

# CURRICULUM VITAE

Sarah McVeigh, DNP, GCNS-BC, RN  
Lecturer  
376 CNB

## EDUCATION

- Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)** December 2018  
*Pennsylvania State University, World Campus*  
DNP Project:  
*Implementation of a Feedback Process to Improve Sepsis Bundle Compliance*
- Master of Science in Nursing (MSN), Clinical Nurse Specialist Option** May 2008  
*Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA*  
Minor: Gerontology
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)** May 2006  
*Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA*

## LICENSURE

- Registered Nurse** 2006-Present  
Iowa License #152066  
Pennsylvania #RN574640

## CERTIFICATIONS

- Gerontological Clinical Nurse Specialist** June 2009-Present  
American Nursing Credentialing Center (ANCC)  
Certification #2009003141

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Academic Appointments

**University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA** August 2018-Present  
*Lecturer*

- Instructional track lecturer in the BSN program
- Teaching assignments in the areas of med-surg, geriatrics, and senior internship.

**Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA** January 2011- June 2018  
*Instructor*

- Instructor in the BSN program at main campus.
- Teaching assignments included clinical, simulation, and didactic instruction in the areas of fundamentals, med-surg, professional development, and senior capstone in the BSN program
- Assignments included teaching in online RN-BSN program as needed in the areas of nursing informatics, family and community health concepts, and health concepts for adults with complex health needs

2-25-2020

**Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA**

January 2008-May 2009

*Adjunct Instructor*

- Clinical instructor for fundamentals course in the BSN program.

**Administrative Appointments**

**Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA**

August 2015-June 2018

Campus Coordinator

- Administrative position responsible for coordinating the undergraduate BSN program at University Park location
- Coordination included determining teaching assignments for faculty, identifying faculty development opportunities, and coordinating with clinical sites
- Served as a resource for both faculty and students related to issues and concerns
- Facilitated recruitment, interviewing, orientation and development of new faculty
- Active role in strategic planning and BSN program evaluation

**Clinical Appointments**

**Mount Nittany Medical Center, State College, PA**

May 2011- December 2016

*Per-Diem Registered Nurse*

- Provide care for patients on medical/surgical/orthopedic unit

**Union Hospital, Elkton, MD**

October 2009- December 2010

*Adult Clinical Nurse Specialist*

- Served as a clinical resource and mentor for nursing staff on ICU, PCU, Med/Surg and Observation units.
- Assisted in nursing competencies utilizing simulation and concept map sessions
- Promoted the use of evidence based practice through the changing of policies and procedures
- Coordinated the in-patient wound care program
- Co-Chair of the Nursing Quality and Research Council

**HealthSouth Nittany Valley, Pleasant Gap, PA**

May 2008- October 2009

*Education Coordinator*

- Assisted in the needs assessment, planning, implementation and evaluation of nursing specific education programs
- Functioned as the primary nurse educator
- Assisted in the orientation and mentoring of new nursing staff
- Developed and implemented a Charge Nurse Training Program
- Served on the Patient Experience Group

**Mount Nittany Medical Center, State College, PA**

June 2006- February 2009

*Per-Diem Registered Nurse*

- Provide care for patients on medical/surgical/orthopedic unit

## SCHOLARSHIP

### Publications

**McVeigh, S. E.** (2020). Sepsis Management in the Emergency Department. *Nursing Clinics of North America*, 55(1), 71–79. <https://doi-org.proxy.lib.uiowa.edu/10.1016/j.cnur.2019.10.009>

**McVeigh, S.**, Jablonski, R., Penrod, J. (2009). Strategies for Improving Family Satisfaction with Long-Term Care facilities: Direct Care and Family-Staff Interactions. *Annals of Long-Term Care: Clinical Care and Aging*, 17(4), 25-28.

### Research Projects

*Research Assistant* October 2016-March 2017  
Sliwinski, M. J., Lorek, A. E., Hill, N., **McVeigh, S.** (Research Assistant), Grant, "Project 5, Improving Healthy Lifestyles for Older Adults," Mid-Atlantic Geriatric Workforce Development Center, Federal Agencies. Amount Funded: \$96249. 2015 - 2019

- Facilitated two sessions of the Improving Healthy Lifestyles for Older Adults
- Recruited and oriented participants to the program, assisted in pre/post testing, facilitated group discussions.

