

## **BEATRICE ANNE CROFTS YORKER**

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### EDUCATION:

- J.D. GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, College of Law. Juris Doctor degree, 1988.
- M.S. UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, San Francisco. M.S. degree in Nursing. Major in Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Nursing, Minor in Education, 1978.
- B.S. INDIANA UNIVERSITY. B.S. degree in Nursing, 1975.

### LICENSURE:

Licensed as a Registered Nurse in the State of California, 1975-78, and 2001-present. Licensed as a Registered Nurse in the State of Georgia, 1978-2002.

Licensed to practice Law in the State of Georgia, 1989-2002.

### EMPLOYMENT:

- DEAN & PROFESSOR CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES, College of Health and Human Services. Appointments in the School of Criminal Justice & Criminalistics and in the School of Nursing, 2005-present.
- DIRECTOR & PROFESSOR SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY, School of Nursing 2001 to 2005.
- REGISTERED NURSE SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL HOSPITAL, Department of Psychiatry, part-time on five in-patient units and Psychiatric Emergency Services, 2002-2005.
- PROFESSOR GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, School of Nursing, 1999 to 2001.
- ASSOCIATE PROVOST GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, Associate Provost for Faculty Relations 1994 to 1998.
- ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR MOREHOUSE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, Voluntary Faculty Department of Pediatrics, 1997-2001.
- DEPARTMENT CHAIR GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, Department of Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, 1987-1994.
- ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, School of Nursing, 1992-1999.

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ASSISTANT PROFESSOR	GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, Department of Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, 1986-1992.
CONSULTATION/ LIAISON	GRADY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Coordinator of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Consultation, Liaison Services, 1985. Functioned as a part-time Clinical Specialist in Child Mental Health Nursing, 1983-1985.
ADMINISTRATOR	GEORGIA MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTE, Administrator in Charge. Functioned as part-time evening administrator for State psychiatric facility, 1983-1985.
EVALUATOR	NEW YORK REGENTS COLLEGE DEGREE PROGRAM, Southern Performance Assessment Center, evaluated clinical performance examinations in nursing one weekend per month, 1981 to 1991.
DIRECTOR OF NURSING	EMORY UNIVERSITY HEALTH SERVICES, Supervised a staff of 24 Nurses and Nurse Practitioners. Provided direct care to student and faculty clients. Performed physical assessment and crisis intervention, 1981-1983.
STAFF NURSE	PROFESSIONAL REGISTRY FOR THE NORTHSIDE, INC. Provided float pool staff nursing on a variety of medical/surgical floors at Emory Hospital and Rehabilitation Center, part-time, 1978-1981.
INSTRUCTOR	EMORY UNIVERSITY, Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing. Undergraduate and Graduate faculty member, 1978-1981.
REGISTERED NURSE	SAINT MARY'S HOSPITAL, San Francisco. Child-Psychiatric Unit, 1977-1978.  PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, San Francisco. Emergency Psychiatric Unit, 1976-1977.  LANGLEY PORTER NEUROPSYCHIATRIC INSTITUTE, San Francisco. In-patient treatment and research unit, 1975-1976.
GRADUATE NURSE	INDIANA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL, Indianapolis, IN. Medical/psychiatric unit, 1975.

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PUBLICATIONS:

**Articles in Refereed Journals:**

Yeh MY; Sung SC; Yorker BC; Sun CC; Kuo YL (2008) Predictors of adherence to an antidepressant medication regimen among patients diagnosed with depression in Taiwan. Issues in Mental Health Nursing 29(7): 701-17

Bursch B; Schreier HA; Ayoub CC; Libow JA; Sanders MJ; Yorker, BC. (2008) Further thoughts on "Beyond Munchausen by proxy: identification and treatment of child abuse in a medical setting". Pediatrics 121(2): 444-5; author reply 445

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Reprinted in 2008 Journal of Healthcare Protection Management (publication of the International Association for Hospital Security) 24(1): 63-77

Sung, S, Hixson, A., Yorker, B.C., (2004) Pre-discharge psycho-educational needs in Taiwan: Comparisons of psychiatric patients, relatives, and professionals. Issues in Mental Health Nursing. 25:579-588.

Yorker, B.C., Kelley, S.J. (2003) Case law regarding nurses as expert witnesses in child abuse. Issues in Mental Health Nursing 24:639-645.

Ayoub, C., Alexander, R., Beck, D., Bursch, B., Feldman, K., Libow, J., Sanders, M., Schreier, H., Yorker, B. (2002) Position paper: Definitional issues in Munchausen by Proxy. Child Maltreatment 7:105-111.

