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# **Objective**

• To work as an instructional designer, analyzing, designing, developing, implementing and evaluating training/instructional programs.

# **Education**

## M.S. Instructional Technology May 2008

University of North Carolina Wilmington

GPA: 4.0

## **Associates in Applied Science** June 1983

Major: Respiratory Therapy

Piedmont Virginia Community College, Charlottesville, VA

Graduated with High Honors

#### **B.S. Home Economics** December 1974

University of North Carolina Greensboro

## **Professional Experience**

#### **Training and Support Specialist**

New Hanover Regional Medical Center, Wilmington, NC

Information Systems (March 2007 – present)

• Involved in the design, development and implementation of training/instructional programs for clinical staff in computer-based charting applications, new and upgrades.

#### **Pulmonary Rehabilitation Therapist**

### New Hanover Regional Medical Center, Wilmington, NC

Pulmonary Rehabilitation Services (August 2004 – March 2007)

- Patient education, classroom and one-to-one
- Designed and developed patient education materials
- Staff education coordinator; BCLS instructor
- Coordinated and maintain data base for program outcome measurements

## **Pulmonary Rehabilitation Therapist**

Cape Fear Valley Health System, Fayetteville, NC 28302

Cardiopulmonary Services (September 1996 – July 2004)

- Coordinates education classes with Pulmonary Rehabilitation Department; teaching respiratory related classes.
- Designed and developed patient education materials; BCLS instructor
- Board Member of the American Lung Association 2002;
- Member of the Cumberland County Asthma Alliance 2003
- Smoking cessation instructor

#### **Pulmonary Rehabilitation Therapist**

Saint Mary's Hospital, Manhattan, KS 66502

Cardiopulmonary ((September 1995 – August 1996)

- Coordinates education classes for Pulmonary Rehabilitation Department, teaching respiratory related classes.
- Designed and developed patient education materials
- General duties for a 100 bed community hospital including critical care, emergency room, pulmonary function testing, patient education and general floor care

## **Pulmonary Rehabilitation Therapist**

Martha Jefferson Hospital, Charlottesville, VA 22902

Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Services, (January 1987 – June 1995)

- Coordinates education classes with Pulmonary Rehabilitation Department, teaching respiratory related classes.
- Designed and developed patient education materials
- Involved in production of the quarterly newsletter, *Fresh Air*, and facilitated monthly meetings of our *Better Breathers Support Group*.

#### **Respiratory Therapist**

Martha Jefferson Hospital, Charlottesville, VA 22902

Respiratory Care, (October 1984 – January 1987)

• General duties for a 200 bed community hospital including critical care, emergency room, pulmonary function testing, patient education and general floor care.

#### **Respiratory Therapist**

Leigh Valley Hospital Center, Allentown, PA 18105

Respiratory Care, (March 1984 – June 1984)

• General respiratory care duties for a large trauma center.

#### **Respiratory Therapist**

Martha Jefferson Hospital, Charlottesville, VA 22902

Respiratory Care, (March 1983 – February 1984)

• General duties for a 200 bed community hospital including critical care, emergency room, pulmonary function testing, patient education and general floor care.

# **Current Certifications**

• Certified Asthma Educator

## **Software Skills**

- Microsoft Word
- Microsoft Excel
- Microsoft PowerPoint
- Microsoft Project
- Inspiration
- Macromedia Dreamweaver
- Macromedia Fireworks
- Macromedia Flash