JAMIE ELLIS, RN, BSN

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Curriculum Vitae

EDUCATION AND CREDENTIALS

Adult Nurse Practioner, 2005 to Present – Arlington Woman's University Graduate School, Arlington, Texas Bachelor of Science in Nursing, 1995 – Texas School of Nursing, Arlington, Texas

Texas Registered Nurse License

Certified Public Health Nurse (PHN)

Pediatric Advanced Life Support Provider (PALS)

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support Provider (ACLS)

Trauma Nurse Core Course Provider (TNCC)

Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE)

PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

Founder, HELPING HAND NURSES PROGRAM (2001- Present)

Recognized the major nursing crisis in the local/national health care system and spearheaded the NAHN – Arlington Chapter's "Nurses For Nurses" program to recruit and mentor foreign educated Hispanic nurses and guide them through the Registered Nurse (RN) licensing process. Coordinate efforts of community colleagues committed to assisting the NAHN. Collaborate with health care and community organizations with interests in developing similar programs. Serve as program Spokesperson for public and media relations.

- Facilitated funding needs to support operational requirements and program objectives.
- Implemented English speaking classes for foreign applicants of Nurses For Nurses program.
- Created "Nurses For Nurses" website for ease of public access to program information.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Arlington, Texas

1996 - Present

Patient Advocate/EC Staff Nurse

MARCY DIEBOLD CLINIC, Arlington, Texas

1995 - 1996

Pediatric Triage Nurse

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Member, International Association of Forensic Nurses (IAFN), 2004 – Present

Board Director, East Side Mobile Resources Collaborative, Inc, 2003 – Present

Advisory Board Member, Tarrant Community College CNA Program, 2003 - Present

Member, Hispanic Women in Leadership (HWIL), 2003 – Present

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Board of Directors, Greater Tarrant Area Health Education Center (AHEC), 2002 – Present

Advisory Board Member, Nursing Spectrum Magazine/Nurse Week, 2002-Present

President, National Nurses Association (NNA), Tarrant Chapter, 1999 - President

Member, American Nurses Association (ANA), 1999 - Present

Member, Texas Nurses Association (TNA), 1999 - Present

Member, Emergency Nurses Association (ENA), 1999 - Present

Co-Chairperson, Staff Nurse Congress, General Hospital, 2006

Emergency Room Nursing Council Representative, General Hospital, 2005

Judge, Dallas Chronicle's "Salute to Nurses", 2005 – 2006

Advisory Committee, Consortium to Advanced Nursing Diversity and Opportunity (CANDO), 2005

Member, Texas Association Against Sexual Assault (TAASA), 2005

Member, National Association of Hispanic Nurses Scholarship Committee, 2002 – 2004

Spokesperson, Creciendo Juntos por Su Salud for Johnson & Johnson, 2004

Member, Who's Who Executives and Professionals, 2002 – 2003

Pre-Conference Committee, National Association of Hispanic Nurses (NAHN), 2002

AWARDS

Herietta Villaescusa Community Service Award, 2005

Nursing Spectrum Nursing Excellence Award, 2004

National Association of Hispanic Nurses, Nurse of the Year Award, 2003

Dorothy F. Caram Commitment to Leadership Award, 2003

Dallas Chronicle Salute to Nurses Award, 2003

Distinguished Nurse Clinician Certificate of Recognition, 2003

Job Central for Work Force Training Fund Award, 2001

ARTICLES

- 1. Ellis, Jamie, "Navigating the RN License Maze," Nurse Week Magazine, 2004.
- 2. Ellis, Jamie, "Hispanic Association Supports Area Nurses," The Dallas Chronicle, 2004.
- 3. Ellis, Jamie, "Choosing Change," Advance for Nurses Magazine, 2004.
- 4. Ellis, Jamie, "Nurses with Borders," Minority Nurse Magazine, 2003.
- 5. Ellis, Jamie, "Does the NCLEX-RN Pass the Test for Cultural Sensitivity?" *Minority Nurse Magazine*, 2003.

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- 6. Ellis, Jamie, "Focus on the Member, Cameron Diaz Named NAHN Nurse of the Year," *Emergency Nurse Association Connection Newsletter*, 2003.
- 7. Ellis, Jamie, "In Our Backyard," Minority Nurse Magazine, 2002.
- 8. Ellis, Jamie, "More Than a Job," AHA Commission on Workforce for Hospitals and Health Systems, 2002.
- 9. Ellis, Jamie, "In Our Hands," personal letter of recognition from the President of *Advancing Health in America Magazine*, 2002.

PRESENTATIONS

Speaker, Texas School of Nursing, Arlington, Texas, 2006

Presenter & Planner, National Association of Hispanic Nurses - Arlington Chapter, 4th Annual Conference, Arlington, Texas 2005

Presenter & Planner, National Association of Hispanic Nurses - Arlington Chapter, 3rd Annual Conference, Arlington, Texas 2004

Speaker, Arlington High School, Houston, Texas 2004

Presenter & Planner, National Association of Hispanic Nurses - Arlington Chapter, 2nd Annual Conference, Arlington, Texas 2003

Speaker, "The Need for Hispanic Nurses," Texas School of Nursing, Arlington, Texas 2003

Presenter & Planner, National Association of Hispanic Nurses - Arlington Chapter, Annual Conference, Arington, Texas 2002

Presenter & Speaker, Lamar High School, Arlington, Texas 2002

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Coalition for Higher Education for Immigrant Students, 2001 – Present

Immunization Coalition, 2001 – Present

Religious Education Instructor, 1997 – Present

Church Fundraisers, 1997 – Present

San Jose Clinic, 2000 – 2004

Meals on Wheels, 1999 – 2003

Health Adventure, 1999

Deliz Elementary Clinic, 1996