Kelley, S.J., Yorker, B.C., Whitley, D., Sipe, T.A. (2001) A multimodal intervention for grandparents raising grandchildren: Results of an exploratory study. Child Welfare LXXX(1):27-50.

Kelley, S.J., Whitley, D., Sipe, T.A., Yorker, B.C., (2000) Psychological distress in Grandmother kinship care providers: The role of resources, social support, and physical health. Child Abuse and Neglect. 24(3):311-321.

Whitley, D. M., White, K. R., Kelley, S. J., Yorker, B. (1999) Strengths-based case management: The application to grandparents raising grandchildren. Families in Society. 80(2):110-119.

Goldman, L. H. & Yorker, B. (1999) Mommie Dearest? A prosecutor's guide to Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy. Criminal Justice. 13(4):26-33.

Yorker, B. C. (1998) Liability associated with factitious disorders. Journal of Nursing Law. 5(4):7-22.

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Yorker, B.C. (1997) Institutional liability for children who molest other children. American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children- Advisor 10(4):9-15.

Kelley, S.J. & Yorker, B.C. (1997)“To Grandmother’s house we go...and stay”: Children raised in intergenerational families, Journal of Gerontological Nursing. 23(9):12-20.

Kelley, S.J., Yorker, B. (1997) The role of non-physician health care providers in the physical assessment and diagnosis of suspected child maltreatment: Results of a national survey. Child Maltreatment. 2(4):331-340.

Wilson, A. & Yorker, B. (1997) Fears of medical events among school age children with emotional disorders, parents, and health care providers. Issues in Mental Health Nursing. 18:57-71.

Jackson, C., Yorker, B., Mitchem, P. (1996) Teaching cultural diversity in a virtual classroom. Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing.9(4):40-42.

King, G. & Yorker, B. (1996). Case studies of ritualistic child abuse. Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health nursing. 9 (2):18-26.

Yorker, B.C. (1995) Covert video surveillance of Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy: The exigent circumstances exception. Health Matrix: Journal of Law - Medicine Case Western Reserve University Law Review. 5(2): 325-346

Yorker, B. (1995) Liability issues for nurses who work with psychiatric mental health patients. Journal of Nursing Law. 2(4):7-20.

Yorker, B. C. (1994). Munchausen syndrome by proxy as a form of family violence. Family Violence & Sexual Assault Bulletin. 10(3) 34-39.

Yorker, B. (1994). Providing testimony for a legal deposition. AAOHN Journal, (American Association of Occupational Health Nurses) 42(12): 601-609.

Yorker, B. (1994). An analysis of murder charges against nurses. Journal of Nursing Law 1(3): 35-46.

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Farkas, G. & Yorker, B. (1993). Case studies using bibliotherapy with children in a homeless shelter. Issues in Mental Health Nursing, 14(4), 337-347.

Yorker, B. (1993). Occupational safety and health reform: An interview with Patrick Tyson. AAOHN Journal, 41(8), 396-401.

McRae, J. & Yorker, B. (1993). Update on the Americans with Disabilities Act for occupational health nurses. AAOHN Journal, 41(5), 250-257.

Yorker, B. & Kahan, B. (1991). The Munchausen syndrome by proxy variant of child abuse in the family courts. Journal of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, 42(3), 51-58.

Rayburn, S., & Yorker, B. (1991). Maternal rights in the workplace. AAOHN Journal, 39(11).

Kahan, B. & Yorker, B. (1991). Munchausen syndrome by proxy: Clinical review and legal issues. Behavioral Sciences and the Law, 9(3), 73-83.

Yorker, B. (1989). Scope of practice: Case law. AAOHN Journal 37(2), 80-81.

Yorker, B. & Kahan, B. (1990). Munchausen syndrome by proxy as a form of child abuse. Archives of Psychiatric Nursing, 4(5), 313-318.

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Kahan, B. & Yorker, B. (1990). Munchausen syndrome by proxy. Journal of School Health, 60(3), 108-110.

Warren, C. & Yorker, B. (1989). Coping with cutbacks in psychiatric nursing education. Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing 2(4), 163-165.

Yorker, B.(1989).Informed consent. Journal of Neuroscience Nursing, 21(2): 130- 132.

Chally, P. & Yorker, B. (1989). Legal parameters of nursing practice. Journal of Neuroscience Nursing, 21(8), 258-260.

Yorker, B. (1988). AIDS testing: A legal perspective on testing in the workplace. AAOHN Journal, 36(5), 231-232.

Yorker, B. (1988). The prosecution of child sexual abuse cases: Legal issues related to child advocacy. Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, 1(2), 50-57.

