



March 8, 2013

Gene L. Dodaro
Comptroller of the United States
Government Accountability Office
441 G Street, NW
Washington, DC 20548

Re: **Medicare Payment Advisory Commission Nomination Letter for Dr. Nancy Ridenour**

Dear Mr. Dodaro:

The undersigned organizations of the Nurse Practitioner Roundtable, representing the interests of the over 155,000 nurse practitioners (NPs), respectfully request your consideration for the nomination of Nancy Ridenour, PhD, RN, APRN, BC, FAAN, to the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission (MedPAC). As detailed in the enclosed curriculum vitae, Dr. Ridenour is a nursing and NP leader with significant experience in education, policy, and practice. The addition of a NP would bring a highly valuable perspective to the deliberations of MedPAC. We are confident that Dr. Ridenour's experience would well serve the interests of the Commission.

For over 30 years, Dr. Ridenour has been a family nurse practitioner focusing her work in primary care in rural areas for vulnerable and underserved populations. Dr. Ridenour has been a professor of nursing since 1978 and has held progressively more influential positions in nursing education, currently serving as Dean and professor of the University of New Mexico, College of Nursing. She has extensive experience in developing nursing and interprofessional educational programs, has provided leadership in the development of the Doctor of Nursing Practice Programs at two universities, and started a new college of nursing.

Dr. Ridenour has successfully interwoven her expertise in health policy into leadership experiences. During her tenure as a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) Health Policy Fellow (2007-8), she served as a policy analyst for the Ways and Means Committee of the US House of Representatives. She worked on numerous Medicare issues and championed increased access to affordable and quality care, including contributing to key health reform legislation (PPACA and HITECH) during this time. She took her policy experience to the University of New Mexico, where she initiated the Office of Health Policy at the Health Sciences Center (HSC) and serves as both the Health Care Reform Advisor to the HSC and Chair of the HSC Health Policy Commission. She is also a Senior Fellow at the RWJF Health Policy Center of the University of New Mexico.

Other fellowships and experiences have enhanced Dr. Ridenour's leadership expertise. She participated in the 3-year RWJF's Executive Nurse Fellowship and also completed two fellowships of the National Endowment for the Humanities. She completed the US Department of Health and Human Services' Primary Care Policy Fellowship, an interprofessional opportunity to advance primary care interests. Dr. Ridenour also served as a member of the Health Resources and Services Administration's Expert Workforce Panel in 2009. Since 2010, she has served as a nurse representative to Carter Center/American College of Physician initiative to facilitate evidence-based integration of behavioral health content into interprofessional education of primary care clinicians.

While serving as Dean and Professor at Illinois State University, Dr. Ridenour led an initiative to establish a network of Teaching Nursing Homes. Starting with one nursing home, the program expanded to more than 10 across the state of Illinois. The project included standardized orientation and continuing education for all nursing personnel, strategically organized interdisciplinary student experiences, and clinical outcomes research. The project demonstrated improved outcomes for residents of long-term care and increased the number of BSN (Bachelor of Science in Nursing) students choosing to start their careers in long-term care. A combination of federal, state, and private funding supported the project.

As MedPAC continues its important work of providing recommendations to Congress on Medicare and looks more closely at the primary care needs of the nation, the perspective of a seasoned NP with extensive policy experience could be beneficial. Nurse practitioners are a significant component of the primary care workforce and in providing care for Medicare beneficiaries. As millions of American families gain improved access to healthcare coverage, nurse practitioners are an essential part of the solution to alleviate provider shortages and promote patient-centered interprofessional practices focused on holistic patient care, including wellness promotion and prevention. Their education and clinical preparation provides them with a unique perspective in managing the care of patients of all ages, including those with multiple chronic conditions and those in transition from various care settings. Dr. Ridenour would bring to the Commission an understanding of both the needs of patients and the dynamics of healthcare delivery that is essential to creating a system that provides better access to better care at a sustainable cost.

In addition to recommending Dr. Ridenour, we support the reappointment of Mary Naylor, PhD, RN, FAAN, to another term on the Commission. Dr. Naylor's expertise and insight have contributed significantly to the Commission's work on payment policies, care coordination, and many other issues. Given the complex policy questions MedPAC will address in the coming years, we believe the appointment of a nurse practitioner to the Commission would add to the nursing perspective it currently receives, which we hope will be retained. We believe the appointment of Dr. Ridenour and the reappointment of Dr. Naylor would both be extremely valuable to MedPAC's deliberations.

Sincerely,

American Association of Nurse Practitioners
Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association
National Association of Nurse Practitioners in Women's Health
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners
National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties

NANCY RIDENOUR, Ph.D., R.N., A.P.R.N., B.C., F.A.A.N.

**Dean and Professor
University of New Mexico College of Nursing**

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CAREER OBJECTIVE

To improve the health of the public through educating the future health care workforce and enhancing primary care. The position should provide the opportunity to enhance my capacity in innovation, fundraising, health policy, mentoring, and visioning.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Started a new college of nursing at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
- Served as Dean of Nursing at two public universities and created entrepreneurial, interdisciplinary programs that enhanced their capabilities to grow despite state cutbacks for higher education.
- Raised over \$ 10 million in external funding from private donors, foundations, corporations, federal and state government.
- Raised in excess of \$25 million through mentoring of others
- Extensive experience working with federal government, including working for the Ways and Means Committee, US House of Representatives.
- Experience in working with Texas, Illinois and New Mexico state governments and agencies in procuring funding, testifying about health workforce issues and developing innovative health care programs.
- Extensive experience in developing interdisciplinary programs with health sciences, college of education and liberal arts to pursue competitive grants.
- Certification in fund-raising from Indiana University and experience in calling on donors. Developed endowed chairs and scholarship programs for University of New Mexico College of Nursing, Illinois State University and Texas Tech University.
- Certification in change management from Colorado State University
- Developed multi-institutional programs with other universities, community colleges and K-12 school districts.
- Mentor to faculty nationwide for academic leadership and health policy.
- International experience in Peru, Mexico, Jordan, China, Cuba and India.
- Experience working with sovereign Native American Nations

PRESENT POSITION

Dean and Professor University of New Mexico College of Nursing, December 2008-present

- Initiated Office of Health Policy at the Health Sciences Center
- Chair, HSC Health Care Reform Legislative Task Force
- Health Care Reform Advisor to University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center
- Fellow, Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Center University of New Mexico
- UNM Health Care Workforce Work Group
- Increased interdisciplinary collaboration at HSC and at UNM
- Steering Committee NM Action Coalition to implement IOM Future of Nursing Recommendations
- Obtained first Endowed Chair for the College
- Initiated Faculty Practice Program
- Supported innovation in nurse-managed faculty practices
- Nationally ranked Nurse Midwifery and Family Nurse Practitioner Programs
- Initiated the DNP (Doctor of Nursing Practice)
- Spearheaded the organization and implementation of NMNEC (New Mexico Nursing Education Consortium) www.nmnec.org
 - Over 2 year period brought together 23 nursing programs in the state to develop and approve statewide BSN curriculum to be offered at all public institutions offering nursing in the state
- Achieved CCNE 10 year re-accreditation with no recommendations
- HSC representative to University Resource Centered Management (RCM) Team
- Member Board of Trustees UNM Foundation

INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE, Washington, DC

- Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Fellow, 2007-2008

United States House of Representatives Committee on Ways and Means

Policy Analyst, 2008. Contributed to the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinic Health (HITECH) Act enacted as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and also to the Patient Protection Affordable Care Act (PPACA). Required bi-partisan interactions and meetings with multiple stakeholder and advocacy groups. Portfolio included several Medicare issues:

- Hospice
- Hospital acquired conditions
- Hospital acquired infections
- Health Information Technology/meaningful use
- E-prescribing
- Transparency in ownership of Long-term care facilities
- Quality outcomes in long-term care
- Social insurance for long-term care
- Funding for primary care
- International comparisons in health outcomes and health systems
- Chronic Care Coordination
- Clinical Outcomes/Quality
- Workforce
- Pay for performance/value based purchasing

ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF NURSING, Normal, IL 1999-2007

Lead the transition from a free standing private nursing college to the first health professions college on a large state university campus

