

NAME: Barbara A. Tucker

Registered Nurse License Number: 220960 State: Texas Exp. Date: 12/31/2014

EDUCATION:

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE	YEAR CONFERRED	FIELD OF STUDY
Texas Woman's University Denton, Texas	BS	1967	Nursing
Texas Woman's University Denton, Texas	MS	1980	Nursing
Texas A&M University College Station, Texas	PhD	1988	Adult Education
Texas A&M Univ-Corpus Christi Corpus Christi, Texas	Certificate	1995	Family Nurse Practitioner

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

January 1974 to August 1976	Cooke County College Associate Degree Nursing Program
September 1976 to June 2006	University of Texas-Pan American Baccalaureate and Master's Degree Programs
November 2009	Professor Emeritus, UTPA
August 2011 to Present	Texas A&M University-Commerce Chair/Director Nursing Department

PRACTICE EXPERIENCE:

June 1967 to October 1968	Staff Nurse	Parkland Memorial Hospital Pediatrics Dallas, TX
October 1968 to June 1969	Staff Nurse	Madigan Army Hospital L&D, Nursery Tacoma, WA
August 1972 to December 1973	Asst Head Nurse	Flow Memorial Hospital L&D Denton, TX
September 1978 to June 1994	Staff/Charge Nurse	McAllen Memorial Hospital

	Part-time L&D, PP	McAllen, TX
August 1995 to August 1996	FNP	Audrey Jones, DO
	Part-time	McAllen, TX
August 1996 to June 2006	FNP	Valley Medical Arts Clinic
	Part-time	McAllen, TX
October 2008 to October 2009	FNP	Examination Management Svcs.
	Part-time	Northeast Texas Region

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EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION EXPERIENCE:

- (1) Development and maintenance of an environment conducive to the teaching/learning process.
 - Course Coordinator of numerous baccalaureate courses
 - Coordinator of Master of Science in Nursing Program, UTPA, Edinburg, TX for 16 years
 - Interim Chair, Social Work Department, UTPA, Edinburg, TX 2005-2006
- (2) Liaison with and maintenance of the relationship with the central administration of the controlling agency/governing institution.
 - Reported to Department Chair as Coordinator of Master's program
 - Reported to Dean of College of Health Sciences and Human Services as Chair of Social Work Department.
- (3) Participation in the budget process that includes full preparation, presentation, administration, and decision making of the program budget equal to other academic units.
 - Managed budgets for federal grants totaling \$1.6 million.
 - Managed Social Work Department budget.
- (4) Leadership within the faculty for the development and implementation of curriculum.
 - Co-wrote generic baccalaureate curriculum for UTPA
 - Wrote and developed MSN program curriculum for UTPA
 - Wrote and developed FNP curriculum for UTPA
- (5) Facilitation of faculty development, recruitment, performance review, promotion, and retention.
 - Served on and chaired numerous faculty search committee
 - Provided funds for faculty development from grants managed.
 - Provided funds for secretarial development from grants managed.
 - Served on promotion, tenure, and evaluation committees yearly.
 - Responsible for performance evaluation of staff
- (6) Liaison with and maintenance of the relationship with the board.
 - Worked with BNE in development, approval, and initial accreditation of Master's program
 - Worked with BNE in meeting master's criteria for program
 - Worked with Advanced Practice BON educational consultant about student issues
- (7) Support for an ongoing relationship with the community to establish clinical affiliating agencies and to ensure responsiveness to community needs.
 - Plan to develop an advisory committee for new program, incorporating CNOs or their designees from clinical agencies in the region
- (8) Provision for an adequate number of qualified faculty to teach in the nursing program.
 - Working with college and university officials to ensure an adequate number of faculty lines to support program
 - Have a Memorandum of Understanding with Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi for a one or two year mentoring relationship to help develop a quality program modeled on their successful program. Will also share courses and faculty expertise through purchasing online courses from TAMU-CC when needed.