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Yorker, B. (1988). Confidentiality - An ethical dilemma: Balancing the "duty to warn" against the right to privacy. AAOHN Journal, 36(8), 346-347.

Yorker, B. (1988). Providing testimony: Acting as a witness in legal proceedings. AAOHN Journal, 36(11), 479-482.

**Chapters in edited Books:** Yorker, B.C. (2005) Serial Murder in Hospitals. Chapter in: Lynch, V., Editor Forensic Nursing: Essentials for Career Development and Clinical Practice. Elsevier Publishing, Philadelphia, PA.

Laben, J. K. & Yorker, B.C. (1997) Legal issues in advanced practice mental health nursing. In: Burgess, A. W. Advanced Practice in Psychiatric Nursing. Stamford, CT: Appleton & Lange.

Yorker, B.C. (1996). Hospital epidemics of Factitious Disorder by Proxy. In: Feldman, M. & Eisendrath, S. The Spectrum of Factitious Disorders. Washington, DC: American Psychiatric Press, Inc.

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*Book Reviews of Spectrum of Factitious Disorders:*

Pankratz, L. (1997) in: The New England Journal of Medicine, 335(26):2003-4

Folks, D.G. (1997) in: Psychiatric Services, 48(12):1603

Yorker, B.C. (1993). Child Psychiatric Nursing. In: Taylor, C. (Ed.). Essentials of Psychiatric Nursing. St. Louis, MO: C. V. Mosby.

Yorker, B.C.(1993). Family law. In: Fawcett, C. (Ed.) Family psychiatric nursing. St. Louis, MO: C.V. Mosby.

Yorker, B.C. (1991) Legal and ethical aspects of child psychiatric nursing. In: Clunn, P. (Ed.) Child psychiatric nursing. St. Louis, MO: C.V. Mosby.

Johnson, P. & Yorker, B.C. (1991). Legal issues in adolescent psychiatric nursing. In: Hogarth, C. Adolescent Psychiatric Nursing. St. Louis: C.V. Mosby.

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**Editorials:** Yorker, B. C. (2003) Guest Editorial for the theme issue on forensic nursing and violence Issues in Mental Health Nursing 24:593.

Yorker, B. (1997) Editor's note on: Early recollections: A source of healing and encouragement with older persons. Directions in Gerontological Nursing. 3(5)

Yorker, B. (1977) Editor's note on: Symptom Management and Relapse Prevention: A Wellness Approach. Directions in Psychiatric Nursing. 2(2)

Yorker, B. (1995) Editor's note on: Diagnosis and Management of Anxiety Disorders in Children and Adolescents. Directions in Psychiatric Nursing. 1(2)

**Proceedings:** Wilson, A. H. & Yorker, B. C. (1995) Use of the child medical fear scale (CMFS) among school-age children with emotional disorders. The Proceedings of Nursing Care of Children and Their Families: Changing Practice, Changing Roles and Changing Environments. Society of Pediatric Nurses, Washington, DC (refereed).

**Articles in non-refereed Publications:** Yorker, B. (1998) DFCS needs therapists who can treat Munchausen by Proxy. Georgia Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Newsletter. May, p.3-6.

Yorker, B. (1996) Nurses in Georgia care for survivors of sexual assault. Georgia Nursing, 56(1), 5-6.

Yorker, B. (1996) Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners: A SANE approach to rape and violence. Pulse Magazine, 5(1), 8-9.

Yorker, B. (1994). Medical Futility - The legal and ethical issues. Pulse Magazine, 3(11), 6-7.

Yorker, B. (1992). Elements of a malpractice lawsuit. Pulse Magazine, 1(2), 6-7.

Kendall, J. & Yorker, B. (1988). Child and adolescent psychiatric mental health nursing in Georgia. Georgia Nursing, XLVII(5), 9.

**Book**

**Reviews:** Yorker, B.C. (2006) Forensic Nursing. Review of three texts. Journal of Forensic Science. 51:1438-1439.

Yorker, B.C. (2003) The Wind Catches You and You Fall Down. By Anne Fadiman. In the CAPSAC Advisor

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Yorker, B.C. (1999) Touched. By Scott Campbell. In the Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Nursing. 12(1): \_\_\_\_.

Jackson, C. & Yorker, B. (1992). Children of chemically dependent parents in the Journal of Psychosocial Nursing, 30(4), 38.

**Poems:** Yorker, B. "The Rain and Their Dreams" in The Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychopharmacology, 1(4), 297, 1991.

*Reprinted* in the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill, Children and Adolescents Network Newsletter, Vol. 2(2), 1992.