- Obtained post-doctoral education opportunities for six faculty
- Required development of all mechanisms and policies and procedures for the college
- College ranked in top 50 NIH funding
- Initiated the PhD program in collaboration with the University of Iowa
- Secured local, state and federal funding for Teaching Nursing Home
- Obtained Department of Labor opinion for local Workforce Investment Board to support displaced auto workers obtaining BSN, MSN, PhD

Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing, Lubbock, TX 1981-1999

One of three faculty who started the College of Nursing at TTUHSC. Started the Practice Program, the Graduate Program including masters and PhD, first faculty in the CE program

- Professor and Associate Dean for Education, 1995-99
- Professor and Associate Dean for Graduate Program, 1990-95
- Associate Professor and Associate Dean for Graduate Program, 1989-90
- Associate Professor and Associate Dean for Practice Programs and Practice Development, 1986-89
- Assistant Dean for Practice Programs and Practice Development, 1984-86
- Family Nurse Clinician for Student Health Services, 1981-87
- Assistant Professor, 1981-86

University of Colorado Health Sciences Center

Initiated Family Nurse Practitioner Program in Graduate Program

- Assistant Professor Rural Outreach Program and Robert Wood Johnson Faculty Fellowship Program in Primary Care,
- Preceptor School Nurse Practitioner Program; Preceptor Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program,
- Instructor Graduate Family Nurse Practitioner Program and Robert Wood Johnson Faculty Fellowship Program in Primary Care,
- Clinical Preceptor Medical Students,

PRACTICE APPOINTMENTS

- Family Nurse Practitioner, Illinois State University, Student Health Services, Normal, IL, Family Nurse Practitioner, Community Health Care Clinic, Bloomington, IL
- Family Nurse Practitioner, Texas Tech University, Student Health Service, Lubbock, TX
- Family Nurse Practitioner, Texas Tech University, Wellness Center, Lubbock, TX,
- Consultant to Texas Department of Health, Lubbock, TX,
- Primary Care of Homeless – Guadalupe Economic Services, Lubbock, TX,
- Primary Health Clinic-Neighborhood House, United Way/Lutheran Social Services, Lubbock, TX,
- CPR Instructor, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, School of Nursing, Lubbock, TX,
- Infection Control Consultant, West Texas Rural Health Providers, Lubbock, TX,
- R.N. Consultant for A.G.W. Enterprises, Bethphage Community Services, and Lubbock State School, Lubbock, TX,
- Family Nurse Clinician for Student Health Services, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX,
- Nurse Practitioner, Emerson House, (juvenile detention center), Denver, CO,
- Staff Nurse on call, St. Joseph Hospital, Denver, CO,
- Adult Nurse Practitioner, University of Colorado Medical Center Emergency Room, CO,
- Syphilis Serology and Dysuria Research Studies University of Colorado Medical Center, CO, 1Nurse Practitioner, Colorado General Sexually Transmitted Disease Clinic, CO,

- Epidemiologist and Employee Health Nurse, Beth Israel Hospital, Denver, CO,
- Staff Nurse, Medical-Surgical Unit, Colorado General Hospital, CO,
- Case Worker, National Center for Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect, Denver, CO,

EDUCATION

Certificate in Change Management, Prosci, Colorado State University

Certificate in Fundraising Management. Center on Philanthropy, Indiana University

Doctor of Philosophy in Human Development and Family Studies, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas

Master of Science in Nursing, Family Nurse Clinician, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado

Adult Nurse Practitioner, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado.

THESIS AND DISSERTATION

“A Dialogical Paradigm for Holistic Discourse in Nursing.” Texas Tech University, Ph.D.,

“Health Beliefs, Preventive Behavioral Intentions and Knowledge of Gonorrhea: Predictors of Recidivism?” University of Colorado, M.S

HONORS

- Distinguished Nurse of the Year: New Mexico Nursing Excellence Award
- Visiting Scholar, Jefferson School of Nursing, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA,
- Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Fellow
- Woman of Distinction, McClean County YWCA
- Robert Wood Johnson Executive Nurse Fellow
- Distinguished Faculty Award, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
- President’s Academic Achievement Award, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
- Fellow American Academy of Nursing
- Health and Human Services, United States Public Health Service Primary Care Policy Fellow
American Nurses’ Association Nominee
- Phi Kappa Phi
- Texas Nurses Association, District 18, Nurse of the Year
- International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Land Studies, Fulbright-Hays Fellowship:
Study tour of Egypt and Jordan
- International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Land Studies, Fulbright-Hays Fellowship: Study Tour of
China
- Teaching Excellence Award, Texas Tech University, Health Sciences Center
- Kennedy Institute of Ethics Bioethics Course, Georgetown University
- National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship, The Role of Medicine: Historical Perspectives
on the Healing Task, Princeton University.
- National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship, Human Nature and the Healer, Williams
College
- Sigma Theta Tau International
- BSN with Honors, University of Colorado

- National Merit Letter of Commendation,
- President's Scholarship, Colorado School of Mines, Golden, Colorado
- National Honor Society

JOURNAL ARTICLES

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Ridenour, N. & Trautman, D. (2009). "A primer for nurses on advancing health reform policy." *Journal of Professional Nursing*. 25(6), 358-362.

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Ridenour, N. & Norton, D. (1995). "Community Based Persons with Mental Retardation: Opportunities for Health Promotion," *Nurse Practitioner Forum*, 6(1), 19-23, reprinted as classic article, 1997 *Nurse Practitioner Forum*, 8(2), 45.

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BOOK REVIEWS

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- Lovegrove, R. (2009). *Health: Ethical Debates in Modern Medicine*. North Mankato, MN: Smart Apple Media.
- Green, R. (2007). *Babies by Design. The Ethics of Genetic Choice*. New Haven: Yale University Press.
- *Life Running Out of Control: Designer Babies and Gene Robbery*. Films for the Humanities and Sciences, Inc., May/June 2006
- Ackerman, D. (2004). *An Alchemy of Mind: The Marvel and Mystery of the Brain*.
- Donaldson, R., Lundgren, K. & Spiro, H. (2003). *The Yale Guide to Careers in Medicine and the Health Professions*.
- Magnus, D., Caplan, A., McGee, G. (2002). *Who Owns Life?*
- Papa, S. (2001). *Addiction*.
- Judson, K. (2001). *Medical Ethics: Life and Death Issues*.
- Greenfield, S. (2000). *The Private Life of the Brain: Emotions, Consciousness, and Secret of the Self*.
- Ciarns-Smith (1999). *Secrets of the Mind*.
- Stoppard, M. (1999). *Well Woman*.
- Grohol, J. (1999). *The Insider's Guide to Mental Health Resources*
- Calvin, William H. (1996). *How Brains Think: Evolving Intelligence, Then and Now* Basic Books.
- *What Every Athlete Should Know About Steroids*. (video 1996).
- Chuchland, P. (1995). *The Engine of Reason the Seat of the Soul*. MIT Press.
- *Frog Girl* (Film 1993).
- *The Burks have AIDS* (Film 1988).
- *Toxic Trials*.(Film 1986).
- *A Portrait of Hope*. (Film 1986).
- *Stress: Learning to Handle It*. (Film 1985).
- *How to Choose a Nursing Home*. (Film 1985).
- *Before It's Too Late: Teenage Suicide*. (Film 1985).
- *Code Gray* (Film 1984). Fanlight Films.
- *Coping with Death in the Family* (Film 1983). Learning Tree, Filmstrips.
- *Life Changes Causes Stress* (Film 1983). Encyclopedia Britannica.
- *Be Well, Stress in Later Years* (Film 1983). Churchill films.
- Vogt, T. M. (1983). *Making Health Decisions*. Chicago: Nelson Hall.
- *Holistic Health: Treating the Whole Person* (Film 1982). New York, NY: MacMillan.
- Growitz, S. (1982). *Doctor's Dilemmas*. New York; MacMillan.
- Getchell, B. (1982). *Being fit. A Personal Guide*. New York: John Wiley and Sons.

Publisher Reviews:

- Purnell, L. & Paulanka, B. (1997). *Transcultural Healthcare: A Culturally Competent Approach*. Philadelphia: F. A. Davis Company.
- Reviewer for Winiarski, M. (1991). *AIDS-Related Psychotherapy*. New York: Pergamon Press, Inc.

