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July 30, 2015

**MEMORANDUM**

To: Stephan Jones, MD, Chairperson

From: Marta Jensen, Acting Administrator 

RE: Term Renewal and Approval of Member of the Advisory Board on Maternal and Child Health

**STAFF REVIEW**

In accordance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 442.133(2), it is the responsibility of the State Board of Health to appoint nine members of the Advisory Board on Maternal and Child Health (MCH). Per NRS 442.133(4)(b), any member may be reappointed.

The following members of the Advisory Board have either resigned or their term expired:

- Amanda Spletter, Clark County Department of Family Services

The terms of the following members of the Advisory Board have or will expire. Each of these members have expressed an interest in continuing to serve:

- Tyree Davis, DDS, Nevada Health Centers
- Marsha Matsunaga-Kirgan, MD, University of Nevada School of Medicine

The following people have expressed an interest in serving:

- Lisa Lottritz, Public Health Nursing Supervisor, Washoe County Health Department
- Noah Kohn, MD,
- Melinda Hoskins, MS, APRN, CNM, IBCLC
- Fatima Taylor, M.Ed.

**PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED**

At the May 30 and August 1, 2014 meetings, the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board expressed their full support of Dr. Davis, Dr. Matsunaga-Kirgan and Ms. Lottritz to serve on the Advisory Board.

At the June 12, 2015 meeting, the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board expressed their full support of Dr. Kohn, Ms. Hoskins, and Ms. Taylor to fill the vacancies on the Advisory Board.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends the Board reappoint Dr. Davis for a sixth term and Dr. Matsunaga-Kirgan for a fifth term. Staff recommends the Board to appoint Ms. Lottritz to replace Ms. Hunter. Staff also recommends the Board to appoint Dr. Kohn, Ms. Hoskins and Ms. Taylor to fill the three (3) vacancies on the Board.

**PRESENTER**

Laura Valentine, Title V/ MCH Program Manager, Bureau of Child, Family and Community Wellness.

MJ/ch

Enclosures/Curriculum Vitae



# Tyree G. Davis, D.D.S.

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**Position** Dental Director for Nevada Health Centers, Inc.

**Summary of Qualifications** Licensed to practice dentistry in Nevada and Texas.  
Experience in leading and managing professional treatment team.  
Organized and implemented OSHA regulation program.  
Developed a dental assistant training program.  
Enjoy working with children.

**Experience**

January 2005- Present Dental Director Miles for Smiles, Nevada Health Centers, Inc.

October 2002- December 2004 Community College of Southern Nevada  
Las Vegas, NV  
Clinical Manager for the Miles for Smiles Program  
Supervising Dentist for Dental Faculty Practice (March 2004- Present)

April 2002 – October 2002 Community College of Southern Nevada Las Vegas, NV  
Practicing general dentistry with the Miles for Smiles Program,  
and in the Dental Faculty Practice. Patient base includes Nevada Check-up,  
Medicaid, insured, uninsured, and underinsured populations.

Nov 1999 - April 2002 Cheyenne Decatur Dental Las Vegas, NV  
Practicing general dentistry with focus on family dental care.

Jan 1997 – Oct 1999 Good Shepherd Dental Clinic Houston, TX  
Practicing general dentistry with focus on children and surgery.  
Patient base included Medicaid and insurance populations.

Oct 1994 – Oct 1999 M. Jerome Holmes, D.D.S. Humble, TX  
General dentistry focusing on family dental care.  
Organized and implemented OSHA regulation program.  
Patient base included Medicaid and insurance populations.

Nov 1992 – July 1998 Walker Dental Center - Dentist Houston, TX  
Practicing general dentistry with a focus on children and surgery.  
Patient base included Medicaid, and insurance populations.

April 1993 – July 1995 The Smile Store - Dentist Houston, TX  
Practicing general dentistry with a focus on children and surgery.  
Patient base included Medicaid, DMO, and insurance populations.

Oct 1992 – March 1993 Offices of Michael A. Charles, D.D.S. Houston, TX

Feb 1991 – Oct 1992  
Hargrove Dental Center – Assistant Office Manager  
Houston, TX

Aug 1990 – Feb 1991  
Southern Dental – Dental Assistant  
Houston, TX

Aug 1989 – Aug 1990  
University of Michigan – Graduate Dental Clinic  
Ann Arbor, MI

**Education**

August 1989                      University of Michigan – School of Dentistry                      Ann Arbor, MI

- Doctorate of Dental Surgery
- 1985-89 Member Honor Council
- 1987-88 President Black Dental Student Association
- 1988-89 President Honor Council
- 1988-89 National Vice-President Student National Dental Association

May 1985                              Tuskegee University    Tuskegee, AL

- B.S., Biology
- Graduated with honors
- 1983-84 Vice-Polemarch Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.
- 1984-85 Polemarch Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

**Interests**

Golf, basketball, running, reading

**Memberships**

City of Lights Dental Society  
President 2005-2009

Southern Nevada Dental Society

Nevada Dental Association

American Dental Association

Nevada State Advisory Committee for Oral Health

Nevada State Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board

Western Clinicians Network Board of Directors

Vice-president 2007-2009

President 2008-2009

**References**

Furnished upon request

# Marsha Matsunaga Kirgan, M.D., F.A.C.O.G.

Specialty: Obstetrics & Gynecology

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## CURRICULUM VITAE

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Address:



Contact information:



Spouse:



### LICENSES

Nevada Medical License  
California Medical License  
Nevada Pharmacy License  
Drug Enforcement Agency

### EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego	Biology major	1974-1976
University of California, Berkeley	Biology major	AB in 1979
University of California, Los Angeles	Graduate Courses	1979-1981
George Washington University, School of Medicine		MD in 1986

Internship/Residency: Obstetrics & Gynecology

Los Angeles County-University of Southern California,  
Chairman: Daniel Mishell, Jr, MD  
June, 1986 to June, 1990