*Also reprinted* in Styles, M., & Moccia, P. (Eds.). On Nursing: A Literary Celebration. New York: National League for Nursing, 1993.

Crofts, B. "Cancer Ward" in Birthstone, San Francisco, West Coast Print Center, 1978.

**Editorial Boards:** Editorial Board of the Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, 1988-present. Section Editor for "Cultural Perspectives", 1997 to 1999

Editorial Board of the Journal of Nursing Law, 1993-present.

Editorial Board of Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment & Trauma, 1997-present. Associate Editor for Nursing, APSAC Advisor(American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children), 1996-present.

Editorial Board of Directions in Psychiatric Nursing, 1994-2000

Section Editor for "Legal Issues" in the American Association of Occupational Health Nurses (AAOHN) Journal, 1989-1994.

Editorial Board of Directions in Gerontological Nursing, 1997-2000

Reviewer for Journal of Forensic Sciences, 2006 - present.

Reviewer for Homicide Studies, 1996 - present.

PAPERS & SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS: (selected)

**International:** Legal and Ethical Issues of Covert Video Surveillance of Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy presented at the XVIIth ISPCAN International Congress on Child Abuse and Neglect, Hong Kong, SAR China, 2008

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The related factors of adherence among depressive outpatients in Taiwan  
Su-Ching Sung, Mei-Yu Yeh, Beatrice Yorker, 18th International Nursing  
Research Congress Focusing on Evidence-Based Practice, Vienna, Austria, 2007

Covert Video Surveillance of Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy in a Pediatric Hospital  
Setting presented at the XVIth International Society for the Prevention of Child Abuse  
and Neglect (ISPCAN), York, England, 2006, the International Association of  
Forensic Nurses, Vancouver, BC, 2006, and XVth Congress ISPCAN, Durban, South  
Africa, 2000.

Stresses and Resources of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren: Results of a  
Multimodal Intervention Program presented at the Global Nursing Perspectives,  
Rome, Italy, 2003 (refereed)

A National Survey of Prosecutors Regarding Physical Examinations of Child Abuse  
by Non-physicians presented with Kelley, S.J. at the International Society for the  
Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect, Durban, South Africa, 2000 (refereed)

Stressors and Coping of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren presented with Kelley,  
S. J. at the Third International Conference of the Global Network of WHO  
Collaborating Centres for Nursing and Midwifery. Manchester, UK 2000 (refereed)

Serial Murder in hospitals and Perceptions of Child Advocacy Centers Regarding  
Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference in  
Clinical Forensic Medicine of the World Police Medical Officers, Vancouver, Canada,  
1999, (refereed)

Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy in Professional Settings: Nurses Accused of Murder,  
presented at SECAD/98 An International Conference for Alcohol and Drug Addiction  
Professionals, Atlanta, GA, 1998 (invited)

Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy in Professional Settings: Forensic Assessment of  
Danger, presented at the Sixth International Congress on Mental Health Nursing,  
London, 1997 (refereed)

Preventing Child Abuse and Neglect by Supporting Grandparents Raising  
Grandchildren: A Nursing Intervention Study, presented with Kelley, S. At the  
Sixth International Congress on Mental Health Nursing, London, 1997 (refereed)

Nurse Protocol for the Prevention and Treatment of Child Abuse, presented at  
Symposium on Intersectoral Approach to Management of Child Abuse hosted by  
the Regional Director, Department of Health, Durban Functional Region,  
University of Durban, Westfall, South Africa, 1997 (invited)

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- National:** Serial Murder by Healthcare Providers presented at the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, San Antonio, TX, 2007, (refereed) the Hospital Association Work group on Malicious Healthcare Providers, Chicago, IL, 2005, and the International Association of Forensic Nurses conference, Chicago, IL, 2004.
- Covert Video Surveillance of Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy presented at San Diego Childrens' Hospital Conference on Child Maltreatment, San Diego, 2005.
- Expert Testimony in Child Abuse Cases presented at the National Child Advocacy Center Conference, Huntsville, AL, 2004, invited
- Serial Murder in Hospitals, presented at the Forensic Nursing Clinical Update 2001, Phoenix, AZ (invited)
- Crime in the Hospital and the Community: Serial Murder in Hospitals. American Academy of Nursing Meeting and Conference, 2000, San Diego, CA. (refereed)
- Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy Plenary session at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Northern New England Conference on Child Maltreatment, Portland ME, 1999. (invited)
- Investigation, Prosecution & Evidence Collection: How Law Enforcement, Legal and Medical Service Professionals Should Work Together Advanced Training Institute with Johnson, M. and Lamb, N. presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Training Symposium of the Georgia Council on Child Abuse, Atlanta, GA, 1999 (invited).
- Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy: Definitional Issues presented with Ayoub, C. at the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Colloquium of the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, San Antonio, TX, 1999 (refereed)
- Professionals who create critical incidents: Epidemics of Factitious Disorders in Hospitals. Presented at the International Association of Forensic Nurses conference, Pittsburgh, PA 1998 (refereed)
- Attitudes toward non-physician providers of child sexual abuse examinations: Results of two national surveys. Presented with Ferrell, J. & Kelley, S. at the International Association of Forensic Nurses conference, Pittsburgh, PA 1998, (refereed)
- The Relationship Between Asthma Self-Regulation, Family Functioning, Age, Severity and Triggers of Asthma presented with A.L. Campbell at the National Association of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Nurses Conference, Atlanta, GA 1998 (refereed)