Reviewer for the following publications:

- Editorial Board *Journal of Professional Nursing*, 2008-present
- Policy, Politics, & Nursing Practice
- Editorial Board of *MEDICC Review: A journal focused on health and medicine in Cuba*. (Oct. 2006)
- *Nurse Educator*. (2003-present).
- Editorial Panelist for *Image: Journal of Nursing Scholarship*. (1994-1999).
- *American Journal of Nursing*. (1992-Present).
- *Nursing Outlook*. (1991- Present).

- *Nursing Diagnosis*. (1990-2000).
- *Public Health Nursing*. (1989-Present).
- *Journal of Professional Nursing*. (1988-Present).
- *Health Services Research*. (2009-Present).

FUNDING

- Translating Research to Policy, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Princeton, NJ, August 2-3, 2007.
- USIA funded consultation Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore, India. July, 2000.
- Expert Panel AHCPR Evidence Report Complementary and Alternative Medicine Use of Garlic in Prevention of Cardiovascular Disease and Cancer. 1999.
- Expert Panel AHCPR Evidence Report Complementary and Alternative Medicine Use of Siylbum Marianum in Treatment of Liver Disease and Cirrhosis. 1999.
- Primary Care Research Networks; American Academy of Nursing; AHCPR. 1995-1998.
- Development of Community Health and Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner Graduate Curriculum. Funded by West Texas Rural Health Education Center. Funded for \$26,000. 1989.
- Jordan University of Science and Technology. Funded by USIA and International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Studies. 1989.
- West Texas Rural Health Providers and Texas Department of Health AIDS Education and Infection Control Consultation in Rural West Texas. Funded for \$28,000. 1988. Supplemental Funding for \$33,000. 1989.
- Co-Investigator: Microcomputer Laboratory to Develop CAI Logic and Clinical Decision Making. Funded for \$67,500. 1988.
- “Health Beliefs and Behaviors of Peoples of Ganzu Province and Inner Mongolia, China.” Funded by Fullbright-Hays Foundation. Sponsored by ICASALS. 1988.
- Co-Investigator: Study Tour Primary Health Care and Traditional Chinese Medicine. Peoples Republic of China. Funded by Fullbright-Hays Foundation. Sponsored by ICASALS. 1988.

GRANTS (Principal Investigator)

- Health Resources and Services Administration: “Nurse Faculty Loan Program”, \$38,333. 2010
- HRSA “AARA Nurse Faculty Loan Program” \$9,589. 2010
- HRSA “AARA Scholarships for Disadvantaged Students”, \$22,886. 2010
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation: “New Careers in Nursing”, \$50,000. 2010
- Mustang Health Center, School Based Health Center, \$18,719. 2010
- First Choice Community Health care, \$50,232. 2010
- Health Resources and Services Administration: “Nurse Faculty Loan Program”, \$10,654. 2009
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, “Health Policy Fellowship”, \$155,000. 2007-2010
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, “Partners in Nursing”, \$250,000 with \$250,000 matching from Illinois Prairie Community Foundation. 2007
- Memorial Medical Center, \$68,000. “Implementing Evidence-Based Practice.” Brenda Jeffers served as Project Director. 2005.
- U.S. Department of Education, \$300,000. “Increasing RN’s in Long Term Care.” 2004.
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Executive Nurse Fellowship, \$75,000. 2003-2006.
- Health Resources and Services Administration, Geriatric Nursing, \$25,000. 2003-2004.
- Gerontological Nursing Interventions Research Center and the Hartford Center for Geriatric Nursing Excellence, University of Iowa. “Nursing Staffing and Resident Outcomes in Nursing Homes,” \$5,663. May, 2003.
- Illinois State University’s Extended University. Distance education program grant which would design and implement electronically enhanced BSN completion courses for registered nurses. Submitted by Janie McCray and Nancy Ridenour. \$24,380. January, 2001.

- USIA, Avinashilingam University, India, \$23,000. 2000-02.
- Health Resources and Services Administration, Nurse Practitioner Training Grant:
Mennonite College of Nursing at Illinois State University:
2000-01, \$215,301
1999-00, \$163,987
Texas Tech University:
2000-01, \$202,849
1999-00, \$218,713
1998-99, \$240,254
- Health Resources and Services Administration, Collaborative Advanced Education for Psychiatric/Addictions Nursing, in collaboration with University of Texas Health Sciences Center, Houston:
1999-00, \$34,058
1998-99, \$38,465
- Federal Nurse Traineeship Grants:
Mennonite College of Nursing at Illinois State University:
1999-00, \$18,175
Texas Tech University:
1997-98, \$34,175
1996-97, \$24,846
1995-96, \$29,734
1994-95, \$43,740
1993-94, \$42,520
1992-93, \$40,522
1991-92, \$42,168
1990-91, \$23, 560
- Reviewer for Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, Small Business Grants, Washington, DC, May 5-7, 1992; June 4, 1993.
- Partners of the Americas Travel Funds to Peru. 1987.

FUND RAISING

Raised in excess of \$4,000,000 in donations/pledges to College of Nursing at University of New Mexico

Raised in excess of \$3,000,000 in donations/pledges to College of Nursing at Illinois State University. 1999-2005.

Raised in excess of \$150,000 for School of Nursing at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. 1990-1998.

TESTIMONY

HM 50: Statewide Nursing Education Plan. NM Legislative Health and Human Services Committee, Santa Fe, November 9, 2010.

Workforce Challenges. Governor's Forum. Santa Fe, October 25, 2010.

HJM 40: Nursing Faculty Shortage. NM Legislative Health and Human Services Committee, November 1, 2009.

Reducing Health Disparities. NM Department of Health, Office of Health Equity. June 12, 2009

PRESENTATIONS - ACADEMIC PAPERS/SPEECHES

“What Every Dean Wants Their Nursing Faculty Leaders to Know & Do in the Generation of Resources.” RWJF Nurse Faculty Scholars National Meeting, December 4, 2012, Albuquerque, NM.

“Looking Ahead to January 2014: Implementation of ACA at the State Level” RWJF Health Policy Fellows Alumni Retreat, Institute of Medicine, Washington, DC, October 14, 2012.

“Transforming Health Care: Nurses Engaged in Policy” Closing Keynote American Academy of Nursing 39th Meeting and Annual Conference, October 13, 2012, Washington, DC.

“National Health Care Reform” University of Northern Colorado School of Nursing. August 24, 2012.

“Leadership in the 21st Century”. Keynote for AACN Leadership in Academic Nursing Program. Colorado Springs, July 29, 2012.

“A Live Chat on the Affordable Care Act Decision” July 12, 2012, RWJF Human Capital Grantee and Alumni Networks.

“Health Policy: Strategies for Bridging the Health Disparities Gap”. New Mexico Nurse Practitioner Council. Las Cruces, NM. April 20, 2012.

“Preparing Nurses to Use Ethnic/Cultural Healing Practices to Promote Healthy Lifestyles.” Native American Indian Nurses’ Association. Walking in Beauty: Health and Wellness. Albuquerque, NM. April 19, 2012.

“Serve America’s Patients through a Career in Advocacy and Policy” AACN Third Annual Student Policy Summit. Washington, DC. March 26, 2012.

“Exerting Leadership Through Political/Policy Action” RWJ Executive Nurse Fellowship, Colorado Springs, CO, February 1, 2012.

“Vulnerable Populations.” Effecting Change in Health & Health Care Through Collaborative Leadership. RWJ Executive Nurse Fellowship, Colorado Springs, CO, January 30, 2012.

“Articulation Issues in Nursing Education Programs.” New Mexico Higher Education Department meeting with regents, governing board members & presidents. Socorro, NM, January 4, 2012.

“Technology and the Transformation of Health Care.” Repositioning Health Care through Relationships and Health Information Technology. Western Michigan University. October 28, 2011.

“IOM Report and What it Means for Indian Health Service”. Nurse Leaders in Native Care. National Conference, Albuquerque, NM. 16 August 2011.

“Native Health Workforce: Current Realities”. Working for Health-Mobilizing a Native Workforce. New Mexico Tribal Workforce Development Summit. May 19, 2011.

“Translating Health Reform to Practice”. Academic Health Centers and the Social Determinants of Disease: Measuring our Populations’ Health. April 27, 2011. Albuquerque, NM.