### BOARD CERTIFICATION

American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Initial certification: December, 1992      Recertification: current

### EMPLOYMENT

Private practice: 1990 to 1996  
Obstetrics and Gynecology  
Santa Monica, California

Relocated to Las Vegas due to husband's employment: end of 1996  
Locum tenens: 1997 to 2001

Assignments in Auburn, CA; San Jose, CA; Elko, NV; Berkeley, CA;  
Salinas, CA, and Las Vegas, NV  
Practices: private practices; HMO's; residency programs  
Faculty, Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology: 2001 to present  
University of Nevada School of Medicine

**APPOINTMENTS &  
POSITIONS:**

**- CURRENT**

Associate Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology,  
University of Nevada School of Medicine

Clinical Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology  
Los Angeles County-University of Southern California  
Attending for ObGyn residents' elective gynecologic surgeries

Director of Obstetrical & Hospitalist Services, Dept ObGyn, UNSOM:  
2004 to present

Director of Midwifery Services, Dept ObGyn, UNSOM: 2004 to present

Collaborating Physician for two School of Medicine Certified Nurse Midwives

Governor appointed to the Governor's Maternal Child Health Advisory Board

Member of Prenatal Subcommittee of the Governor's MCHAB

Certified Provider of Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics

Certified Instructor of Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics

**- PAST**

Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Nevada  
School of Medicine: 2001 to 2007

Clinical Instructor ⇨ Clinical Assistant Professor ⇨ Clinical Associate Professor : 1990 to  
2007

Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology  
Los Angeles County-University of Southern California

Volunteer Clinical Faculty, Family Practice Residency, Santa Monica-  
UCLA: 1992 to 1996  
Santa Monica-U.C.L.A. Medical Center

Treasurer 1993-1994, Japanese American Medical Association  
Secretary 1995-1996, Japanese American Medical Association

**COMMITTEES:**

**- CURRENT**

Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology, University of Nevada School of Medicine  
--Resident Performance Committee

University of Nevada School of Medicine  
--Faculty Council

University Medical Center (County Hospital)  
--Performance Improvement Committee  
--ObGyn Committee

**-PAST**

Search Committee for ObGyn Chairman  
Search Committee for Perinatologist  
Search Committee for General Obstetrician/Gynecologist (3 times)  
Search Committee for Certified Nurse Midwife (twice)  
Perinatal Quality Review Committee, Saint John's Medical Center  
Santa Monica, California

**RESEARCH**

UCLA Schools of Dentistry and Medicine: 1979-1981  
W. Roderick Hume, DDS, PhD (Dept. of Oral Biology) & John A. Bevan, MD  
(Dept. of Pharmacology)

George Washington University School of Medicine: 1985  
Rajesh D. Naz, PhD & Robert J. Stillman, MD (In-Vitro Fertilization)

LA County-University of California Medical Center: 1989-1990  
Michael Vermesh, MD (Senior project: Ectopic gestations)

Principal Investigator: Outpatient Misoprostol in the Management of Postdate  
Pregnancies (prospective, randomized, double-blinded, placebo controlled):  
Ongoing

IRB Approved in 2006, re-approved annually.

Resident involvement: Krystal Pham, MD, Ryan Young, MD

Presented at 2007 Annual UNSOM ObGyn Paper Day by resident Krystal Pham, MD

Presented at 2009 Annual UNSOM ObGyn Paper Day by resident Ryan Young, MD:

Awarded First Prize

Selected as an oral presentation at the 2009 UNSOM Resident Paper Day

Principal Investigator: Titrated Oral Misoprostol for Labor Induction  
(prospective, randomized, double-blinded): ongoing

IRB Approved in 2009

Resident Involvement: Jessica Fu, MD

Co-Investigator: Characteristics of Women Undergoing Tubal Ligation in Southern Nevada (retrospective chart review): ongoing

Primary Investigator: Echezona Ezeanolue, MD

IRB Approved in 2009

Resident Involvement: Laura Rosenfield, MD

Medical Student Involvement: Caroline Graham, MSIII

Presentation January 29, 2010 at the Western Regional Student Research Forum 2010 in Carmel, CA Presenting Author: Caroline Graham, Title: Characteristics of Women Undergoing Tubal Ligation in Las Vegas, NV

Co-Investigator: Awareness and Perceptions of Umbilical Cord Blood Banking Among Pregnant Women (prospective): ongoing

Primary Investigator: Echezona Ezeanolue, MD

IRB Approved in 2009

Medical Student Involvement: Wilfred Torres, MSIV

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Available upon request.

## **CONFERENCE FACULTY OR INSTRUCTOR**

Perinatal Morbidity and Mortality Conference, monthly, 2002 to 2008

Organized the structure and materials for the conference.

2006 to 2008 Conference moderator.

Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics Course, Las Vegas, NV: January 2 & 3, 2009

Taught workshops in Shoulder Dystocia, Assisted Deliveries, Malpresentions, Obstetrical Cases, Practice Workshop, and Megadelivery

Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics Course, Reno, NV: May 6 & 7, 2009

Taught workshops in Malpresentions, and Obstetrical Cases

Women in Health Sciences: Professional Development Retreat, Las Vegas, NV: December 8, 2009

Discussion group leader

Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics Course, Las Vegas, NV: January 29 & 30, 2010

Taught workshop in Assisted Vaginal Delivery. Led discussion groups on Eclampsia, Cord Prolapse, and Venous Thromboembolism

**PROFESSIONAL  
MEMBERSHIPS**

Fellow, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists  
American Medical Association  
Japanese American Medical Association