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Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS), Suffocation, and Munchausen by Proxy presented with C. Ayoub and R. Reece at the APSAC Colloquium, Chicago, 1998.

Committing to Teaching and Learning and Doing Something About It. Presented with L. Williams, L. Wachniak, D. Graf, and P. Colbenson. AAHE National Conference on Higher Education. Atlanta, GA, 1998 (refereed)

Cross Cultural Exchange with Child Abuse Professionals in South Africa presented with Kelley, S. at the National Association of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Nurses, Philadelphia, PA, 1997. (refereed)

Physician and Non Physician Abuse Examiners: Practice Roles, Standards, and System Issues, with Kelley, S., Block, R., Ferrell, J. and Wilson, C. at the Fifth National Colloquium of the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, Miami, FL, 1997. (refereed)

Coordinated Interdisciplinary Approaches to Factitious Disorder by Proxy, with Ayoub, C., Rainey, R., Alexander, R., and Schrier, H. at the Colloquium of the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, Miami, FL, 1997 (refereed)

Post-Tenure Review: Experiences from the Front, presented at the Fifth AAHE Conference on Faculty Roles and Rewards, San Diego, 1997 (invited)

Transforming Faculty Development through the World Wide Web, presented with Williams, P. At the Fifth AAHE Conference on Faculty Roles and Rewards, San Diego, 1997 (refereed)

Children Raised in Intergenerational Families, in session titled "Alternative Family Structures: Blessings and Burdens" with Kelley, S.J. presented at the American Academy of Nursing Annual Meeting and Conference, Orlando, FL 1996 (refereed)

Legal Issues of Covert Video Surveillance of Factitious Disorder by Proxy. Presented at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Philadelphia, PA, 1996 (refereed)

Transcending the Classroom: Educational Uses of Synchronous Computer-Mediated Communication. With Harris, L., presented as a "Project Information Exchange" at the EDUCOM '96 conference. Information Technology: Transcending Traditional Boundaries. Philadelphia, PA, 1996 (refereed)

Using a MOO to Enhance Teaching and Learning about Cultural Diversity. Presented at the 2nd Annual AAHE Teaching Learning and Technology Summer Institute, Scottsdale, AZ, 1996 (refereed)

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Case Studies of Bibliotherapy with Homeless Children with G. Farkas presented at the Ninth Nursing Research Day hosted by the Louisiana State University Medical Center and Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society, New Orleans, LA ,1995. (refereed)

Access Issues: Who Can Administer Influenza and Pneumococcal Vaccines, and Who is Eligible for Medicare Reimbursement? Presented at the "Improving the Performance of Influenza and Pneumococcal Vaccines in Adults Conference", Washington, D.C. 1995. (invited)

Alternatives to Seclusion and Restraint: An Intervention Study poster session presented with G. Walker-Burt, L. Butts, E. Nemuth & S. Wilson at the Association of Child & Adolescent Psychiatric Nurses, Orlando, FL 1995 (refereed)

### FUNDED GRANTS:

Satellite BSN Program at Cañada College, PI. Funded for \$7.5 million over six years with continuation option for \$10 million over ten years by Sequoia Healthcare District, 2004-2011.

Training 250 Clinical Nurse Educators in the San Francisco Bay Area. Approved for \$250,000 in funding by the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation, 2005-2006.

Foster Care Nurses' Training, PI, funded by the California Child Health Division for \$198,000 2001-2003. Collaborative with School of Nursing and Bay Area Academy, SFSU.