“Health Reform and Policy Implementation.” 37th Annual National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties meeting, April 16, 2011, Albuquerque, NM.

“What do key constituents need to know to consider replication?” Evaluating Innovations in Nursing Education annual meeting, Albuquerque, NM, March 31, 2011.

“Preparing Master’s Students for Health Care Policy and Advocacy”. American Association of Colleges of Nursing, Master’s Education Conference. Scottsdale, AZ, February 24, 2011.

“NM Response to IOM Report”, Albuquerque, NM, January 12, 2011.

“Quality initiatives and health care reform.” Magnet Champion meeting, Albuquerque, NM, December 15, 2010.

“Health policy for nurse leaders: The role of faculty in healthcare policy.” Jonas Nurse Leaders Scholar Summit. Washington, DC, November 1, 2010.

“Impact of health reform.” Transforming Care at the Bedside Symposium, Albuquerque, NM, October 29, 2010.

“New Mexico Nursing Education Consortium”, Chief Academic Officers, Santa Fe, October 27, 2010.

“The Health Professional Workforce of Tomorrow: Challenges and Opportunities”. Governor’s Forum on Status of Adult Workers. Santa Fe, October 25, 2010.

“Population health and public policy.” Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing, Odessa, TX, October 15-16, 2010.

“Translating research and practice to health policy.” Jefferson School of Nursing, Philadelphia, PA. October 13, 2010.

“Research to policy.” Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science, State of the Science Congress. Washington, DC, September 27, 2010.

“The origins of meaningful use.” Biomedical Informatics Seminar Series University of New Mexico, September 23, 2010.

“Environmental scanning: Critical skills for nurse leaders.” Webinar for TTUHSC School of Nursing, June 22, 2010.

“Impact of health reform on nursing education in NM.” Center for Nursing Excellence Faculty Conference, Albuquerque, NM, June 2, 2010.

“Impact of health reform.” Christus/St. Vincent Hospital, Santa Fe, NM, May 22, 2010.

“Improving nursing practice and informing policy through nursing science. New Mexico Nurse Practitioner Council Annual Conference. Albuquerque, NM, April 22, 2010.

“United we stand, divided we fall: A policy conversation.” 36th Annual Meeting National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, Washington, DC, April 18, 2010.

“Integration of Research, Practice, Education, and Policy.” Keynote for 43rd Annual Nursing Research Conference, Western Institute of Nursing, Glendale, AZ. April 15, 2010.

“Advocacy for open access”. National Library of Medicine Evidence-based Scholarly Communication Conference. March 12, 2010, Albuquerque, NM.

“Health Policy: Impact and Focus” RWJF Nurse Faculty Scholars, National Meeting, Santa Fe, NM. December 2, 2009.

“Success in the faculty role”. American Association of Colleges of Nursing Faculty Development Conference, Albuquerque, NM, November 21, 2009.

“Changes in health care: What does it mean for nursing?” Transforming Care at the Bedside, Albuquerque, NM, September 18, 2009,.

“What is NM nursing education’s shared vision?” NM Statewide Nursing Faculty Conference. New Mexico Center for Nursing Excellence, Albuquerque, NM, June 4, 2009.

“Challenging the paradigm and Where do we go from here?” NM Statewide Nursing Faculty Conference. New Mexico Center for Nursing Excellence, Albuquerque, NM, June 4, 2009.

“Health reform: Implications for NPs & education.” National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, April 18, 2009, Portland, Oregon.

“Social Policy” Western Institute of Research, Salt Lake City, UT, April 25, 2009.

“Health Reform: Implications for Nurse Practitioners.” National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, Portland, OR April 18, 2009.

“Translating Research to Health Policy” Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Center for Health Policy at University of New Mexico Spring 2009 Lecture Series: Plural Perspectives on Health and Health Policy. University of New Mexico, April 9, 2009.

“Philanthropy” Webcast for Sigma Theta Tau, International. April 7, 2009.

“Health Reform: Leadership Lessons Learned.” Robert Wood Johnson Executive Nurse Fellowship, Washington, DC, April 3, 2009.

“Case Study on Community Health Program Funding.” Robert Wood Johnson Executive Nurse Fellowship, Washington, DC, April 3, 2009.

“Nurse Practitioners: Providing Solutions for Health Reform” Keynote California Association for Nurse Practitioners 32nd Annual Education Conference, Sacramento, CA, March 13, 2009.

“Health Policy Issues” American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, November 14, 2008.

“Nursing Leadership in Health Policy.” Robert Wood Johnson Executive Nurse Fellowship. San Francisco, October 22, 2008.

“Primary Care Issues in Health Care Reform,” American Academy of Nurse Practitioners, Washington, DC, October 20, 2008.

“Strategies for Health Care Reform”, Emergency Nurses Association Government Relations Committee, Washington, DC, October 9, 2008.

“Health Policy Fellowship”, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Princeton, NJ, July 28, 2008.

“Translating Research to Public Policy”, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Workshop for Interdisciplinary Nursing Quality Research Initiative Grantees, Princeton, NJ, July 18, 2008.

“Hospice Policy: Harbinger for Health Reform” Institute of Medicine, Washington, DC, May 2, 2008.

“Emerging Policy Issues: Conversations with Hill Staffers.” American Association of Colleges of Nursing, Washington, DC, March 29th, 2008.

“Intersection of Advancement and Health Policy” American Association of Colleges of Nursing, Washington, DC, March 28, 2008.

“Health Policy” University of Maryland School of Nursing, Baltimore, March 14, 2008.

“Philanthropic Strategies for Nurses” Sigma Theta Tau, International Research Congress, Vienna Austria, July 2007.

“Nursing Moments: Leadership in Philanthropy”, Robert Wood Johnson Executive Nurse Fellowship Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, March, 2007.

“Grassroots Health Policy: Building Local, State and Federal Constituencies for Nursing.” American Association of Colleges of Nursing, Washington, D.C., October 29, 2006.

“Shaping Your Career Trajectory: Leadership Strategies in Nursing Practice.” Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY, April 21, 2006.

“Shaping Your Career Trajectory: Leadership Strategies in Nursing Education.” Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY, April 21, 2006.

“Successfully Managing Difficult People.” Presentation at the Mosby’s Faculty Development Institute, January 2006, Miami, Florida.

“Shaping Your Career Trajectory: Leadership Development for Faculty.” Presentation at the Mosby’s Faculty Development Institute, January 2006, Miami, Florida.

“Ethics in Leadership.” Presentation at the Illinois Lincoln “Excellence in Public Service” Series. November 2005, Bloomington, Illinois.

“Securing Nursing’s Financial Future: Role of Faculty and Graduate Students.” Presentation at the 2005 American Association of Colleges of Nursing Master’s Education Conference. February 2005, San Diego, California.

“Philanthropy for Innovation.” Presentation at Robert Wood Johnson Fellowship. October 2004, San Francisco, California.

“Health Care Careers in the Thick of the Technological Revolution.” Presentation at the Central Illinois Teachers & Hospitals Collaborating to Develop Our Future Health Care Workforce. October 2004, Illinois Hospital Association, Urbana, Illinois.

“The Role of Professional Schools at Doctoral/Research Intensive Institutions.” The Conference on: Mission, Values and Identity. A National Conference for Carnegie Doctoral/Research Intensive Institution. July 13-15, 2002, Illinois State University, Normal, Illinois.

“Don’t Leave Educational Institutions Out of Nursing Debate.” *The Pantagraph*. March 24, 2002, Bloomington, Illinois.

Illinois Society for Advanced Practice Nursing: Women’s Health Symposia, March 2, 2002, Bloomington, Illinois. Keynote: Global Women’s Health Issues.

Teaching and Learning Symposium: Academic Linkages within University Housing Services: A Collaborative Student Learning Experience. October 25, 2001, Normal, Illinois.

Illinois Lincoln Excellence in Public Service Series: McLean County Conference, June 14 and 15, 2001, Bloomington, Illinois.

Illinois State University Wellness Conference, Enhancing Women’s Capabilities in Central Illinois, June 1, 2001, Normal, Illinois.

Illinois State University 2001 Summer Grant Proposal Writing Workshop, Normal, Illinois.

The Role of Diet Therapy in the Prevention of Migraine Headaches. Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore, India, July 10, 2000.