**INTERESTS &  
ACTIVITIES**

Medical Mission Trip: Guatemala: March 1996

Snow skiing, water skiing, biking, piano, crafts, travel

## CURRICULUM VITAE

**Name:** Bonnie Sorenson, R.N., B.S.N.

### Educational Background

- Graduate of University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh Bachelor of Science in Nursing-1973
- Certified as a Community Health Nurse-Wisconsin
- Certified as Breastfeeding Lactation Educator-Bellin Hospital, 1991
- Specialized course work in peer counseling specifically related to drug and alcohol abuse
- Pre-graduate coursework in statistical analysis
- Past course work in bereavement counseling for families experiencing loss of a child
- Graduate of the Great Basin Public Health Leadership Institute Class of 2007

### Professional Experience

- Over Forty years of public health experience. Six months was in a hospital working in labor and delivery, nursery, and gynecology. Twenty-two of those years as a Community Health Nurse in Green Bay, Wisconsin providing direct services in the community setting which included teaching pre-natal and parenting classes in a community and school setting. Founding member of the Teen Center that supported teens through their high school years to insure self-sufficiency after the birth of their baby.
- Functioned as a school nurse and developed peer counselors in the school setting to assist and identify teens who were in crisis. Provided numerous educational presentations on HIV and STD's to students.
- Provided case management services to families with special needs children, premature infants, children with elevated lead levels, refugees resettlement, managed Communicable disease outbreaks, investigations and surveillance for foodborne illness, TB, HIV, STD and vaccine preventable disease.
- Over eighteen years of management experience. Eleven and half of those years with direct oversight of communicable disease programs, which include the clinical and surveillance component of TB, STD, HIV/AIDS, Immunizations and Influenza. Family Planning clinical services including oversight of the Title X Federal Grant.
- Ten years as the Director of Nursing and Clinical services for the Southern Nevada Health District. Responsible for a staff of over 170 members. Responsible for a projected budget of over 20 million dollars in fiscal year 2013 that includes numerous grants and contracts. Manage 4 direct reports that oversee HIV/STD/AIDS/TB disease investigation, surveillance, clinical services and Pharmacy. Maternal Child Health services which include the Nurse Family Partnership home visitation program, Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program, Child Protective Services nurse case management, child care nurse consultants, refugee services, lead testing program, special needs children including prematurity and special projects like Healthy Kids exams and fluoride varnishing. Conduct Immunization and flu clinics throughout the County. Well Women Services that offer cervical cancer screening and mammography to qualified women. Responsible for sub-contract oversight of Family Planning and HIV/AIDS services by our delegate agencies.

### Community Involvement

Participated in numerous coalitions over the years that address issues related to smoke-free community initiatives, walkable communities, teen pregnancy prevention, promotion of breastfeeding, childcare consultants, access to healthcare, immunizations, elimination of lead, services to refugees and cardiovascular health.

### **Current/Past Board Memberships**

- Vice Chair of the State Maternal-Child Advisory Board appointed by the governor
- Member of the Executive Committee of "United Way Health Impact Council"
- Family Planning Advisory Board Member
- Southern Nevada Maternal Child Health Coalition Member
- Nurse Family Partnership Advisory Board
- Early Head Start Advisory Board
- Nevada Public Health Association
- Teen Pregnancy Prevention Advisory Board and Coalition
- State Maternal Child Health Coalition
- Southern Nevada Council of Nurse Executives
- Child Nursing Consultant Consortium
- Past member of the Advisory Board for the Great Basin Public Health Leadership Institute
- Past participant in Leadership Las Vegas
- Past Member of the RN to BSN Nevada State College/University of Nevada Las Vegas Collaboration Advisory Board

**Lisa Lottritz, R.N., B.S.N.**

**Education**

B.S., Nursing, University of Nevada, Reno, Nevada, May 1993  
Pre-Nursing, College of the Redwoods, Eureka, California, August 1988-May 1989

**Professional Experience**

**Washoe County Health District**

P.O. Box 11130, Reno, Nevada 89520  
Phone: (775) 328-2465 Fax: (775) 328-3750

Dates of employment: July 15, 2013 – Present

Position: Public Health Nursing Supervisor

Scope of Work: Supervise assigned professional and paraprofessional staff, including interview and select staff; provide staff training in proper work methods and techniques; assign and review work; conduct performance evaluations; implement discipline and conflict resolution procedures when necessary. Develop, implement, evaluate and modify public health programs.

Dates of employment: June 26, 1997 – July 15, 2013

Position: Public Health Nurse II

Scope of Work: Perform public health nursing services for individuals and families, patient education, support and community service referrals, program coordinator for home visitation grant, including grant management and reports for the program. Liaison between hospital NICU and Washoe County Health District, mentor for students and new staff, represent the Health District on community coalitions.

Dates of employment: June 26, 1995 -- June 26, 1997

Position: Public Health Nurse I

Scope of Work: Performed public health nursing services for individuals and families in clinic and home settings. Coordinated access to community resources and facilitated coordination of care.

**Washoe Medical Center, Reno, NV May 1993 – May 1995:** Position: Staff Nurse

Distributed medications, patient assessment, baths, dressing changes, follow through with doctor's orders, CPR instructor.

**Washoe Medical Center, Reno, NV May 1992 – May 1993:** Position: Student Nurse Tech

Assisted nurses, took vital signs, assessed mothers and babies, bathed babies, data entry.

## **Training/Presentations**

- AMCHP Annual Conference. 2014
- Tuberculosis Clinical Intensive. Curry International Tuberculosis Center. 2013
- Essentials of Management Development Program through Excellence in Public Service. Completed 2009.
- 18<sup>th</sup> Annual CityMatCH Conference. 2008
- National Fetal Infant Mortality Review (FIMR) Conference. 2007
- Conducted a class on perinatal issues for Health Ecology students at University of Nevada, Reno. 2007
- San Diego International Conference on Child and Family Maltreatment-2005
- NCAST(Nursing Child Assessment Satellite Training) recertified in November 2004. Completed intensive training program and was determined to be reliable in the use of Nursing Child Assessment Feeding Scale and the Nursing Child Assessment Teaching Scale.
- National Council for Adoption – Adoption Specialist Training, July 2003.
- 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Maternal and Child Health Epidemiology Conference. 2005
- STD Preceptorship - San Francisco, June 2005.
- STD/HIV Prevention Training - Seattle, February 2000.