A Randomized Clinical Trial of *Meridia* in the Treatment of Binge Eating Disorder. Lilenfeld, L., Principal Investigator. Funded for \$100,000 by Knoll Pharmaceuticals, 2000-2001 (5% release time)

Impact of STARBRIGHT WORLD with Inner City, Minority Children with Chronic Health Problems. Co Principal Investigator with Alexander, R. Funded for \$5,000. by Healthcare Initiatives Foundation, Steven Spielberg, CEO, 2000.

Neglected Children in Intergenerational Kinship Care. Kelley, S.J., Principal Investigator, funded through 2001 for \$750,000 by the National Center for Child Abuse and Neglect, DHHS, 1996-2001. (20% release time)

Project Healthy Grandparents' Children's Program, S.J. Kelley, Project Director, Funded for \$310,100 from the Goizuetta Foundation 1999-2001 (5% release time)

Project Healthy Grandparents' Children's Program, S.J. Kelley, Project Director, Funded for \$100,000 from the Hasbro Children's Foundation, 1999-2000

Improving Responses to Child Abuse, S.J. Kelley, Principal Investigator, B.C. Yorker and D. Whitley, Funded for \$12,000, Research Enhancement, Georgia State University. 1999-2000

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Review of Georgia Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Treatment Facilities. Subcontract from the Carl Vinson Institute of Government, University of Georgia. Funded by the Georgia D. H. R. for \$100,000, 1998. (5% release time)

Project Healthy Grandparents. Kelley, S., P.I. Funded by the Georgia Department of Human Resources for \$75,000 for 1997-1998, (5% release time)

South Africa Collaborative, GSU "Internationalizing the Curriculum" initiative with Thachenkary, C.S., Brack, C. Brack, G., Kelley, S. Whitley, D., funded for \$5,000, 1997.

Project Healthy Grandparents. Kelley, S., P.I. Funded by the Georgia Department of Human Resources \$75,000 for 1996-1997, (5% release time)

Creating an interactive MOO at Georgia State University. With Sattelmeyer, R. Co-P.I., Pullman, G., Wiseman, P., and Mitchem, P., funded for \$18,000 by Quality Improvement Fund, Georgia State University, 1996.

Empowering Communities to Use Nurses as Expert Witnesses in Court Cases Involving Issues of Physical and Sexual Child Abuse in Georgia. Applied Research Center. P.I. \$93,000 funded by the Georgia Department of Human Resources, 1995-1996.

An investigation of the Use of Nurses as Expert Witnesses in Court Cases Involving Issues of Physical and Sexual Child Abuse in Georgia. Applied Research Center, with Doss, C.B., P.I., funded by the Georgia Department of Human Resources, for \$91,000. 1995.

An investigation of the Use of Nurses as Expert Witnesses in Court Cases Involving Physical and Sexual Child Abuse in Georgia. Applied Research Center, with Doss, C.B., P.I., Levine, N. & Hogue, L. \$91,000 funded by the Georgia Department of Human Resources, 1994.

Use of the Child Medical Fear Scale Among School-age Children with Emotional Disorders, Funded for \$2,500. College of Health Sciences Research Grant, co-investigator, with A. Wilson, 1992.

The Relationship Between Seclusion, Restraint and Ward Atmosphere on Two Inpatient Adolescent Psychiatric Units. Funded for \$1,800. GSU Research, 1990.

HIV Positive Infants: Stressors, Resources, and Outcomes, with Demi, A., P.I. GSU Research Grant Funded for \$2,280.00, 1989-90.

Awarded \$1,000 by the Hospital Corporation of America Foundation for the National Child Psychiatric Nursing Conference, 1990.

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### HONORS & AWARDS:

Elected as a Member of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, 2006 to present.

Elected as a Fellow to the American Academy of Nursing, 1991 to present.

Outstanding Educator, 1997. Award presented by Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses of Georgia.

Regional Poster Award for research poster with A. Wilson, Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society, 1994.

Spokesperson for the American Association of Colleges of Nursing media referral service on the topics of nurses accused of murder and sexual abuse, 1990-present.

### TEACHING:

#### **Recent Courses:**

##### CSULA

NURS 498 Elective in Forensic Nursing. Summer 2008- 68 students, Spring 2008-134 students, Winter 2008- 85 students

##### SFSU

NURS 580 Senior Practicum 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, California Pacific Medical Center, Stanford University Hospital, Sequoia Hospital.

#### **Doctoral Committees/Dissertations:**

Frith, K. (2001) Evaluation of the Use of Technology in Nursing Education. Member, Dissertation Committee

Lehr, S. (2001) Aids Prevention and the Influence of Fathers on Sexual Behaviors of Their Adolescent Sons. Member, Dissertation Committee

Roush, D. (2000) Ethics education in university system of Georgia schools of nursing. Chair, Dissertation Committee.

