



Education

In Process	Doctorate of Nursing Practice University of Southern Indiana Evansville, IN
1987	Master of Science in Nursing Focus Areas: Nursing Admin, Adult Health & Nursing Education University of Evansville Evansville, IN
1981	Bachelor of Science in Nursing, magna cum laude University of Evansville Evansville, IN

PERSONAL INFORMATION

- ◆ I am practically obsessed with cycling. It is at least a healthy obsession.
- ◆ My other obsession is with my family. My husband David is still the love of my life after sharing a quarter century together. My two sons, Adam and Aaron and my daughter-in-law Kelly are a joy and I'd like them even if they weren't my kids.

Professional Experience

2002-Present	Instructor, College of Nursing & Health Professions University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, Indiana
1999-2002	Assistant Professor, School of Nursing Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN
1990-1998	Assistant Vice President, Patient Care Services & Director, Baptist Women's Pavilion, East Middle Tennessee Medical Center, Murfreesboro, TN
1988-1990	Clinical Teaching Associate, Gerontology Joint Appointment—Middle TN Medical Center & Middle TN State University
1987-1988	Nurse Manager, Orthopedic Unit Middle TN Medical Center, Murfreesboro, TN
1985-1987	Graduate Assistant University of Evansville, Evansville, Indiana
1981-1987	Staff Nurse Deaconess Hospital, Evansville, IN

Professional Certifications

1991 to Present	Clinical Specialist in Gerontological Nursing, ANCC, #144739
1996	Team Leader for Process Management, Qualtec Institute for Competitive Advantage
1991	Team Leader Instructor, Qualtec Institute for Competitive Advantage
1991	Facilitator Instructor, Qualtec Institute for Competitive Advantage

Professional Areas of Interest

Gerontology—specifically urinary incontinence in older adults; health-related quality of life r/t urinary incontinence; healthy aging; quality processes in nursing homes
Pedagogy—specifically student engagement and use of creative teaching methods
Leadership & Management/Administration

Received AACN Award for Excellence in Gerontological Nursing Education in Baccalaureate-Level Curricular Innovation in 2008