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EDUCATION:

A. Academic Degrees

Doctor of Philosophy

Texas A&M University (1988)

College Station, Texas

Major: Adult Education

Support Area: Higher Education

Dissertation: Relationship Between Problem Solving and Learning Strategy in a Registered Nursing Education Program

Master of Science

Texas Woman's University (1980)

Denton, Texas

Major: Maternal-Child Nursing

Focus: Nursing Education

Professional Paper: Birth Attendance and Mexican-American Father's Perception of His Infant

Bachelor of Science

Texas Woman's University (1967)

Denton, Texas

Major: Nursing

Minors: Psychology and Sociology

B. Additional Education:

HERS Summer Institute for Women in Higher Education Administration (1991)

Post Master's Certificate FNP

Texas A&M Corpus Christi (1994)

Corpus Christi, Texas

C. Professional Licensure:

Registered Nurse Texas #2-20960

Family Nurse Practitioner (Inactive)

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Director of Nursing Department	Texas A&M University-Commerce Commerce, Texas August 2011 to present
Nurse Practitioner	Examination Management Services Care Improvement Plus Irving, Texas October 2009-October 2010
Nursing Faculty Recruiter	University of Texas-Pan American Edinburg, Texas September 2006-January 2007
Professor of Nursing	University of Texas-Pan American Edinburg, Texas September 1976-August 2006
Clinical Associate Professor	University of Texas Health Science Center Houston, Texas September 1990-August 2006
Family Nurse Practitioner	Valley Medical Arts Clinic (Part-time) McAllen, Texas September 1995-June 2006
McAllen Medical Center	Charge and Staff Nurse (Part-time) Labor and Delivery, Post Partum McAllen, Texas

1976-1994

Instructor of Nursing

Cooke County College

Gainesville, Texas

January 1974-August 1976

Flow Memorial Hospital

Assistant Head Nurse

Labor and Delivery

Denton, Texas

September 1972-January 1974

Madigan General Army Hospital

Staff Nurse

Labor and Delivery, Newborn and Intensive Care Nursery

Tacoma, Washington

November 1968-June 1969

Parkland Memorial Hospital

Charge and Staff Nurse

Pediatrics

Dallas, Texas

June 1967-October 1968

UNIVERSITY ASSIGNMENTS (selected):

Nurse Practitioner Program Coordinator

2005 to 2006

Responsible for curriculum, faculty assignments, student recruitment, admission and progression policies; faculty for theory, professional issues, and preceptorship courses.

Interim Chair, Department of Social Work

2005 to 2006

Responsible for all chair duties: budget management, development and accounting; faculty evaluation; class scheduling and faculty teaching assignments; representing the Social Work Department at College and University meetings; development, evaluation, and reporting of accomplishments of strategic plans.

Master's Program Coordinator

1993 to 2005

Responsible for course curriculum development and Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board proposal (justification of need, funding sources, student pool, faculty availability and qualifications); faculty assignments; student recruitment, admission, and policies; accreditation reports; and budgetary requests and justifications.

Office of Biomedical Research Resources Advisory Committee

2000 to 2006

Member. Responsible for advisement for the Sponsored Research Infrastructure Program (SRIP) with the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to increase and foster biomedical and behavioral science research at UTPA.

FUNDED RESEARCH AND GRANT PROPOSALS:

CVD Risk and Health Promotion of University Personnel, submitted to the Sponsored Research Infrastructure Program, UTPA, February 2002. Funded for \$7,000.

Health Promotion for University Personnel Grant, submitted to the Sponsored Research Infrastructure Program, UTPA, February 2001. Funded for \$6,500.

Family Nurse Practitioner Advanced Nurse Education Program Grant, submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services Bureau of Health Professions/HRSA, January 2000. Funded for \$742,365.

Master of Science in Nursing Advanced Nurse Education Continuation Grant, submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services Bureau of Health Professions/HRSA, Title VIII, Section, January, 1996. Funded for \$321,000.