Brewer, K. (2000) Leaving the Abyss: A Phenomenological Study of Women's Recovery from Alcoholism. Member, Dissertation Committee.

Rawls, J. (1998) Faculty-Administration Conflict: Bridging the Gap for Collaborative Leadership in Higher Education. Member Dissertation Committee

Crenshaw, C. (1998) The Experience of Women Who Participated in an Eating Disorder Treatment Program Designed to Develop a Feminist Consciousness. Member, Dissertation

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Camann, M.A. (1997) Evaluation of Family Caregiving Experience to Compare Three Mental Health Service Delivery Programs. Member, Dissertation Committee

Campbell, A.L. (1997) Relationships Between Family Environment Factors and Self-management Practices of 8-12 year-old Children with Asthma. Member, Dissertation Comm.

Greiner, D. S. (1993) A Philisophic Inquiry into Authoritative Knowledge in Nursing. Member, Dissertation Committee

Wilson, L. S. (1992) The Reporting Decisions and Ethical Reasoning of Professionals in reporting Child Abuse. Member, Dissertation Committee (Dept. Couns. and Psych. Services)

### **Contribution to Student Accomplishments:**

#### **Student Awards:**

Huber, L. (1994) First Place award in Williams & Wilkins Publishers graduate student scholarship award. (Major Advisor)

#### **Student Publications:**

Myers, J. (1996) Workshop Effectiveness: Nurses as witnesses in court cases involving physical child abuse. Journal of Nursing Law 3(2):35-44.

Campbell, A.L. (1995) What maintains the myth of the Wicked Stepmother? Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing 8(4):17-22

Huber, L. (1994) Clinical Nurse specialist and staff nurse: Colleagues in integrating nursing research with clinical practice. Clinical Nurse Specialist 8(3): 118-121.

#### **Scholarly and Educational Videos:**

Nursing and Informed Consent, Health Sciences Television Network, (H.S.T.N.), 1999.

Providing Deposition Testimony in a Legal Case, H.S.T.N., Primedia Corp. 1999

Workers' Compensation Law, H.S.T.N., Primedia Corp. 1999.

Update on the Americans with Disabilities Act, H.S.T.N., Primedia Corp. 1999

Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy, H.S.T.N., Primedia Corp. 1998.

Psychotherapy/Treatment with Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy Perpetrator: Session IV Georgia State University Learning Resource Center, 1998

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Legal Considerations in Psychiatric Care, Produced by Long Term Care Network, a division of Westcott Communications, 1997.

A guided tour of the World Wide Web, Faculty Enrichment Forum, GSU, 1995.

Play Therapy Assessment of a Three-year-old With a History of Possible Sexual Abuse. Georgia State University Learning Resource Center, 1993.

Student Nursing Research Presentations, Qualitative and Quantitative Studies in Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, 1992.

Hosted an Invitational Conference for Communities Interested in Starting a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Program. GSU Office of Continuing Education, 1996.

Presented Legal Issues Associated with Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy. Institute of Continuing Legal Education, Program on Child Abuse. Atlanta, GA, 1995.

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

#### **Offices**

**Held:** President of the California Chapter of APSAC, 2006- present

Chair of the Expert Panel on Violence of the American Academy of Nursing. 2000 - 2004.

Vice President, national Association of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Nurses, 1994 to 98

Board Member of the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, (APSAC) 1996- 98.

#### **Membership:**

American Academy of Forensic Sciences, 2006-present

American Academy of Nursing, 1991 to present

American Association of Higher Education, 1994 to 1999

International Society of Psychiatric Nurses, 1986-1992

American Association of University Professors, 1994 to 1998

International Association of Forensic Nurses, 1996- present

Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society, 1989 to 1996

American Society of Law and Medicine, 1987 to 1994

Georgia Bar Association, 1989 to present (Inactive as of 2002)

Family Law Section of the Georgia Bar Association, 1989 to 1993

American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children, 1990 to present

American Nurse's Association, 1975 to present

The American Association of Nurse Attorneys, 1994 to 2006.

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### **Publications arising out of task force/committee reports:**

American Academy of Nursing Expert Panel on Violence. Policy Recommendations for Nurses Caring for Victims of Torture. Issues in Mental Health Nursing 24:595-597 and Policy Recommendations on Workplace Violence. Issues in Mental Health Nursing 24:598-604.

Ayoub, C. & Alexander, R. (1998) Definitional Issues in Munchausen by Proxy. APSAC Advisor 11(1):7-9. Report of the Munchausen by Proxy Task Force.