## **Professional Appointments/Organizations**

- Nevada LEND trainee, class of 2013-2014
- Coordinator for Orvis School of Nursing student rotations for Community and Clinical Health Services. 2013-Present
- Program Coordinator for Pregnancy Connection grant. 2009-2013
- Liaison between Renown Regional Medical Center NICU and Washoe County Health District. 2004-2013
- Maternal Child Health Coordinator, 2005-2008
- Data Institute. Team member, 2008
- Northern Nevada Maternal Child Health Coalition. Assisted with reestablishing the coalition and served as the chairperson, 2005-2008
- Coalition for Underserved Populations Dental (CUSP). Member, 2007-2008
- CAN Prevent Annual Conference Committee. 2006-2008
- Early Head Start Policy Council. Member, 2004-2007
- Student Attendance Review Board. 1998-2002

## **Accomplishments**

- Co-authored article "Case-control Study of a Gastroschisis Cluster in Nevada." Article was printed in the Archives of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine, 2009.
- Nominated for Northern Nevada Nurse of Achievement, 2001

Lisa Lottritz is a Public Health Nursing Supervisor at the Washoe County Health District. She received her nursing degree at the University of Nevada, Reno. Lisa supervises the Tuberculosis Prevention and Control program and the Maternal Child and Adolescent Health program. Before becoming a supervisor, Lisa had been a Public Health Nurse at the Washoe County Health District for 18 years. She held the position of the Maternal and Child Health Coordinator and she managed the Pregnancy Connection program. Lisa is currently a Nevada Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (NvLEND) trainee. This program accepts 12 trainees a year. It operates within the University of Nevada, Reno and provides leadership training and interdisciplinary clinical experiences for professionals and students in Nevada. Lisa resides in Reno with her husband and her two daughters. She can be contacted at [REDACTED]

**Noah Benjamin Kohn, M.D., F.A.A.P.**  
**Touro University Nevada College of Osteopathic Medicine**

**Henderson, NV 89014**

**Clinical and Academic Experience**

**Touro University Nevada College of Osteopathic Medicine** Henderson, NV  
Assistant Dean for Clinical Faculty Development August 2014 – current

- Monitor clinical training sites as required by the Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation.
- Coordinate site visits to be performed by Clinical Education faculty and manage and maintain site visit data; review and compile site visit information; prepare and report information to the Office of Continuing Professional Development.
- Assess clinical sites, monitor student performance and evaluate Adjunct faculty through observation and direct student feedback.
- Provide guidance and direction to students and Adjunct faculty to improve the training experience and Preceptor skills.
- Assume lead role in the recruitment, training, and retention of Adjunct faculty in order to improve both the availability and quality of training sites.

**Children's Free Clinic of Southern Nevada/Clinics In Schools** Las Vegas, NV  
Vice President/Medical Director July 2009 – current

- Took over responsibility for all executive functions of the clinic that was previously managed by Community Outreach Medical Center (see below), including personnel, strategic planning, publicity, and budgeting.
- Recruited a 12-member Board of Directors including business leaders, community activists, clients, and representatives of both local government and charity organizations.
- Directed and assisted the Board in creating Health & Safety and Privacy policies and procedures, Bylaws, and a Conflict of Interest Policy.
- Devised and implemented an in-school H1N1 flu vaccine program that administered over 8000 doses of the vaccine during the 2009-10 epidemic.
- Planned and implemented a four-year fundraising and grant-writing plan that has raised over \$950,000 for the clinics.

**First Person Care Clinic** Las Vegas, NV  
Chief Medical Officer April 2013 – September 2013

- Provide oversight to all medical operations of this new, Community Health Center.
- Assist CEO in preparing application to the US Health Resources Services Administration for Federally Qualified Health Center status.
- Plan and prepare for implementation of Patient Centered Medical Home standards, including a Quality Improvement and Quality Assurance program.

**Clinics In Schools/Community Outreach Medical Center** North Las Vegas, NV  
Pediatric Medical Director February 2008 – June 2009

- First full-time physician in this non-profit, free clinic for uninsured, indigent and homeless children, consisting of two fixed site clinics.
- Assist professional staff in creating and submitting budgets and grant requests to funding agencies.

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- Promote the clinic and its programs to print and televised media to increase community awareness of our activities and generate patient volume.
- Responsible, in part, for creating partnerships with other care providers and agencies within the community to further the mission of the program.
- Responsible for compiling and reporting patient visit and demographic data to funders and outside entities.

## **Rainbow Mountain Pediatrics**

Pediatrician/President

Las Vegas, NV

March 2004 - February 2008

- Founded and managed this solo-practice pediatric office.
- General practice, primary care pediatrician, providing sick and routine, well child care for patients from birth to age 21, as well as inpatient care for well newborns and sick children and adolescents.
- Supervised office staff, as well as billing and accounting.

## **Fremont Children's Clinic**

Pediatric Hospitalist

Las Vegas, NV

August 2003 - March 2004

- One of two hospitalists covering pediatric inpatients, normal newborns and level II NICU patients for this large, multi-specialty practice.
- Provided outpatient pediatric care, as needed.

## **Emergency Medicine Associates**

Pediatric Hospitalist

Reston, VA

February 2002 - July 2003

- Primarily responsible for a 13-bed pediatric inpatient unit.
- Share responsibility for term nursery patients with neonatologist and provide after-hours coverage for a level II NICU, including attendance at high risk deliveries and neonatal resuscitations.
- Responsible for pediatric medical patients seen in the Emergency Department.

## **Children's Medical Associates of Northern Virginia**

Pediatrician

Alexandria, VA

July 1998 - January 2002

- General practice, primary care pediatrician, providing sick and routine, well child care for patients from birth to age 21, as well as inpatient care for well newborns and sick children and adolescents.
- Taught and supervised residents and medical students from the University of Virginia, and Georgetown and George Washington Universities, both in the hospital and in the office.

