010 with honors
Masters of Business Administration	Health Care Management	University of Phoenix	expected 9/2010 with honors

Licenses/Certificates

License/Certificate	Institution/Agency	Year
Registered Nurse	Texas Board of Nursing	1993
CCRN	American Association of Critical Care Nurses	2009 & 1996
BLS & ACLS instructor	American Heart Association	2010
Training Site Faculty	American Heart Association	2010

Other Relevant Coursework

Course	Discipline	Institution/Agency	Year
8 semesters	Mechanical Engineering	Texas A&M University	1989

Teaching Experience

Area/Discipline	Institution	Year
Cardiac Assist Devices and Hemodynamics	Arrow International, Inc	1997-2008
Laser revascularization & stem cell implantation	Cardiogenesis, Inc	2008
Nursing	Odessa College	2008-present
Nursing	Medical Center Hospital	2009-present

Professional Publications

Title	Published in	Date

Licensure and Certification *(Instructor:if applicable)*

Date	Type of license or certification

Academic Appointments

(Instructors: list in chronological order, beginning with most recent):

Dates	Title	Department	Institution

Other Academic Positions and Major Visiting Appointments

Dates	Title	Department	Institution

Honors and Distinctions

Instructors: (Year and name of award)

1. Clinical Support Specialist of the Year 2003, 2007, 2006, 2007
2. Circle of Excellence 2005, 2006, 2007
3. Concurrent lecturer National Teaching Institutes 2002
4. Concurrent lecturer multiple national cardiovascular and perfusion conferences
- 5.
- 6.
- 7.

Other Public Service

- 1.

Department and School service

- 1.

Professional Societies

1. American Association of Critical Care Nurses
2. Sigma Theta Tau
3. National League for Nurses
4. American Nurses Association
4. Texas Nurses Association

Major Administrative Responsibilities

- 1.

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(Instructors: Title and Place of responsibility)

1. I have nearly 20 years of experience in critical care, particularly cardiovascular nursing. I have worked in intensive care, cardiac cath lab, the emergency room, and med-surg areas. I have participated in multiple nursing and medical research studies, and have lectured on cardiac assist devices and hemodynamics at several national nursing, perfusion, and medical conferences.

I currently teach Management of Client Care, Management Clinical, and the Legal & Ethical Issues for Nurses courses at Odessa College. I am also employed at Medical Center Hospital where I responsible for driving professional nursing practice model and patient and family centered care.