Regents Guide to Understanding Copyright and Fair Use, University System of Georgia, <http://www.peachnet.edu/admin/legal/copyright/> Biesinger, K. Christenberry, R. Cummings, C. Drake, M. Gunnells, G. Patterson, L.R., Yorker, B. & Potter, W.G., Chair (1997) Regents guide to understanding copyright and fair use. Journal of Intellectual Property Law. Volume 5(1):243-305.

### **University**

**Service:** Ad Hoc Committee to Develop SFSU Confidentiality and Information Security Plan (CISP) Protocol, 2003-2004.

Alternate to SFSU Committee for the Protection of Human Subjects, 2002-present.

University Interdisciplinary Council, 2001-2004.

Senator, Georgia State University, 1993 to 1998, 1999-2001.

Appointed to the Ad Hoc Committee on the Advancement of Women at Georgia State University, 1998-2000.

Revised and coordinated the New Faculty Orientation, 1995, 1996, 1997

Served as the Provost's Representative to the Following:

Center for Teaching and Learning, 1995-1998.

Associate Deans' Group, 1994-1997.

Co-Chaired the Teaching, Learning and Technology Roundtable, 1995-1997.

Chaired the Ad hoc Committee on Recruitment and Retention of African-American Faculty, 1994-1998.

a. Completed a revision of the Five-Year Plan

b. Co-hosted the Research Colloquium

c. Convened review committee for research and development grants

Appointed as the Board of Regents Alternative Dispute Resolution Liaison for GSU, 1996-8

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### **Community**

**Service:** Clinical Committee of the MemorialCare Governing Board, Memorial Healthcare of Southern California. 2007-present.

Health Services Advisory Council, Head Start of San Francisco, 2001- 2005.

Hospital Council of San Francisco, Strategic Planning Group for Increasing Nursing Enrollment, 2001-present.

San Francisco General Hospital Re-Build Task Force, 2002-2004.

San Francisco Private Industry Council, 2001- 2003.

Sexual Offender Registration Review Board, administered by the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council of Georgia, appointed in 1997, Elected Chair 1997-2001.

### **Television Appearances:**

A & E Angel of Death: Charles Cullen, 2004.

Health Care Serial Killers, CNN International, 2003.

The Early Show with Bryant Gumbel, CBS, Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy, 2000.

Grandparents raising Grandchildren Trinity Broadcasting Network, Metro Cable television with Kim Ramsey-White, 1997

Kwa Zulu Natal Broadcasting System, South Africa Evening News, "The nurses' role in working with child abuse" 1997.

British Television, "Professionals who create critical incidents", July, 1996.

48 Hours, CBS "Jennifer Bush and Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy" 1999, 1998.

Evening News, "Nurses Accused of Murder" on CBS WAGA, Atlanta Broadcast, 1991.

CNN, "Nurses Indicted for Murder" on The JAMA (Journal of the American Medical Association) Report. 1988.

Hour Magazine "Nurses Accused of Murder" CBS 1988.

### **Newspaper**

**Citations:** New York Times Hospital Where 13 Were Killed Prepares to Face Lawsuits April 30, 2004

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USA Today, Nurse gets life in prison for killing 4 veterans: Experts explore motives of medical murderers. March 27, 2001.

The Washington Times, Nurses, multiple killings linked in troubling trend. December 7, 1998

**Consultations:**

Consultant regarding civil litigation against hospitals in New Jersey, Arizona, and Texas in cases involving wrongful death by nurses convicted of murder.

Appointed to the American Hospital Association (AHA) and Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO) work group on Patient Safety and Protection from Malicious Healthcare Providers, 2004 to present.

Consultant to Assistant U.S. Attorneys in the United States District Court for The United States v. Kristen Gilbert , Springfield, MA, February 22, 2001

Consultant to the District Attorney for State of Indiana v. Orville Lynn Majors, Clay Co. Circuit Court, October 17, 1999.

Expert testimony upheld by the Georgia Court of Appeals: In the Interest of C.M. and M.M., Children. 236 Ga. App. 874, 513 S.E. 2d 773 (1999).

Expert Witness in juvenile proceedings and criminal prosecutions involving evaluation of Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy cases

Consultant to State Victim Witness Program regarding Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners

Consultant to the Georgia Network to End Sexual Assault regarding Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner credentialing

Consultant on a variety of criminal and civil cases involving the standard of nursing care

Clinical Supervisor for American Nurse's Credentialing Center Certification in Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing.

**CITIZENSHIP:**

Born in Harare, Zimbabwe (Salisbury, Rhodesia)  
United States citizen since 1969