## **Education and Post-Graduate Training**

**University of Virginia/Inova Fairfax Hospital for Children**

Pediatric Resident

Falls Church, VA

July 1996 - June 1998

- Lobbying internship in the Washington Office of the American Academy of Pediatrics.

**University of Maryland Medical Center**

Pediatric Intern

Baltimore, MD

July 1995 - June 1996

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## Georgetown University School of Medicine

Washington, DC

Doctor of Medicine

May 1995

- Student health education and counseling program, Volunteer.
- Whitman Walker AIDS Clinic, Volunteer.
- Georgetown University Hospital AIDS Clinic, Volunteer.
- VIII Course of the International School of the History of Biological Sciences: *The History of Immunology*, Naples, Italy.

## Vassar College

Poughkeepsie, NY

Bachelor of Arts in Biochemistry

May 1991

- Dean's Distinguished Award.
- $\beta\beta\beta$  Biological Honors Society.
- Admissions Committee, Elected Student Representative.
- AIDS Education Committee, Student Co-Chair.
- Varsity Cross-Country, Captain.

## Research Experience

### Georgetown University Medical Center

Rockville, MD

Division of Molecular Virology and Immunology

Summer 1992

- Demonstrated the presence of potential anti-WHV e antigen in the sera of infected animals to further characterize this model of HBV infection.

### National Cancer Institute

Frederick, MD

Laboratory of Tumor Cell Biology

Summer 1991

- Constructed site-directed mutants of gp120 and gp160 in the development of a recombinant, vaccinia-based HIV vaccine.

### Dana-Farber Cancer Institute - Harvard School of Public Health

Boston, MA

Division of Human Retrovirology

Summer 1990

- Constructed a novel Baculovirus system shuttle vector for the expression of HIV and HTLV regulatory genes.
- Assisted in the construction of a retroviral anti-HIV gene therapy model.

### Center for Molecular Medicine and Immunology

Newark, NJ

Institute for Molecular Immunology

September 1986 - August 1987

- Investigated the expression of surface immunoglobulin on human B cells specific to neoplastic colonic mucins.
- Analyzed murine hybridomas specific to neoplastic colonic mucins for potential use in radioimmunoassay.

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## Community Service

**Nevada Children's Center**  
Medical Director

- Volunteer Medical Director

Las Vegas, NV  
June 2014 – current

**Children's Advocacy Alliance**  
Community Advisory Board

- Member

Las Vegas, NV  
March 2013 – current

**Win-Win Entertainment**  
Community Advisory Board

- Member

Las Vegas, NV  
January 2012 – current

**United Way of Southern Nevada**  
Campaign Cabinet

- Volunteer Fundraiser

Las Vegas, NV  
March 2010 – June 2011

**Nevada State Democratic Party**  
State Central Committee Executive Board

- Elected Board Member

Las Vegas, NV  
March 2010 – April 2012

**State of Nevada Advisory Council on Fitness and Wellness**

- Physician Member
- Ex-Officio Member (non-voting)

Las Vegas, NV  
April 2006 – March 2009  
March 2009 – current

**Olive Crest Homes and Services for Abused Children**  
Board of Directors

- Board Member

Las Vegas, NV  
September 2003 – August 2006

## Awards and Recognitions

- *Winged Heart Award* finalist, Clark County Medical Society
- *Silver Syringe Award*, Southern Nevada Immunization Coalition
- *Community Spirit Award*, United Way of Southern Nevada
- *Passion Award* nominee (one of seven, worldwide), Frederique Constant Watches
- *Healthcare Headliners*, In Business Las Vegas

## Personal

- Date of Birth: [REDACTED]
- Spouse: [REDACTED]
- Children: [REDACTED]



Loma Linda, California

Emphasis: Maternal-Child Nursing, consumer/professional education

- Walla Walla College  
College Place, Washington
- BS in Nursing 1972

### **Certifications:**

- International Board Certified Lactation Consultant (IBCLC) received October, 1999  
IBCLC # L-13056
- Certified Nurse-Midwife cert # 11562, exp 12/31/2017 received 6/25/2004
- NRP and BCLS certifications due for renewal

### **Licensure**

- Nevada RN # 14195, CNM/APN # 000941, expire 01/26/2015
- California RN # 259974, and NMW 1664, expire 2/28/2015
- National Provider Identifier number 1366642423

### **Professional Memberships**

- American College of Nurse-Midwives (ACNM)
- Association of Women's Health, Obstetrical and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)
- American Association of Birth Centers (AABC)
- International Lactation Consultant's Association (ILCA) and US Lactation Consultant Association (USLCA)
- Northern Nevada Birth Network

### **Work Experience:**

July 2012 to present	Owner, principle APRN, The Hoskins APRN Clinic, Minden, NV Providing full scope midwifery with home birth and lactation support.
August 2013-July, 2014	Per diem midwife following completion of an extended reorientation/ skills verification /refresher, Women's Health & Birth Center, Santa Rosa, CA
November, 2010 to September 2011	Interim Director, Orvis Nursing Clinic, Reno, NV
August, 2005 to June, 2012	Assistant Professor, Orvis School of Nursing, University of Nevada, Reno, Community Health Nursing clinicals, Health Assessment lab, lectures in Advanced Health Assessment, Women's Health for FNP's, Maternal and Child nursing topics, supervision of student maternal- child clinical experience.
September, 2004 to Dec, 05	Staff CNM, Women's Health & Birth Center, Santa Rosa, CA, a free- standing birth center doing full-scope midwifery, with Medical Staff Privileges at Sutter Medical Center Santa Rosa
October, 2002 to Oct, 2003	Director, Vocational Nrsng Prog, Lassen College, Susanville, CA
August, 2001 to Dec, 2003	Western Nevada Community College, Carson City, NV pt Nursing Instructor, 1 <sup>st</sup> year ADN clinical/ 2 <sup>nd</sup> year theory lectures
January, 2001 to Nov. 2002	Per diem staff nurse ICN, Washoe Medical Center, Reno, NV
June 1999 to present	Director, Of a Nurturing Nature, Educational and Support Services for the Childbearing Family, a small business doing lactation support in Douglas County, Carson City area.

