

KIMBERLY RESCHKE, DNP, APRN, NP-C

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Driven Professional with experience in classroom and clinical settings, excited to bring an extensive background in nursing and education to lifelong learning. Excellent knowledge of professional nursing standards, concepts, policies, and practices. Focused on helping students achieve personal and professional goals to serve with care and compassion while improving patient care.

EDUCATION, HONORS AND AWARDS

Doctor of Nursing Practice, *Magna Cum Laude*, December 2020

Rush University, Chicago, IL

Advanced Nursing Education Workforce (ANEW), 2020

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, *Summa Cum Laude*, May 2013

Resurrection University, Chicago, IL

Lucille Saxon Scholarship, 2012

President's Scholarship, Spring 2013-Spring 2014

Dean's List, Spring 2013-Spring 2014

Bachelor of Arts, May 2006

The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

The National Dean's List, 2004-2005

University of Iowa Scholars Award, 2002-2004

CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSURE

AANP Certified as Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner – 209.023274

Licensed Registered Nurse, Illinois Board of Nursing – License # 041.413065

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BCLS – Current

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

OSF Healthcare Little Company of Mary Medical Center, Evergreen Park, IL

Clinical Educator, Professional Development

Clinical Educator, Spring 2021, Medical-Surgical/Orthopedic/Psychiatric Units

- Assesses the education needs of employees within area of responsibility.
 - Measures staff knowledge and skill within core nursing practices as well as in specific specialty areas by using standardized and customized assessment tools and testing methodologies.
 - Interprets the medical center's specific strategic goals and objectives, policies, guidelines, and other internal demands in order to create a curriculum based on these strategies.
 - Evaluates learning activities using objective performance criteria and recommends corresponding changes in education plans.
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TEACHING EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

Trinity Christian College, Palos Hills, IL
Assistant Professor, Nursing Department

Assistant Professor, Fall 2021

- Pathophysiology course within the fully accredited nursing program for the bachelor's degree of science in nursing (BSN).
- Applies principles of normal anatomy and physiology of the human body to pathophysiologic processes of common health problems at the system, organ, and cellular level.
- Identifies etiology, epidemiology, modifiable and non-modifiable risk factors related to pathophysiologic processes that result in disease.
- Identifies clinical manifestations of pathophysiological disease processes.

Nursing Clinical Instructor, Fall 2021

- Adult Health Nursing I course within the fully accredited nursing program for the bachelor's degree of science in nursing (BSN).
- Applies caring, self-care, and care management principles in nursing practice with the adult client seeking to promote and maintain health within the simulation laboratory and selected acute care settings.
- Provides formative and summative evaluative feedback to students.

Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, IL
Adjunct Faculty, Nursing Department

Nursing Instructor, Summer 2021

- Instructor for the Basic Nurse Assistant Training (BNAT) Program, a 144-hour course approved by the Illinois Department of Public Health to allow application for the State of Illinois Nurse Aide Competency Exam and subsequent employment as a Certified Nurse Aide.
- Presented two lectures each week alongside experienced colleagues.
- Engaged students in insightful and compelling discussions of topics relevant to coursework to boost student learning and retention.
- Scored exams and graded student performance fairly.

Nursing Clinical Instructor, Spring 2021

- Nursing Clinical Practice II and V, courses within the fully accredited nursing program for the associate's degree of nursing (ADN) and the LPN to RN.
- Clinical experiences focused on applying knowledge, skills, and attitudes of the learner to the care of a variety of patients within the acute care setting with an emphasis on medical-surgical care.
- Identified academic strengths and obstacles and developed instructional techniques to accommodate different learning styles, including hands-on simulation experience.
- Provided formative and summative evaluative feedback to students.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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DNP Clinical Project, Aperion Care, Forest Park, IL

Advisor: Raechel Ferry-Rooney, DNP, APRN-NP

Project Facilitator: Lory Arquilla-Maltby, DNP, APRN, APN, BC

- Project Title: *Interventions to Increase Follow-Up Appointment Completion Rates in Transitions of Care.*
- Translated current best evidence and used collaborative and leadership skills with informatics knowledge to design, implement, and evaluate a project to improve health outcomes.
- Implemented a follow-up appointment completion protocol to increase appointment completion rates and identify barriers to decrease hospital readmission rates using a computerized clinical information system.

BSN Role Transition Project, Northwestern Memorial Hospital, Chicago, IL

- Project Title: *Pressure Ulcers: An Effective Method to Improve Accuracy of Staging and Documentation.*
- Implemented the use of a wound assessment checklist in addition to the electronic medical record to improve the accuracy of staging and documentation of pressure ulcers.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Academy of Nurse Practitioners (AANP), December 2020-Present

Position: Member

HEALTHCARE EXPERIENCE

Rush University Medical Center, Surgical/IMCU Unit, Chicago, IL, August 2015-June 2020

Registered Nurse

- Integrated professional standards of diagnosis, assessment, outcome identification, planning, implementation, and evaluation into the delivery of care to patients.
- Collaborated with appropriate interdisciplinary team to integrate clinical expertise, patient values, and evidence-based research into the decision-making process for patient care.
- Employed as Core Charge Nurse and performed as a preceptor/mentor to first-year nursing students and training and development of new staff nurses.

Northwestern Memorial Hospital, Medical-Surgical Unit, Chicago, IL, August 2013-August 2015

Registered Nurse

- Provided substantial contributions as a vital member of the unit safety representative program designed to support the overall hospital environment of care and emergency preparedness.
- Charge nurse responsibilities, including supervising staff engaged in direct patient care.
- Hospital-acquired infection expert.
- Became a member of the Academy of Medical-Surgical Nurses (AMSN).

GRADUATE STUDENT CLINICAL ROTATIONS

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Outpatient Clinic

DuPage Medical Group, Naperville, IL – 250 hours

Post-Acute Rehabilitation and Long-Term Care

Aperion Care, Forest Park, IL – 250 hours

Non-Direct Clinical – 250 hours

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Public Action to Deliver Shelter (PADS) Volunteer

- Provide families and individuals hospitality and overnight emergency shelter.
- Assist PADS staff members by providing and serving meals and support activities.

American Academy of Dermatology Melanoma/Skin Cancer Screen Program Volunteer

- Participated in melanoma/skin cancer screening to increase awareness of early detection and prevention.
- Provided education, support of medical research, and assistance to reduce the impact of melanoma.