Cultural Issues in Telecommunications, National Organization for Nurse Practitioner Faculties 24th Annual Meeting, April 17, 1999, San Francisco, CA.

Adventures in Cyberspace: Visions of the Future Distance Learning Conference, October 20-22, 1998, Lubbock, Texas.

The Role of the Nurse in the English Patient, International Conference, on Pacific Studies, Srinakharinwirot University, Bangkok, Thailand, January 11-14, 1998.

Adventures in Cyberspace: AACN Masters Education Conference, December 5, 1997, San Antonio, Texas.

Recognizing and Documenting Common Zoonotic Diseases – Part I: Client History and Clinical Manifestations, 47th Annual Southwest Conference on Diseases in Nature Transmissible to Man, June 4-5, 1997, Lubbock, Texas.

Recognizing and Documenting Common Zoonotic Diseases—Part II: Confirmation of Diagnosis, Treatment and Prevention, 47th Annual Southwest Conference on Diseases in Nature Transmissible to Man, June 4-5, 1997, Lubbock, Texas.

Panel Discussion on Community-Based Networks at National Organization for Nurse Practitioner Faculties 23rd Annual Meeting, April 10-13, 1997. Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Adventures in Cyberspace: To Go Where No One Has Gone Before? (And Love It!). National Organization for Nurse Practitioner Faculties 23rd Annual Meeting, April 10-13, 1997, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Clinical Applications of Nursing Diagnosis at Texas Mental Health Mental Retardation Nursing Conference, April 2-3, 1997.

Primary Care Research Networks at American Academy of Nursing 1996 Annual Meeting and Conference, November 14-17, 1996, Orlando, Florida.

Who's the Boss?: Nursing Regulations and the PEW Report. Texas Northwest Section Conference AWHONN, April 27, 1996, Lubbock, Texas.

Advanced Practice in Public Health Nursing at Texas Public Health Association Conference, April 2, 1996, Plano, Texas.

A Nurses Response to the PEW Report, Critical Challenges. Presented at Primary Care Fellowship Society Meeting, March 30, 1996, Washington, DC.

Independence and Collaboration: Jeffersonian Principles. Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Keystone, Colorado, July 1995.

Measuring Outcomes in School Health. President's Lecture, Texas Association of School Nurses, February 18, 1995.

Reengineering of Health Care: Texas Nurses Association. Wichita Falls, Texas February 11, 1995.

The Changing Health Care System: Implications for School Nurses. Keynote Address: Texas Association of School Nurses, Ft. Worth, Texas, November 1994.

Texas Nurse Practitioners "Pending Legislative Issues, September 10, 1994.

Drawing the Line: Life and Death Decisions. ANA Convention, San Antonio, TX, June 1994.

Implications of a Technological Worldview, Symposia SWARM Regional meeting, AAAS, Durango, CO, May 22-26, 1994.

"Historical Perspective" for Ethical Perspectives Conference, Hospice of Lubbock, April 1994.

Health Care Reform Opportunities and Challenges, 16th Annual Regional Institute on Substance Abuse and Addictions, March 25, 1994.

Independence and Collaboration: Compatible Concepts for Primary Care Practice, Third Annual Primary Care Networking Conference, Bethesda, March 5, 1994.

Medical Miracles We Cannot Afford, National Issues Forum, February 17, 1994, Lubbock, TX.

Nursing Education and Health Care Reform, TNA, November 19, 1993, Austin, TX.

Health Care Reform, TNA, November 18, 1993, Austin, TX.

Town Meeting: Health Care Reform, October 21, 1993, Lubbock.

Nurses Role in Health Care Reform-Iota Mu Chapter Sigma Theta Tau, October 19, 1993.

Primary Care of the Homeless, Primary Care Policy Fellowship, Bethesda, MD, June 6-25, 1993.

Primary Health Care Management, 11th International Management workshop, ICASALS, Lubbock, TX, May 21, 1993.

HIV Clinical Training for Advanced Nurse Practitioners, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, May 18, 1993.

Ethics of Care: Southwestern Regional Meeting AAAS, Tucson, Arizona, May 20, 1992.

“Community Health/Aggregate” invited speech for Tenth North American Nursing Diagnosis Association Meeting, San Diego, April 28, 1992.

Nursing Diagnosis Use and Issues: Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioners, North American Nursing Diagnosis Association, San Diego, California, April 28, 1992.

“Nurses Making a Difference: Helping Childbearing Families,” 6th Annual Perinatal Symposium Texas Section NAACOG, Lubbock, Texas, August 15-17, 1991.

“Symbolic Meaning of Food and Fluids,” American Nurses Association Task Force on Nurses’ Role in End of Life Decisions, Washington, DC, May, 1991.

“Ethical Issues.” 1990 Medical Practice Management Series, University Medical Center, Lubbock, Texas, January 15, 1991.

“Letters from Egypt: Florence Nightingale’s Perceptions Applied to 1990.” Texas Nurses Association, District 18, October 1990.

“Leadership and Management for Rural Health Care Management.” The Eighth Annual International Management Workshop, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas, May 17, 1990.

“Partners in Health Care: Jordan University of Science and Technology and Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing.” Global Nursing Education for Practice in the 21st Century, Galveston, Texas, April 26, 1990.

“Strategies for Teaching and Clinical Evaluation.” Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, January 2, 1990.

“Application of Nursing Diagnosis and Nursing Process in Clinical Areas.” Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, December 31, 1989.

“Nurses’ Role in Primary Health Care.” Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, December 23, 1989.

“The Ethics of Care.” Implications for Bioethics Committees. Lubbock General Bioethics Committee, October 18, 1989.

“Persons with AIDS: The Ethic of Care.” AIDS: A multidisciplinary health care update. Texas-Oklahoma AIDS Education and Training Center, Lubbock, Texas, May 6, 1989.

“Innovations in ethics education.” Ethics and Nursing Practice: New Directions in an era of complexity. University of Maryland School of Nursing, Baltimore, Maryland, April 28-29, 1989.

“A Dialogical Paradigm for Holistic Discourse in Nursing.” Advanced Phenomenological Research, Clemson University, Atlanta, Georgia, November 11-13, 1988.

“Issues in Faculty Practice.” Research for Practice, Fifth Annual Nursing Research Conference, Pace University Lienhard School of Nursing, White Plains, New York, May 1988.

“Health Care for the Uninsured.” University of North Carolina School of Nursing, February 1988.

“Legal/Ethical Issues in Oncology Nursing.” Texas Cancer Council, Abilene, TX, February 1988.

“Ethical Issues in Neonatal Nursing.” Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, Texas, January 1988.

“A Community Nursing Approach to Providing Cost Effective Health Care for the Uninsured.” American Academy of Nursing, Atlanta, Georgia, January 1988.

“Nursing Care for Spanish Speaking Immigrants.” Society for Applied Anthropology, Oaxaca, Mexico, April 1987.

Faculty Practice Symposium, “Translating Commitment to Reality.” Clearwater, Florida, January 25, 1987.

“Development of Clinical Expertise: A Hermeneutical Approach.” Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Dallas, Texas, January 22, 1987.

“Physiological Changes in the Elderly.” The 6th Annual White Swan Food and Nutrition Seminar, Texas Tech University College of Home Economics, May 20, 1986.

“Cancer and the Family.” American Cancer Society, Lubbock, Texas, April 15, 1986.

“Participant in “Right to Die” series for KBTB Channel 11 News, Lubbock, Texas, February, 1986.

“Ethical Dilemmas in Nursing.” Interactive telenetwork demonstration project Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, January 21, 1986.

“Faculty Practice: The Realities of Faculty Commitment.” American Academy of Nursing 1986.

“Coping with Death and Dying.” Conference for Cancer Care Givers American Cancer Society, Lubbock, Texas, October 25, 1985.

“Cybernetics of Weight Control.” American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists, New York City, October 18, 1985.

“Code Grey: Ethical Dilemmas in Nursing.” District 18, September 24, 1985.

“Ethical Issues in Critical Care Setting.” West Texas Chapter of American Association of Critical Care Nurses, July 23, 1985.

“Institutional Ethics Committees.” Lubbock, Texas, May 7, 1985.

“Medical-Legal Concerns in the Hospital Setting.” Dallas, Texas, April 12 and 13, 1985.