*Research Assistant* August 2006- May 2008

Quality of Life Study

- Research assistant on a NIH funded study headed by Dr. Ann Kolanowski
- Conducted chart reviews, patient screenings, patient observations and implementation of patient specific interventions

### Research and Clinical Presentations

Local Presentations:

**McVeigh, S.** "Implementation of a Feedback Process to Improve Sepsis Bundle Compliance"  
6<sup>th</sup> Annual Quality and Safety Symposium. Iowa City, IA.

Poster Presentation

November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018

**McVeigh, S.** "What to Know About Sepsis"

Clinton County Community Center

Roundtable discussion

October 11, 2017

**McVeigh, S.** "Workplace Civility: Enhancing Job Satisfaction," Alumni Weekend: Critical Discussions Luncheon, Penn State CON Alumni Association, Penn State CON.

April 2, 2016

2-25-2020

**McVeigh, S., Clark, D.** “Bringing Simulation to Life: Integrating ‘Live’ Patients into a Five Patient Simulation Scenario.” Invited podium presentation for the Transformative Teaching and Learning Conference by the Schreyer Institute for Teaching Excellence. State College, PA, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015

National Presentation:

**McVeigh, S., Clark, D.** “Bringing Simulation to Life: Integrating ‘Live’ Patients into a Five Patient Simulation Scenario.” Peer reviewed podium presentation for ANCC’s 2014 Baccalaureate Education Conference. Baltimore, Maryland.  
November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2014.

## **SERVICE**

### **Collegiate Service**

#### **University of Iowa, College of Nursing**

- BSN Admissions Committee
  - Member Fall 2020-2023
- MSN Second Degree Program Development Task Force
  - Member Fall 2020-Present

#### **Pennsylvania State University, College of Nursing**

- Academic Integrity Committee
  - Member September 2013- May 2018
  - Chair September 2015-May 2018
- ATI Committee
  - Chair February 2015-present
- BSN Council.
  - Member, September 2013-May 2018;
  - Chair, January 2016-May 2018
- Diversity Committee
  - Member September 2011-September 2013

### **Community Service**

Patient Safety Committee, Community Member June 2011-June 2018.  
HealthSouth Nittany Valley Rehabilitation Hospital in Pleasant Gap, PA.

## **TEACHING**

#### **University of Iowa, Iowa City**

##### **Course Instruction:**

- Nurs 3625, Gerontological Nursing Practicum. Clinical and Seminar Instruction. BSN Program. Fall 2020, Spring 2021
- Nurs 4155, Senior Internship. Clinical and Seminar Instruction. BSN Program. Fall 2020, Spring 2021
- Nurs 3518, Pathology. Online Instruction. RN-BSN program. Fall 2020

- Nurs 3615, Adult Medical/Surgical Nursing Practicum. Clinical Instruction. BSN Program. Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020

## **Pennsylvania State University**

### **Course Instruction:**

- Nurs 230, Introduction to the Fundamentals of Nursing. BSN Program. Classroom instruction- Spring Semesters of 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018. Clinical Instruction- Spring Semesters of 2011, 2012, 2013.
- Nurs 301, Nursing Care of the Adult Client Requiring Medical-Surgical Intervention. BSN Program. Classroom instruction. Fall 2011.
- Nurs 357, Introduction to Nursing Informatics. Online instruction in RN-BSN program. Summer 2012, Summer 2013, Summer and Fall Semesters of 2014, Summer 2015, Summer 2017
- Nurs 405A, Nursing Care of the Adult Client with Complex Health Problems: Part A. BSN Program. Classroom instruction. Fall Semesters of 2011, 2012. Clinical Instruction Fall Semesters of 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018
- Nurs 417, Family and Community Health Concepts. Online instruction in RN-BSN program. Fall 2015, Fall 2016
- Nurs 430, Organization and Administration for the Nurse Manager. Online instruction. Summer 2018.
- Nurs 450A, Professional Role Development III: Leadership and Management. BSN Program. Classroom instruction Fall Semesters of 2015, 2016
- Nurs 450B, Professional Role Development III: Clinical Capstone. BSN Program. Classroom and clinical instruction Spring Semester of 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
- Nurs 465, Health Concepts for Adults with Complex Health Care Needs. Online instruction in RN-BSN program. Spring 2014