

Curriculum Vita  
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### **CAREER OBJECTIVE**

Obtain a faculty position as a nursing instructor.

### **EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

Masters of Science in Nursing – University of Phoenix, Farmington, New Mexico  
(Emphasis in education)

Bachelors of Science in Nursing – University of Phoenix, Farmington, New Mexico

Associates Degree in Nursing – San Juan College, Farmington, New Mexico

Licensed Practical Nurse – College of Eastern Utah, Blanding, Utah

Coordinator/Instructor Certification, Certified Nursing Assistant Program, Weber State University, Ogden, Utah

Advanced Cardiac Life Support – American Heart Association

Neonatal Advanced Life Support – American Heart Association

Pediatric Advanced Life Support – American Heart Association

Basic Life Support – American Heart Association

Basic Life Support – American Heart Association

Pic Line – Utah State University

American Amateur racquetball Association

### **CONTINUING EDUCATION**

Emergency care of the burn victim. Care for patients in the first 24 hours. Assessment of the depth of burns. Appropriate wound care.  
Burn Conference. Moab, UT. 11/18/05

Cultural Competency: Working Effectively to Respond to Victims' Needs. San Juan county sheriff's Office 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Training. Blanding, UT. 11/03/05

Utah Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services. Continuing Medical Education Certification Blanding, UT. 10/05

Banner Training Session I & II, training for Faculty, Price Campus, Price, UT 6/05

International Nurse Educators Conference in the Rockies (16<sup>th</sup> Annual): Breckenridge, Colo. 6/21/05

Educate the Educator, training for CNA coordinator/instructor. Weber State University, Ogden, UT. 2003

EdNet Faculty Training. College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding, Utah 5/5/03

Affirmative Action Training. David Jones, Attorney, College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding, UT 4/29/03

Certified Nursing Assistant Training Conference, Southern Utah University, Cedar City, UT. 3/29/03

Cardiac Arrhythmia's. Jenna LaRose, BSN, College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding, UT. 3/6/03

### **PROFESSIONAL HISTORY**

COLLEGE OF EASTERN UTAH 2002 – Current

Nursing Coordinator/Instructor  
Clinical Instructor 1990 – Current  
Nursing Coordinator/Instructor of the Certified Nurse Assistant Program  
Advisor/Facilitator of the Emergency Medical Technician Program  
Faculty Member  
Facilities Committee Member  
College Improvement Board Member

SAN JUAN HEALTH SERVICES DISTRICT 1978 – 2005

Charge Nurse – Providing and delegating health care in CCU, ER, OB, MED SURG, PEDS, and Geriatrics – 2005  
Surgical Nurse Circulator, 2005  
Birthing Center – Charge Nurse, 2005  
Preceptor for Weber State University, Associate Degree Students, 1990  
Infection Control Coordinator, 1990-1997

BLANDING AIR AMBULANCE 1985 - 1987

Emergency Medical Technician, 1985 - 1987  
Medical Coordinator, 1994 - 1995  
Chief Flight Nurse, 1994 – 1995

SELF-EMPLOYED/CONTRACT/PART-TIME/OTHER

Owner/Manager, The Body Salon, Health and Fitness Center, 1982 – Current  
Infection Control Coordinator for the sheriff's Department, 1994 – 2005  
Licensed Practical Nurse, Pediatrics, Shiprock, New Mexico. 1988 – 1989  
PHED 1110, Racquetball Instructor, College of Eastern Utah, 1986 – 1987  
Home Health Nurse, 1984  
Racquetball Officiator, 1983 – 1987

### **TEACHING**

#### **College of Eastern Utah**

NURS 1000 Certified Nursing Assistant (EdNet System)  
NURS 1010 Introduction to Nursing  
NURS 1020 Fundamental Concepts of Nursing  
NURS 1030 Fundamental Concepts of Nursing  
NURS 1120 Family Nursing I  
NURS 1130 Family Nursing I Clinical  
NURS 1220 Nursing Process I  
NURS 1230 Nursing Process I Clinical  
NURS 1240 Practical Nursing Practice  
NURS 2020 Nursing Process II, Medical Surgical Nursing  
NURS 2030 Family Nursing II Clinical I  
NURS 2120 Family Nursing II, Maternal and Infant Health Care Nursing  
NURS 2220 Nursing Process II, Psychiatric Mental Health  
NURS 2220 Nursing Process III  
NURS 2230 Nursing Process III Clinical  
NURS 2988 Special Problems

#### **State Board of Nursing**

Ethical Issues in Nursing, Instructor/Mentorship Program

### **CREATIVE WORKS**

Developed curriculum & course for a Certified Nursing Assistant Program, College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus 5/03