“Perinatal Ethical Issues.” South Plains Perinatal Association, October 27, 1984.

“Ethical Dilemmas.” Norman Rockwell Conference on Alzheimer’s Disease, October 18-20, 1984.

“Health Beliefs, Preventive Behavioral Intentions and Knowledge of Gonorrhea: Predictors of Recidivism.” Sigma Theta Tau Conference, University of South Florida, February, 25, 1983.

“Therapeutic Use of Touch.” Student Health Fair, Texas Tech University, 1982.

“Stress Management Seminar.” Student Health Service, Texas Tech University, 1982.

“Nursing and Anthropology.” Texas Tech University, 1982.

“Health Manpower Recruitment.” Panelist for Fifth National Meeting of National Rural Primary Care Association, Denver, Colorado, March 7-12, 1981.

“Occupational Health in Rural Areas.” Continuing Education session presented for the Fourth National Meeting of the National Rural Primary Care Association, Denver, Colorado, March 7-12, 1981.

EXTERNAL CONSULTATION

- DNP Program: Implications of Health Policy, University of Northern Colorado College of Nursing, August, 2012.
- Health Information Technology, Western Michigan University, October, 2011.
- Content expert National Library of Medicine to update Core Library Modules for Health Policy, 2011
- Philanthropy consultant to National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties (NONPF), Washington, DC, 2008.
- Consultant to Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore, India, July 2000.
- Consultant to San Angelo State University School of Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner Program, 1997.
- Consultant to Armstrong Atlantic University School of Nursing, Savannah, GA, Adult Nurse Practitioner Program 1997.
- Consultant to the University of Texas at San Antonio Health Science Center School of Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner Program, 1996, 1997.
- Consultant to Midwestern State University, Family Nurse Practitioner Program 1996.
- Midwestern State University, Long Distance Learning, February 1995.
- Lubbock Independent School District, EPSDT. 1995.
- Consultant to Region I, Texas Department of Health for Pediatric Primary Care. 1993-1996.
- Ad Hoc Committee to review MSN with Major FNP, UTHSCSA for Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, Fall 1993.

- Consultant to China Association of Science and Technology, Beijing, Peoples Republic of China, August 1993.
- Reviewer for Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, Small Business Grants, Washington, D.C., June 4, 1993.
- Consultant to China Association of Science and Technology, Beijing, Peoples Republic of China, June-July, 1992.
- Consultant to two schools of nursing, Peoples Republic of China: Beijing Union Medical College and Tianjin College of Nursing, June-July, 1992.
- Reviewer for Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, Small Business Grants, Washington, D.C., May 5-7, 1992.
- Planning Committee Second International Middle East Nursing Conference. Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, 1991-1992.
- University Medical Center, Lubbock, Texas, Nursing Diagnoses, November 1990.
- Jordan University of Science and Technology, August 1990. Funded by Fullbright Hays. Sponsored by ICASALS.
- Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan regarding nursing curriculum, nursing diagnosis, nursing research, clinical evaluation, and primary health care, December 1989-January 1990. Funded by Fullbright Hays. Sponsored by ICASALS.
- University of Texas Medical Branch School of Nursing, Galveston regarding Student Health Services, February 1989.
- Infection Control consultations, West Texas Rural Health Providers, June 1988 and Spring 1989.
- Lanzou University, Tsinghua University, Gansu College of Traditional Chinese Medicine, Peoples Republic of China regarding Primary Health Care and Education, July-August, 1988.
- University of Colorado School of Nursing regarding Faculty Practice, January, 1988.
- Bethphage Community Services, A.G.W. Enterprises and Lubuck State School regarding nursing care of the community based mentally retarded, 1987-1990.
- National University of Tacna and Lima Peru Consultant to Schools of Nursing, June-July, 1987.
- McAllen Medical Center Consultant regarding Nursing Ethics, May, 1987.
- UT Galveston School of Nursing Consultant regarding Faculty Practice, January, 1987.
- UT Tyler School of Nursing Consultant regarding Faculty Practice, January, 1987.
- Lubbock General Hospital, Legal and Ethical Implications of Neonatal Transport, Fall, 1986.
- Reviewer on Standards of Practice for College Health Nursing, American Nurses' Association, October, 1986.
- Reviewer for ICAH Draft of Home Care Standards, 1986.
- Planning Committee, Autonomy Conference, co-sponsored by Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing, Medicine, Texas Tech University School of Law and Concern for Dying, 1985-1986.
- University of Tennessee Center for the Health Sciences, University Health Services, October 4-5, 1984.
- Clinical Coverage Nurse Practitioner Clinics for South Plains Health Care Providers, 1983-1989.
- Board of Directors Texas Center for Photographic Arts, Inc., 1983.
- Planning Committee Texas Pharmacy Association Meeting, 1982-1983.
- Consultant to John Knox Retirement Village. Developed community health services for village residents, 1982-1983.
- Central Northeast Colorado Health Systems Agency Nurse Practitioner Representative for Health Manpower Recruitment, Northeastern Colorado, 1980-81.
- Clinical Coverage Gilpin County Health Clinic, July 1980 and September 1980.
- Coordinator, Channel 9 Health Fair, 1980.
- Gilpin County Health Clinic, Blackhawk, Colorado, Developer of Nurse Practitioner Clinic, 1980.
- Consultant to Emerson House for Relocation of Cuban Adolescent Refugees, 1980.

- Consultant to Assistant Secretary of Agriculture – in Charge of Rural Development Concerning the Role of a Nurse Practitioner in Rural Health Care Delivery, 1980.
- Colorado Federation of Nursing Specialty Organizations Representative to Colorado Senate HEWI Committee Hearings on the Nurse Practice Act, 1980.
- Member of the Lieutenant Governor Office of Rural Health Colorado Task Force to study laws which are restrictive to delivery of health care in rural Colorado, 1980.
- Mountain Plains Outreach Program, Advisory Council, 1981.
- Member of Lieutenant Governor’s Consortium of Health Manpower; Rural Health Office, Colorado, 1981.

THESIS AND DISSERTATION PROJECT ADVISEMENT

Chaired 18 Thesis and Dissertation Committees. Member on 27 Thesis and Dissertation Committees. Details available on request.

TEACHING:

ACADEMIC COURSES-UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO

- N593 Evidence, Policy and Politics

ACADEMIC COURSES - ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY

- NUR 329 – Community Health Nursing
- NUR 511 Health Policy and Economics

ACADEMIC COURSES – TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER

- NURS 4302 – Conceptual Basis for Community Health Nursing. Course Director
- NURS 5345 – Advanced Practice Nursing: Applications of Pathophysiology
- NURS 1400 – Human Development and Human Behavior
- NURS 5343 – Pharmacotherapeutics for Nurses in Advance Practice. Course Development and Director,
- NURS 60225 – Philosophy and Ethics in the Health Sciences. Course Development, and Co-Director
- NURS 60221 – Health Care Policy and Trends.
- N6060 – Practicum Course Director
- N5340 – Primary Health Care Practice I. Course Director
- N5341 – Primary Health Care Practice II. Course Director
- N5300 – Community Health I: Foundations of Community Health in Nursing. Course Director,
- N5301 – Community Health II: Role Design and Implementations. Course Director
- N5330 – Theories and Therapies.
- N3410 – Nursing Process V – Comprehensive Nursing Care
- N4410 – Roles in Nursing Practice III – The Nurse as a Manager of Nursing Care.
- N3371 – Legal and Ethical Issues in Health Care. Interdisciplinary course with schools of Medicine, Nursing and Law. Course Director
- N4600 – Roles in Nursing Practice II – The Nurse as a Collaborating Professional in Primary Care. Course Director
- N3100 – Wellness and Illness, Concepts of Health and Views of Health Care Providers. Course Director

ACADEMIC COURSES – UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

- Designed and implemented Family Nurse Practitioner Program at Masters level.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

New Mexico Action Coalition: 2010-present

Albuquerque Aligning Forces 4 Quality Leadership Committee 2009-present

Executive Nurse Fellowship: Alumni Secretary: 2011-present

Carter Center: Planning Committee for Interdisciplinary Health Education Summit incorporating behavioral health and primary care. 2009-2012.
Co-Chair Teamwork Committee. 2010-2012.