March, 1998 to June 99	Licensed Visitation Specialist, Family to Family Connection, Infant Service District #3, WNCC, Carson City.
August, 1993 to June, 98	State sponsored family support program birth to 12 months Western Nevada Community College (WNCC), Carson City, NV
August, 1994 to June,98	Nursing Instructor, Fundamentals and Maternal-Child Courses WNCC, Distance Education Instructional Specialist
Summer, 1997	Cottonwood Care Center, Gardnerville, NV Staff development
February, 1993 to present	David S. Hoskins, M.D., Minden, NV
January, 1984 to Jan., 1993	Consultant re medical office management and staff development David S. Hoskins, M.D. Hawthorne (83-6) and Minden, NV (86-93)
September -December, 1979	Office manager, office nurse, staff development coordinator, computer systems supervisor. Resource person for family life issues. White Memorial Hospital, Los Angeles, CA Staff RN, MCN float pool.
January, 1978-June, 1979	Loma Linda University, School of Nursing, Loma Linda, CA Associate Degree Program, Nursing instructor in pediatrics, BSN Program, senior seminar in OB, research course
June, 1976-December, 1977	Loma Linda University Medical Center, Loma Linda, CA Head Nurse, Labor and Delivery, Childbirth class coordinator
August, 1975-June, 1976	Graduate student, Loma Linda University, Graduate School
September, 1974 -June, 1975	Walla Walla College, School of Nursing, Portland, Oregon Nursing instructor in pediatrics
June, 1972 - August, 1975	Doernbecher Children's Hospital, Newborn Intensive Care, Staff nurse and neonatal transport team member.

**Volunteer Activities**

September, 2014 to present	Treasurer, American Association of Birth Centers
April, 2014 to present	President, Nevada ACNM State Affiliate
January, 2013 to present	ACNM, HomeBirth Section of the DOSP
June, 2010 to present	ACNM, Health Information Technology section of the DOSP
February and April, 2013	Testified before the Nevada Legislature committees regarding AB 170 which gives Advance Practice Registered Nurses autonomous practice in Nevada
April, 2008 to 2011	committee member for the <b>perinatal access to care subcommittee</b> of the Nevada State Maternal Child Health Advisory Board.
September, 2009	Research Committee member, American Association of Birth Centers
October -December, 2007	<b>Midwives For Haiti:</b> instruction in safe motherhood techniques for native Haitian women in the Central Department of Haiti at Hinche. Helped to establish a clinic based prenatal program staffed by native Haitian women in the Midwives for Haiti training program.
August, 2007 to 2009	Faculty advisor to the <b>Birth Peace</b> group, a UNR student activities group which has sponsored the September 2007 performance of <b>BOLD- Birth on Labor Day</b> , a theatrical reading of the consciousness raising play <b>Birth</b> . In February, 2007 this same group sponsored an on campus screening of <b>The Business of Being Born</b> , in September, 2008 this group also sponsored an additional performance of the play <b>Birth</b> .
Spring 2008 to present	Program Services committee member for the Nevada March of Dimes
June, 2007 to 2012	<b>Nevada Breastfeeding Task Force</b> member. Served as one of four state representatives to the United States Breastfeeding Committee's Conference of State Breastfeeding Coalitions in Virginia, January 2008 and 2010. Facilitated two 2008 breakfast networking discussions of Geographic and Cultural Challenges to the development of a statewide breastfeeding coalition.
May 2006 to present	Site visitor for the Commission for the Accreditation of Birth Centers

- January, 2006 to present      **Maternal Child Health Coalition of Northern Nevada.** Served as education subcommittee chair 2009, and Breastfeeding Coalition of the MCH Coalition chair, 2007-2009. Ongoing membership in the Breastfeeding Coalition.
- October, 2005 to present      **Northern Nevada Birth Network,** I serve in an informal position as a professional adviser to this group on issues of birth and breastfeeding.

**Non-credit Based Professional Learning**

- September, 2014      AABC Birth Institute, Washington, DC
- May, 2014      ACNM Annual Meeting, Denver, CO
- October, 2013      AABC Annual Meeting and Natural Birth Institute, Minneapolis
- August, 2013      Contemporary Forums, Office Gynecology, Jackson Hole, WY
- May-June 2013      ACNM Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN
- May 2013      USLCA Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO
- September 2011      AABC Birth Institute, Denver, Colorado
- May, 2011      ACNM Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX
- 2010      Centering Pregnancy Implementation Training, sponsored by Nevada Chapter of the March of Dimes
  
- September 2010      AABC Birth Institute, Laguna Beach, CA
- May, 2010      ACNM Annual Meeting, Washington, DC
- October, 2009      Midwives Alliance of North American, Annual Meeting, Monterey, CA
- September, 2009      American Association of Birth Centers Annual Meeting, Savannah . GA
- July, 2009      International Association of Lactation Consultants, Las Vegas, NV
- May, 2009      ACNM Annual Meeting, Seattle
- May, 2009      Philosophical Inquiry into Pregnancy, Childbirth and Mothering
- September, 2008      Lamaze International Annual Meeting, Louisville, Kentucky
- May 2008      ACNM Annual Meeting, Boston
- January, 2008      United States Breastfeeding Committee's Conference of State Breastfeeding Coalitions, Crystal City, VA

Additional older experiences available on request

**Professional Presentations:**

- June 2, 2013      "A Primer: Electronic Prescribing for the CNM," ACNM Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN
- November 14, 2012      "Implementing the Baby Friendly Hospital Initiative" presentation to Obstetrical Department, JiaYin Hospital, Urumqi, China
- October 2, 2012      "Manners under Construction" Northern Nevada Breastfeeding Coalition, Reno, NV
- May 2011      HIT Taskforce panel on Electronic Health Record implementation in primary care practice at ACNM annual meeting, San Antonio, TX
- October 2010      "Breastfeeding Ethics" Autumn in the Sierra Conference, Reno, NV
- September 2010      "The Multiple Uses of the Rebozo" an invited presentation at the Am Association of Birth Centers, Birth Institute, Laguna Beach, CA
- May, 2010      HIT Taskforce panel member for presentation on Meaningful Use and the HITECH legislation and the midwife.