Collaborator with Robert McPherson, Ph.D, Dean, & Frances Swasey, MN, RN, Nursing Program Director/Instructor, to increase the size of the LPN program, to include 30 students. College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus 2005

Collaborator with Robert McPherson, Ph.D., Dean & Beth Carter, MSN, RN, for College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, to obtain \$90,000 funding for growth and development of the nursing program. San Juan County Commissioners. 2/03

Collaborator with Robert McPherson, Ph.D., Dean & Beth Carter, MSN, RN, to double size of the nursing program and have simultaneous, ongoing LPN and RN programs for College of Eastern Utah - San Juan Campus. 9/02

### **HONOR SOCIETY**

Omicron Delta Honor Society

Sigma Theta Tau National Honor Society

### **AWARDS AND RECOGNITION**

Nominated as chair person for National League of Nursing, by College of Eastern Utah, Health Care Program staff members, 2003

Second in the Mixed Doubles, Racquetball Tourney, Farmington, New Mexico, 1994

Certificate of Appreciation, 115<sup>th</sup> Engineer Group (Combat), 1993

First in the Women's Division, Racquetball Tourney, Rangley, Colorado, 1992

Letter of Recognition, Supervisory Clinical Nurse, Shiprock, New Mexico, 1987

Second in the Women's Division, Racquetball Tourney, Grand Junction, Colorado, 1986

Letter of Recognition, Director of Nursing, San Juan Hospital, Monticello, Utah, 1985

Employee of the month, San Juan Hospital, Monticello, Utah, 1985

First in the Women's Division, Racquetball Tourney, Monticello, Utah, 1985

Second Place, Float, 24<sup>th</sup> of July Parade, The Body Salon, Monticello, Utah, 1994

Certificate of Completion, (11<sup>th</sup> place) Moab chamber of Commerce, Moab, Utah, 5k, 1983

First Place, float, 24<sup>th</sup> of July Parade, The Body Salon, Monticello, Utah, 1993

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

National League for Nursing (NLN)

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Crittenden, J. (2002, March). Friendly atmosphere key to growth. *San Juan Record*, p. 6.

Crittenden, J. (2003, February). San Juan Health Care Recognition. *San Juan Record*, p. 3.

Williamson, K. & Crittenden, J. (2003, January). Progression of College of Eastern Utah. *San Juan Record*, p. 8.

### **PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

Crittenden, J. (2005). *Viability/Importance of the growth of the Nursing Program and Statistics of pass rate among Native Americans in the Nursing Program*. Presentation for the State Representatives at Moab Chamber of Commerce, Moab, Utah.

Crittenden, J. (2003). *Nursing shortage and its effects on San Juan County*. Presentation for the Health Care Alliance at College of Eastern Utah, Blanding, Utah.

Crittenden, J. (2003). *Funding of a Library/Science Building*. Presentation for State Representative Steven at College of Eastern Utah, Blanding, Utah.

Crittenden, J. (1999). *Universal Precautions. Body Substance Isolation in the work setting*. Presentation for the Sheriffs Office, at San Juan County Safety Building, Monticello, Utah.

Crittenden, J. (1990-1997). *Universal Precautions. Body Substance Isolation*. Presentation for hospital staff, at San Juan Hospital, Monticello, Utah.

Crittenden, J., & Erickson, M. (1997). *New employee orientation. Nosocomial Infections. Safety & Occupational Hazards*. Presentation for hospital staff, at San Juan Hospital, Monticello. Utah.

### **PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Organizer and presenter, Nursing Program Booth, Orientation. College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding, Utah, 2005  
Mentor, Master's project, Adina Free, RN, BSN, Instructor, College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding Utah – 10/05-5/06  
Co-organizer, blood drive, College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding, Utah - 2004  
College of Eastern Utah, Emergency Medical Technician, Coordinator/Facilitator, San Juan Campus, Blanding, Utah, 2003  
Mock College Days for 8<sup>th</sup> graders, Committee Co-organizer, member, and presenter, College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding, Utah, 2003  
Member of the Health Care Alliance Committee, College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding, Utah, 2002-Current  
Volunteer Hall Monitor for Monticello High School, Monticello, Utah, 1997  
Guest speaker for the pinning ceremony of the LPN students' at the College of Eastern Utah – San Juan Campus, Blanding Utah, 1988  
Drill Team assistant advisor for Monticello High School, Monticello, Utah, 1991-1992  
Member of the Chamber of Commerce, Monticello, Utah, 1983-1986  
Member of the community Growth Committee, Monticello, Utah, 1983  
Member of the Jaycees Organization, Monticello, Utah, 1982

### **LANGUAGES**

Spanish  
English