American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) 1999-present
Governmental Affairs Committee (GAC) 2005-2007
Futures Task Force 2003-2005

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Implementation Team—Seniors. City of Albuquerque, NM. March 2009,

Rural PACE Advisory Group, 2003-05

Illinois Department of Health Nurse Scholarship & Baccalaureate Nursing Assistance Advisory Committee, 2002-07

Advancing Public Health Nursing Education (APHNE) Grant, 2001-2007

- Urbana Consortia Member

Centers for Disease Control (CDC) DES, 2001-2005

- Working Group Member

Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, 1998-1999

- Health Professions Education Advisory Committee

American Academy of Nursing, 1995-present

- Fundraising Committee, 2003-2008
- Planning Committee for AHCPR funded symposium, 1996
- Research Committee, 1995-99

Committee to Elect Aurora Hernandez, 1994; 1998

- Treasurer

Community Resources Services Board, City of Lubbock, 1994-1998

Texas Department of Health, 1994

- Primary Care Ad Hoc Committee

Southern Council on Collegiate Education for Nursing Mentor, 1994

- Faculty Development for Graduate Nurse Educators Project

Primary Care Fellowship Society, 1993-present

- Class Representative to Board, 2000-02; 2005-07

- Secretary, 1998-00
- Program Committee, 1995
- Co-Chair Research Committee, 1994-98
- Mentor to 1994 Fellows: Primary Care Research, 1994

Board of Nurse Examiners for the State of Texas, 1991-93

- Task Force on Nurse Practitioner Education
- Task Force on Clinical Specialist Education

National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, 1988-present

- Research Committee, 1995-00
- Philanthropy Consultant 2007-present

Association of Community Health Nursing Educators, 1988-00

- Task Force on Community Diagnoses, 1993-1999
- Health Policy Committee, 1993-1999

United Way Member, 1988-99

- Community Planning Council, 1988-89
- Community Task Force on Teenage Pregnancy, Lubbock, City Council Chair, 1988-89
- University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center Campaign Representative 2009; 2012

North American Nursing Diagnosis Association Member, 1987-99

- Membership Committee, 1993-98
- Expert Advisory Panel, Diagnosis Review Committee, 1990-96
- Diagnosis Review Committee. Secondary Reviewer, 1989

West Texas Museum Association Member, 1986-1999

- Volunteer docent for educational tours at Lubbock Lake Site, 1988-1994.

Lubbock Chamber of Commerce Cultural Affairs, 1986-1990

- Council Member

Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center Friends of the Library, 1986-1990

- Fund Raising Committee Member.

South Plains Chapter National Committee for Prevention of Child Abuse, 1985-1987

- Board of Directors

National Council for International Health Member, 1983-1990

Aerobics Instructor, 1983-1987

American Holistic Nurses' Association, 1983-1985

- Southwest Regional Coordinator

American Public Health Association (APHA) Member, 1982-2000

- Advisory Group on Medicines in Developing Countries, 1992-1999
- Research Committee, 1989
- Awards Committee, 1988-89

Red Cross, 1982-1988

- CPR/First Aid Instructor.

International Centers for Arid and Semiarid Land Studies Fellow, 1981-1999

- International Conference on Desert Development Program Planning Committee, 1995 & 1997.
- Member of Health Network Consortium for International Development, 1993-1999.

American Association for the Advancement of Science Member, 1981-1999

- Vice Chair S.W.A.R.M. Sections History and Philosophy of Science and Social Sciences, May 1991; Chair, 1992-93

New Mexico Nurses Association Member, 2008-presentIllinois Nurses Association Member, 1999-2008

- Advanced Practice Council

Texas Nurses Association. District 18 Member, 1981-1999

- Texas Nurses Foundation Board of Directors, 1997
- Texas Nurses Foundation Board Member, 1995-97
- Delegate to American Nurses Association House, June 1995
- Advanced Nursing Practice Task Force, 1993-99
- Health Care Reform Task Force, 1993-99
- Texas Nurses Association Representative to Joint Committee with Coalition to Negotiate Prescriptive Authority, 1993-99
- Western Region Board Member Texas Nurses' Association, 1993-97
- District 18 Nurse of the Year, 1990
- District 18 Advisory Council, Board of Directors, Member, 1987-89
- District 18 Delegate TNA Convention, 1986
- Planning Committee for Nurse Day Celebration, Spring 1996
- District 18 Nominating Committee, 1985-87
- District 18 Program Committee, 1985-87
- State Committee on Economics and DRGs, 1985-87
- Representative to Health and Medical Committee of Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, 1984-87

Colorado Nurses' Association Member,

- Planning Committee for Research Conference Experimentation with Human Subjects: An Ethical Dilemma, Nurse Practitioner Representative to Central Northeast Colorado Health System Agency Primary Care Planning Advisory Group,

American Nurses' Association Member,

- Staff Development Scope and Standards Revision Workgroup, 1999
- Co-Editor of Synergy, 1991-92
- Task Force of Nurse Ethicists on the Nurses' role in End of Life Decisions, 1990-96
- Executive Committee Member, 1989-91
- Co-Editor of Newsletter, 1989-90
- Reviewer of Test Content Outline for Adult Nurse Practitioner and Family Nurse Practitioner Certification Examinations, Credentialing Council of Nurses, 1989
- Nominating Committee Chairperson, 1987-88
- Council of Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioners
- American Nurses' Association Nominee to Health and Human Services, United States Public Health Service Primary Care Health Policy Fellowship

Sigma Theta Tau, International (STTI) Member ,

- Chair STTI Foundation Board, 2005-2007
- Futures Advisory Council, 2004-present
- Xi Pi Member, 2000; President Elect, 2003
- Editorial Board Image, 1994-99
- Iota Mu Chapter, President, 1993-95
- Iota Mu Chapter, President Elect, 1992
- Iota Mu Chapter Treasurer, 1988-90
- Iota Mu Chapter, Abstract Committee, 1988-90
- Local Honor Society, Treasurer, 1986-87

INSTITUTIONAL SCHOOL SERVICE AND INSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEES
UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO

- Health Policy Council 2013
- UNM Foundation Board of Trustees 2012
- Development and Alumni Strategy Council
- UNM Health System Operations: 2012
 - Clinical Contracting
 - Clinical Service Line Reviews
- Responsibility Center Management and Performance Based Budgeting Steering Committee 2012
- HSC Steering Committee 2012
- United Way Honorary Chair
- Philanthropy Study Committee, 2012
- UNM Presidential Search Committee, 2011
- Chair Search Committee for College of Pharmacy Dean, 2011
- United Way Co-Chair 2010; 2012
- Foundation Board of Trustees 2012

INSTITUTIONAL SCHOOL SERVICE AND INSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEES
ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL COMMITTEES

- Search Committee for Registrar, 2003
- Search Committee for Director of CeMAST (Center for Math, Science and Technology), 2002
- Search Committee for Director of Research and Sponsored Programs, 2002
- University Distance Education Steering Committee, 2001-2007
- National Collegiate Athletic Association Committee, 2001-02
- Educating Illinois Task Force, 2001
- Reorganization Task Force, 2001
- Task Force for School Health, 2000-2003
- Recreation Services Fee Committee, 2000-02
- Search Committee for Director of Office Research, 2000-01
- Executive Committee for Academic Technology, 1999-2007
- Institutional Advancement Committee, 1999-2007
- President's Council, 1999-2007
- Provost Advisory Council, 1999-2007
- Council for Teacher Education, 1999-2001
- Facilities Planning Committee, 1999-2001

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER (TTUHSC)/UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT SAN ANTONIO (UTHSCSA)

SCHOOL COMMITTEES

- Workload Task Force, 1999
- MSN Curriculum Southern Association Self-Study, 1993-94
- MSN Curriculum NLN Self-Study, Chairperson, 1991
- Graduate Curriculum Committee. Member, 1988-98
- Professional Nursing Peer Review Committee, 1988-1991. Chairperson, 1988-1990.
- Executive Advisory Committee, Member, 1981-90; Chairperson, 1982-84; Secretary 1986-87; Vice-Chair 1988-89
- Resources Self Study American Nurses' Association Certification of Continuing Nursing Education, Chairperson, 1988
- Task Force on graduate Program, Faculty Subcommittee. Member, 1986
- Task Force on Guidelines for Selection of Faculty Awards. Member, 1983
- NLN Self-Study Task Force on faculty. Member, 1982-83
- Faculty, 1981-99
- General Faculty Committee. Member, 1981-99
- Faculty Recruitment, Appointment, Promotion and Tenure Committee, Member, 1981-1999; Chairperson 1981-83; Secretary, 1995; Chair 1997
- Representative to NLN Council of Baccalaureate and Higher Degree Programs, 1981-83
- Research Committee. Member. Chairperson. 1981-82

INSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEES

- Emerging Infections Advisory Committee. Member, 1998-99
- Geriatric Assessment Committee. Member, 1998-99
- Rural Health Task Force Committee. Member, 1997-99
- Cross-Disciplinary Task Force Committee. Chair, 1997-99
- Member Search Committee for Director of International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Land Studies, 1994
- Health Sciences Library Committee. Member, 1994
- Member Search Committee for Dean School of Nursing, 1993
- Subcommittee of Admissions, Progression, Graduation on Doctoral Studies, TTUHSC/UTHSCSA, 1990-99
- Joint Ph.D. in Nursing Committee, TTUHSC/UTHSCSA, 1990-99
- Search Committee for Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center Library Director. Member, 1990-91
- Insurance and Benefits Committee Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center/Texas Tech University. Member, 1990-91
- University Medical Center Bioethics Committee. Member, 1988-91
- Operations Council, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center/Texas Tech University. Member, 1988
- Executive Committee, Student Health Services, Texas Tech University Member, 1987-89
- Task Force on Nursing Peer Review. Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Chairperson, 1987-88
- Ad Hoc Committee for Nurse Practitioner Policy, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Medicine. Member, 1987-88
- Artists and Speakers Committee. Texas Tech University. Member, 1986-90. Chairperson 1989-90.
- Graduation Committee. Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Member, 1986
- Center for Sports Health and Human Performance Executive Committee, Texas Tech University/Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Member, 1985-87

- Library Council, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Chairperson, 1985-86
- Library Council, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. 1982-86. Chairperson, 1985-1986.
- Disabled Students Services Advisory Committee. Member 1982-86
- Interdisciplinary Nutrition Council. Texas Tech University and Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Member, 1982
- Mexican-American Services Committee, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Member, 1981-82

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO
SCHOOL COMMITTEES

- Academic Programs Committee. Member, 1981
- School of Nursing Task Force on Channel 9 Health Fair, 1980-81
- All School Curriculum Committee. Member, 1980-81
- School of Nursing Ad Hoc Legislative Issues Committee. Chairperson, 1981
- Continuing Education Coordinating Committee, Chairperson, 1980-1981

INSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEES

- University of Colorado Committee on the History of Science. University of Colorado at Boulder. Member, Focus for an Interdisciplinary Network to Develop Ethics, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center. Member

INTERNATIONAL WORK:

CHINA

EXTERNAL CONSULTATION

- Lanzou University, Tsinghua University, Gansu College of Traditional Chinese Medicine, Peoples Republic of China regarding Primary Health Care and Education, July-August, 1988.
- Consultant to China Association of Science and Technology, Beijing, Peoples Republic of China, June-July, 1992.
- Consultant to two schools of nursing, Peoples Republic of China: Beijing Union Medical College and Tianjin College of Nursing, June-July, 1992.
- Consultant to China Association of Science and Technology, Beijing, Peoples Republic of China, August 1993.

HONORS

- International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Land Studies, Fulbright-Hays Fellowship Study tour of China – July – August 1988.
- Egypt and Jordan – July – August 1990.

SPECIAL AWARDS/RECOGNITION/ACTIVITIES

- Consultation China Association of Science and Technology, June-July, 1992, 1993.

RESEARCH

- “Health Beliefs and Behaviors of Peoples of Ganzu Province and Inner Mongolia, China,” 1988. Funded by Fullbright-Hays Foundation. Sponsored by ICASALS.
- Co-Investigator: Study Tour Primary Health Care and Traditional Chinese Medicine. Peoples Republic of China, 1988. Funded by Fullbright-Hays Foundation. Sponsored by ICASALS.

Cuba

BOOKS/CONTRIBUTIONS TO BOOKS

Carter, M., & **Ridenour, N.** (1985). Cuban Adolescent Adjustment to the United States Following the Freedom Flotilla, In M. Carter (Ed.) *A Transcultural Nursing Challenge: From Discovery to Action*. Salt Lake City: University of Utah Printing, pp. 142-147.

Ridenour, N. (in review). Disaster Preparedness in Cuba.

BOOK REVIEWS

Reviewer for the following publication:

- Appointed to the editorial board of *MEDICC Review: A journal focused on health and medicine in Cuba*. (Oct. 2006)

EGYPT**ACADEMIC PAPERS/SPEECHES**

- “Letters from Egypt: Florence Nightingale’s Perceptions Applied to 1990.” Texas Nurses Association, District 18, October 1990.

HONORS

- International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Land Studies, Fulbright-Hays Fellowship Study tour of China – July – August 1988.
Egypt and Jordan – July – August 1990.

SPECIAL AWARDS/RECOGNITION/ACTIVITIES

- Fullbright Hays Grant: Study tour of China 1988; Egypt and Jordan, 1990.

INDIA**ACADEMIC PAPERS/SPEECHES**

- The Role of Diet Therapy in the Prevention of Migraine Headaches. Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore, India, July 10, 2000.

EXTERNAL CONSULTATION

- Consultant to Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore, India, July 2000.

RESEARCH

- USIA funded consultation Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore, India, July, 2000.

JORDAN**ACADEMIC PAPERS/SPEECHES**

- “Nurses’ Role in Primary Health Care.” Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, December 23, 1989.
- “Application of Nursing Diagnosis and Nursing Process in Clinical Areas.” Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, December 31, 1989.
- “Strategies for Teaching and Clinical Evaluation.” Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, January 2, 1990.
- “Partners in Health Care: Jordan University of Science and Technology and Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing.” Global Nursing Education for Practice in the 21st Century, Galveston, Texas, April 26, 1990.

EXTERNAL CONSULTATION

- Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan regarding nursing curriculum, nursing diagnosis, nursing research, clinical evaluation, and primary health care, December 1989-January 1990. Funded by Fullbright Hays. Sponsored by ICASALS.
- Jordan University of Science and Technology, August 1990. Funded by Fullbright Hays. Sponsored by ICASALS.
- Planning Committee Second International Middle East Nursing Conference. Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, 1991-1992.

HONORS

- International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Land Studies, Fulbright-Hays Fellowship Study tour of China – July – August 1988.
Egypt and Jordan – July – August 1990.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Lewis, P., "Looking to Jordan for Rural Healthcare Lessons," *Vistas: Texas Tech Research*, fall 1991, p. 30-31.

RESEARCH

- Jordan University of Science and Technology. Funded by USIA and International Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Studies. 1989.

SPECIAL AWARDS/RECOGNITION/ACTIVITIES

- USIA Consultation: Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan, December, 1989-January, 1990.
- Fullbright Hays Grant: Study tour of China 1988; Egypt and Jordan, 1990.

THESES PROJECT ADVISEMENT

- Thesis Committee Member: Suzan Ahmed, "Personal Perceptions of Health: Transcultural Study of Jordanian and Southwestern U.S. Senior Nursing Students' Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing. May 1992.
- Thesis Committee Member: Huda Gharaibeh, "The Perception Preferred Role Baccalaureate Prepared Jordanian Nurses", Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing. May 1992.

PERU**BOOKS/CONTRIBUTIONS TO BOOKS**

- Ridenour, N. (1987). *View of Illness and Approaches to Therapy: Paradigm and Paradox*. T. Langford (Ed.). Presented to College of Nursing, Peru.

EXTERNAL CONSULTATION

- National University of Tacna and Lima Peru Consultant to Schools of Nursing, June-July, 1987.

GRANTS (Principal Investigator)

- Partners of the Americas Travel Funds to Peru. 1987.

SPECIAL AWARDS/RECOGNITION/ACTIVITIES

- Partners of America: Tacna and Lima, Peru, 1987.

THAILAND**ACADEMIC PAPERS/SPEECHES**

- The Role of the Nurse in the English Patient, International Conference, on Pacific Studies, Srinakharinwirot University, Bangkok, Thailand, January 11-14, 1998.