El Progreso Sano, Colonia Outreach Project, submitted to the Community Outreach Partnership Center, 1995. Funded for \$12,000.

Master of Science in Nursing Advanced Nurse Education Grant, submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services Bureau of Health Professions/HRSA, Title VIII, Section 821, June, 1993. Funded for \$540,000.

Cancer Detection and Prevention Program Grant. Submitted to the Nurse Oncology Education Program of the Texas Cancer Council 1991. Funded for \$2085.

Texas Adolescent Pregnancy (TAP) Project, submitted to NIH as part of a research center proposal 1991, co-written with the Texas Consortium for Nurse Faculty Researchers. Funded for \$29,000.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

- Tucker, B. (2008). Promoting health of the mother and infant. In J. Maville and C. Huerta (Eds.), *Health promotion in nursing* (Chapter 9). Albany, NY: Delmar.
- Tucker, B. (2008). Promoting health of the child. In J. Maville and C. Huerta, (Eds.), *Health promotion in nursing* (Chapter 10). Albany, NY: Delmar.
- Tucker, B. (2008). Promoting health of the adolescent and young adult. In J. Maville and C. Huerta, (Eds.), *Health promotion in nursing* (Chapter 11). Albany, NY: Delmar.
- Burnette, B., & Tucker, B. (2005). Collaboration, continuity, compliance: Two Fellows “share” their experiences. *Journal of the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners*, 17(2), 45-46.
- Maville, J., Kranz, P., & Tucker, B. (2004). Perceived stress reported by nurse practitioner students. *Journal of the American Academy of Nurse Practitioner*, 16(6), 257-262 .
- Tucker, B. (2002). Promoting health of the infant and child. In J. Maville and C. Huerta, (Eds.), *Health promotion in nursing* (Chapter 9, pp. 162-186.). Albany, NY: Delmar.
- Tucker, B. (2002). Promoting health in the adolescent and young adult. In J. Maville and C. Huerta, (Eds.), *Health promotion in nursing* (Chapter 10, pp. 187-213.). Albany, NY: Delmar.

RECENT INTERNATIONAL, NATIONAL, AND STATE PRESENTATIONS:

- 12/07/06 Perceived Stress Reported by Nurse Practitioner Students. Nell Hodgson School of Nursing, Emory University. Atlanta, Georgia.
- 10/20/06 Perceived Stress Reported by Nurse Practitioner Students. University of Texas-Arlington School of Nursing. Arlington, Texas.
- 2/8/04 Views from the State and Group Affiliates: Successes and Challenges. 2004 American College of Nurse Practitioner National Summit. Washington, DC.
- 7/16/03 Legislative and Policy Involvement in Nursing Practice. Louise Herrington School of Nursing. Dallas, Texas.
- 2/4/03 Art and Science of Removing Policy Barriers to NP Practice (with Catherine Wright). American College of Nurse Practitioners National Summit. Washington, DC.
- 11/21/02 Professionalism in Nursing Practice. Annual Fall Symposium. Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing. Lubbock, Texas
- 10/10/02 Operationalization of a Health Promotion Model in an At-Risk University Population. 7th Biennial University of Texas System Border Health Symposium. South Padre Island, Texas
- 10/28/00 Educating for Cultural Competence. Innovative Education for the New Century. Annual Conference of Villanova and Rutgers. St Louis, Missouri.
- 4/16/99 Cultural Competence Along the Texas-Mexico Border. National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties Annual Conference, San Francisco, California.

6/4/98 Quality Health Promotion: A Collaborative Approach. United States-Mexico Border Health Association Annual Meeting. Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico.

HONORS:

Professor Emeritus, University of Texas-Pan American, 2008

Selected as Fellow of the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners, 2004.

President, Texas Nurse Practitioners, 2000-2002.

Outstanding Faculty Award for Scholarship/Research, University of Texas-Pan American, 1993

University of Texas-Pan American Leadership Program, 1991

Sigma Theta Tau International, Nursing Honor Society