Additional listings upon request.

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## Experience

### **Nevada Early Intervention Services**

Supervisor: Thomas Kapp  
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May 2013- Present

Grade 41 \$5736 current monthly salary

Health Program Manager III: Responsibilities include a variety of high and low level decision making for a state ran federal, human services program with a \$37 million annual budget. I oversee the southern Nevada region including: Clark County urban and rural, Nye County, Lincoln and Esmeralda County. Within those counties I oversee 20 cities, rural and frontier areas.

Program Planning- I interpret federal guidelines of IDEA, create policies and procedures to ensure compliance of federal requirements, and ensure that the NRS and NAC are implemented both ethically and litigiously. Examples include but are not limited to: staffing and professional licensures, timeliness of services for clients, standardization of forms and methods of service delivery.

Budget- I modified and implement the previously developed plan to streamline the process and payment for contractors on provider agreements. By modifying the current process has allowed NEIS to have more consistency in the services from the providers. I have worked with my supervisor on regional budget allocations for 3208. I manage Developmental Specialists and therapists caseloads to ensure the caseloads do not exceed the budgeted authority. Oversee the scheduling process to ensure that children within the budgeted authority are served in a timely manner. Decision making and approval for the purchase of supplies, equipment, project funding for contract staff for the fiscal year, review and approve budget spreadsheets before sending to fiscal department.

Staffing- I oversee over 100 state employees including physicians, psychological developmental counselors, registered dieticians, speech and language pathologists, developmental specialists, accounting, and clerical. I also coordinate and oversee compliance with approximately 30 professional individual contractors, 13 independent contracted companies. I develop and revise work performance standards. Complete thorough employee appraisals. Interpret prohibitions and penalties to ensure that myself and supervisors implement progressive discipline and follow the NAC and NRS to ensure employee rights are not violated in the process. Conduct staffing hire interviews, sign the requests to hire packets and may be listed as agency reviewer with DHRM.

Staff Development- I ensure that there are opportunities for on-going monthly staff training development, staff-supervisor parallel process development, leadership and team meetings and staff strength based program designs. Currently there are opportunities for licensed staff to receive CEUs at least twice a year. In addition, I ensure that the process of formal and behavioral interviewing and hiring continues (using the NAC guidelines) for all staffing levels, on-going informal staff meetings with the manager for

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communication outreach, morale booster committee and peer support, a "care bear team" for staff resources when child pass away on their caseload, monthly spirit days, and beautify the work space program.

Contracts- I worked on revising provider agreements rates and attachments so it could be presented to the Board of Examiners for approval. I have oversight and authority over 13 provider agreements, and memorandum of understandings with inter-local entities. Examples include but are not limited to: Genetics with the University School of Medicine, Department of Family Services (Clark), Public-Private partnerships with Easter Seals of Nevada, Autism Treatment and Assistance Program, Clark County Parks and Recreation, City of Las Vegas Parks and Recreation centers, Clark and Pahrump school districts, local community therapy businesses, and University of Nevada Las Vegas Special Education Department.

Quality Assurance and Program Performance-I oversee and monitor the internal quality assurance process for early intervention. This includes annual self-assessment that monitors quality assurance and program development. I team with the CPMII to develop the program development team. This team will provide provider certification for private providers and training to state employees as well as private providers.

**Nevada Early Intervention Services**  
Supervisor: Ellen Richardson-Adams  
1161 South Valley View Blvd.  
Las Vegas, NV 89102  
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September 2011 to May 2013  
Grade 39, \$4400 last monthly salary

Clinical Program Manager 1: Program Planning and Development-Interpret federal guidelines of IDEA as well as Health Division policies and procedures. Ensure compliance of the federal and division requirements. Create, review and revise policies and procedures that include but not limited to: staffing and professional licensures, timeliness of services for clients and standardization of forms and methods of service delivery. Developed and oversee the processes of eligibility meetings and clinic and evaluation services. I also developed policies and procedures and oversee the management of the motor pool cars. I have participated and facilitated work groups for program goals and objectives to modify the service delivery model. Developed and implement the assignments of Developmental Specialists and therapists caseloads. Supervise the only accredited Craniofacial Clinic in Nevada. Facilitate and participate in workgroups with stakeholders to modify the service delivery model.

Budget- I reviewed and revised internal control procedures. Signature approvals for the following but not limited to community provider bills, provider agreements, travel claims and motor pool reports. I had total budget authority of \$2 million. I managed Developmental Specialists and therapists caseloads to ensure the caseloads do not exceed the budgeted authority. Oversee the scheduling process to ensure that children within the budgeted authority are served in a timely manner. Decision making and approval for the purchase of supplies, equipment, project funding for contract staff for the fiscal year, review and approve budget spreadsheets before sending to fiscal department. Complete data and statistics for MCH funding and performance measures both monthly and annually.

Staff Supervision-develop and revise work performance standards. Complete thorough employee appraisals. Provide coaching, mentoring and training and recognition. Interpret prohibitions and penalties to ensure that myself and supervisors implement progressive discipline and follow the NAC and NRS to ensure employee rights are not violated in the process. Conduct staffing hire interviews, sign the requests to hire packets and may be listed as agency reviewer with DHRM.

