

## CURRICULUM VITA

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**LICENSURE:** Illinois Registered Nurse

**CERTIFICATION:** Certified Nurse Midwife, ACNM  
Registered Diagnostic Medical Sonographer, RDMS

### EDUCATION:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Field of Study</u>	<u>Degree</u>
April 2015	Chamberlain College of Nursing	Nursing	DNP
2009	Loyola University, Chicago	Pastoral Studies Rush Presbyterian St.	MAPS
1999	RDMS	Cert.	
1997	Rush University, Chicago	Perinatal NP	Cert.
1996	University of Illinois, Chicago	Midwifery	Cert.
1991	Loyola University, Chicago	Nursing	MSN
1984	Loyola University, Chicago	Nursing	BSN

**EMPLOYMENT:**

<b><u>Year</u></b>	<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>
June 2018 –Present	UIC	Clinical Assistant Professor University of Illinois at Chicago Women, Children, Family Health Sciences 50% Faculty in College of Nursing 50% in CNM program Research in QUS Technology for Identifying At- Risk Women for Spontaneous Preterm Birth
Teaching		NUPR 557 Evidenced Based Practice 5 NURS 532 Comprehensive Health Assessment for the Advanced Practice Nurse NUPR 520 Clinical Synthesis Practicum NURS 517 Leadership Policy NUPR 556 Evidenced Based Practice
2013- 2018	Chamberlain CON	<u>Associate Professor</u> Chamberlain College of Nursing Responsible for undergraduate education in BSN program and online teaching in the RN-BSN program. Teaching duties include NR 322 Nursing Care of Children, NR 222 Health and Wellness, NR 101 Transitions to Nursing and NR 442 Community Health Nursing
2007- Present	Planned Parenthood	<u>Planned Parenthood of Illinois</u> Full-time/Part-time CNM providing Health Counseling, family planning, well woman and STI services in a Title X funded Community Health setting

**EMPLOYMENT Cont.:**

2006- 2008	West Suburban CON	<u>Associate Professor</u> Responsible for undergraduate nursing education, in Obstetrics, Pediatrics and physical assessment.
1997- 2005	University of Chicago	<u>Perinatal Nurse Practitioner/CNM</u> Responsible for care of high-risk obstetric patients, Postpartum Rounds, Ultrasounds, Maternal Transports Home health visits for high-risk obstetric patients.
1997- 2000	Rush University College of Nursing	<u>Instructor</u> responsible for teaching in the undergraduate and graduate programs.
1996-1998	Rush-Presbyterian- Luke's Medical Center	<u>Perinatal Nurse Practitioner</u> St. responsible for care of high-risk obstetric pts.& Labor & Delivery Triage. Home Health visits for high-risk newborns and obstetric patients
1991-1996	Columbus Hospital, Chgo.	<u>Clinical Nurse Specialist</u> responsible staff development and clinical consulting for obstetrics and Pediatrics. Home health visits for newborns and obstetric patients
1986-1991	Columbus Hospital, Chgo.	<u>Patient Care Coordinator</u> responsible management of nursing staff and pt. care for obstetrics and nursery.
1984-1986	Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, Il.	<u>Staff Nurse</u> responsible for care of high-risk antepartum and postpartum patients.

**ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

2010-Present	Member of Des Plaines Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) which provides services to the community such as health Fairs and medical aid tents at Community Activities, trained to work with Public health services in case of terrorists or natural disasters in the community. Help organize and participate in disaster drills.
1997-2000	American Nurses Association
1994-2020	Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, & Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)
1997-Present	American College of Nurse Midwives (ACNM)
1997-2000	Member Continuing Education Committee
1999-2005	Corresponding member of Practice Committee of AWHONN
1999-2001	Program Chairperson Chicago Chapter of AWHONN
2001-Present	Member: American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine

**COLLEGE COMMITTEES**

1997-1998	Curriculum Committee Rush University of Chicago
2013- 2018	Admissions Committee Chamberlain College of Nursing

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1997-1998	Member of Publicity Committee
1999-2000	Corresponding Secretary

**PUBLICATIONS:**

2019	First author: Reasons why pregnant women participant in research involving vaginal ultrasound Accepted and pending publication in Journal of Ultrasound in Medicine
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**PUBLICATIONS Cont.:**

- 2019 Coauthor: A phantom-based assessment of repeatability and reproducibility of transvaginal quantitative ultrasound. Transactions on Ultrasonic Ferroelectrics, and Frequency Control Vol. 66 No. 9 Sept. 2019
- 2005 Coauthor: The perinatal special care unit: Expert care for high-risk patients. The American Journal of Maternal Child Nursing, 2005 May/June 30 (3) 209-213.
- 2005 Coauthor: Red alert: Perinatal hemorrhage. The American Journal of Maternal Child Nursing, 2005, Jan/Feb; 30 (1) 46-51.
- 1996 Clinical Simulations in Women's Health II.  
Fetal Demise: Williams and Wilkins.

**PRESENTATIONS:**

- Nov. 2019 Herbal use in pregnancy  
City of Mount Prospect Il.  
Dept of Public Health
- June 1988 NAPARE  
Drug Abuse in Pregnancy
- May 1998 March of Dimes, Illinois Section  
  
Group B Beta Hemolytic Strep in Pregnancy
- June 1999 AWHONN Nation Convention  
Advanced Nurse Practice: Boldly Going Where No One Has  
Gone Before
- May 2000 Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Conference/Chicago High  
Risk Obstetrics for the Non-Obstetric Practitioner
- May 2000 Illinois Hospital Association Conference  
Unusual Complications of Pregnancy
- Oct. 2000 March of Dimes, Illinois Section  
Preterm Labor
- Oct./Nov. 2001 March of Dimes, Illinois Section Destination  
Dililation: Cervical Ripening

**PRESENTATIONS Cont.:**

- Oct./Nov. 2001 Carle Foundation Hospital/ Lutheran General Hospital  
Trauma in Pregnancy
- June 2003 AWHONN Convention/ Milwaukee, Wi  
  
Reading and Understanding Basic Obstetric Ultrasounds A Guide  
for the Staff Nurse
- July 2005 AWHONN Convention/ Salt Lake City, Utah  
Pre-conference workshop: Complications of the 4<sup>th</sup> stage of  
labor.
- Oct. 2007 PESI Presentation High-Risk Pregnancy  
7 hour workshop presented in multiple locations for nurses,  
nurse practitioners and physicians assistants.
- April/May 2008 PESI Presentation Obesity and Pregnancy: A Risky  
Combination. 7 hour presentation presented in multiple  
locations for nurses, nurse practitioners and physician's  
assistants.
- April 2013 Women of Size: Care That Fits. A 1 hour presentation on  
obesity. Presented at University Hospitals of Cleveland  
McDonald's Womens' Hospital

**VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES:**

- 2019-present Volunteer for PFLAG
- 2016-Present Music Ministry at St. Raymond De Pentafort Church in Mount  
Prospect Illinois.
- 2013-Present Member of Citizens Medical Corp of Des Plaines Illinois
- 1994-2016 Music ministry at St. Mary Church in Des Plaines, Il.  
Cantering, choir singing, and singing at funeral masses.

**VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES Cont.:**

2015-present

Food packer for Save my Starving Children, an organization that ships food to underprivileged children around the world.