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Community Relations- Teamed with various entities such as the NV Lend Foundation to improve services for early detection of Autism, DHHRC created opportunities for continuity of care and maternal child health programs to provide better access for families to healthcare. Collaborate with Part C on policy development and implementation for training and program coordination. Governor appointed board member of the Interagency Coordinating Council to ensure the members and public have a clear understanding of policies, procedures and service delivery for early intervention services.

Quality Assurance and Program Performance-I oversee and monitor the internal quality assurance process for early intervention. This includes annual self-assessment that monitors quality assurance and program development. I was the chair of the Quality Improvement Committee for the Health Division. This statewide committee provides technical assistance to quality improvement project teams in the Health Division. I participated in the development of the strategic plan for the Health Division to attain Public Health Accreditation. I am a certified grant writer. This certification can be used to access funding needed to continue quality improvement and program services performance.

Laws and Legalities-I have been asked to be a hearing officer. I interviewed various parties and gathered information and assisted human resources in determining the outcome of the investigation.

### **Nevada Early Intervention Services**

Supervisor: Paula Crawford  
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Las Vegas, NV 89102  
Retired

Nov. 2005 to September 2011  
Grade 37 \$5,676 last monthly salary

Developmental Specialist IV Position: Staff Supervision- I directly supervised 6-10 staff including professional and para-professional staff. I developed work performance standards and complete thorough employee appraisals for professional and paraprofessional staff. I review staff's clinical documentation and report writing on a monthly basis in order to provide coaching, training, recognition and opportunities for professional growth. I maintain positive and effective working relationships with peers and subordinates. I also initiated progressive discipline for staff when needed.

Administrative Support-I prepare and interpret statistical data and reports for the Health Program Manager III when requested. This information is pertinent for the agency to be in compliance with the federal regulations and timelines of Part C IDEA law and budget allocations. I developed and supervised the scheduling process for eligibility meetings, evaluations and clinic services as well as the motor pool process and procedures. I am tasked to streamline these processes that produce a cost savings, adhere to the budget allocation guidelines and increase revenue for the agency. I have been trained on the administration of budgetary accounts. I am an authorized signer for documents such as purchase orders, provider agreements and travel claims. I participate on interviews panels for paraprofessional and professional staff. I develop policies and procedures. I have managed the agency on occasions when the Program Managers were out of the office.

Trainings-On a monthly basis I team with a Psychological Developmental Counselor to provide staff team building tools. Also provide all staff with quarterly trainings on various topics that promote professional growth and educate them on developmental issues (including social emotional health for infants and toddlers as well as Autism).

Budget-Team with the Health Program Manager III to assign children to Development Specialist within the budgeted caseload for the fiscal year. I had total budget authority of \$1 million. Ensure that the caseload capacity does not go over the budget authority as well as keep workloads equitable. I also developed a plan to assign professional and paraprofessional staff to serves families in certain zip codes areas. This was time management efficiency as well as a cost savings to the budget because it decreased the amount of travel claim amounts for monthly reimbursement. Gave recommendations of supplies and equipment needs for the Development Specialists and therapists to provide ongoing

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services to families. Revised procedures for the scheduling department. As the supervisor of the scheduling department I ensured that children within the budgeted authority received eligibility services in a timely manner.

Community Relations-I team closely with community stakeholders. I attend meetings with various state agencies and community stakeholders in place of the Health Program Manager and Clinical Program Manager. I am a liaison between the collaboration of my agency and the Early Head Start Program. I also team with colleagues to streamline the process of referrals from the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act (CAPTA) in conjunction with Department of Family Services for children that need developmental services. I also team with Early Childhood Services to address the mental health issues that may arise with some of the families.

**Nevada Early Intervention Services/First Step Program**

Supervisor: Cheryl Means  
1161 S. Valley View Blvd.  
Las Vegas, NV, 89102  
Retired

January 2000 to November 2005  
Grade 35 \$ 1,744 last monthly salary

Development Specialist III-Direct Service- provided developmental and support services to children in an individual or group setting. The children on my caseload had a variety of developmental delays, syndromes, behavior and social emotional concerns. I developed and implemented treatment and family service plans. I provided direct services and case management (licensed to bill Medicaid for my services), coordinated community resources, and provided education and strategies to family members, other agencies and community providers. My average caseload was 15-23 children.

I administered assessment tools to determine eligibility for services. For example, ELAP,DOCS, IDA and HELP. I was also trained on several methodologies for working with children with Autism such as PECS, PRT, ABA and discrete trial. I was trained and administered the Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule(ADOS),which is an instrument for diagnosing and assessing Autism.

Staff Supervision- I supervised approximately 6 people. I developed work performance standards and completed thorough employee appraisals for professional and para-professional staff. I reviewed staffs work on a monthly basis in order to provide recognition, coaching, training and opportunities for professional growth. I trained to administer assessment tools to determine eligibility for services.

Budget-Teamed with other supervisor staff and program managers to build Developmental Specialists' caseloads to capacity without going over the budgeted caseload for the fiscal year. In supervisor meetings gave recommendations of supplies and equipment need for the Developmental Specialists and therapists to complete eligibility meetings as well as providing on going services to families. I was trained to administer the Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS) which is an instrument for diagnosing and assessing Autism.

**First Step Program**

Supervisor: Jonna Hansmier  
3750 E. Flamingo Ste110  
Las Vegas, NV

October 1997 to January 2000  
Grade 27 \$13.96 an hour

Public Service Intern- I attended in service trainings and trainings in the community to enhance my skills and increase my knowledge of how to work with families and children with special needs. I participated and facilitated parent and sibling support groups. I provided trainings on toilet training and behavior modification.

Under the direct supervision of a Development Specialist, I assisted with facilitating the development of social, self-help and behavioral skills. I also conducted developmental and behavioral assessments to determine eligibility for the program and monitor progress. Developed service plans with the Development Specialist and family. Assisted families in accessing resources in the community or clinical setting.

I developed and participated with Development Specialists in developmental play group settings for children with various developmental needs.

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