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### **EDUCATION**

Texas A & M Corpus Christi University  
Master Science in Nursing (2015)  
Major: Nursing Education

Dallas Theological Seminary  
Master of Arts Christian Education (2012)  
Major: Education

University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (2000)  
Major: Nursing

Howard College  
Associate Degree of Applied Science in Nursing (1992)  
Major: Nursing

### **COLLEGE TEACHING/EXPERIENCE**

Sul Ross State University Rio Grande College 2015-Present  
NURS 4307 Risk Analysis, Quality Management, and Implications for Practice

Southwest Texas Junior College  
RN ADN Program 2015-Present  
RNSG 1430 Health Care Concepts I  
RNSG 1161 Clinical Nursing I  
RNSG 1301 Pharmacology  
RNSG 1362 Clinical II

LVN Program 2000-2014  
VNSG 2331 Advance Nursing Skills  
VNSG 1432 Medical Surgical Nursing I  
VNSG 1231 Pharmacology

### **PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE**

2000-to present SWTJC Instructor/Assistant Program Coordinator Vocational Nursing, Del Rio  
1998-to present Val Verde Regional Medical Center Charge Nurse Medical-Surgical Nursing (part-time staff)  
1999-1998 Val Verde Regional Medical Center Staff Nurse Medical Surgical  
1998-1996 Concepts of Care Home Health Director of Nurses  
1996-1994 Val Verde Regional Medical Center Patient and Family Educator  
1994-1992 Fort Duncan Medical Center Medical-Surgical Nursing  
1994-1992 Val Verde Memorial Hospital Medical-Surgical Nursing

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development (NISOD), Teaching Excellence Award, University of Texas at Austin, 2016  
Honor Society of Nursing Sigma Theta Tau International, ETA OMICRON Chapter, 2015  
Golden Key International Honor Society, 2015  
Dallas Theological Seminary Honors, 2012

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Singel, L. J., & Lira, R. (2001). Yes, You Can!: Nurses create a template for teaching school-age children to live with asthma. *AJN The American Journal of Nursing*, 101(8), 24a-24c.

### **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

CONVENTIONS, CONFERENCES, SYMPOSIUMS & SEMINARS ATTENDED  
Deans, Directors, and Coordinators Orientation, Texas Board of Nursing, Austin, TX, 06/22/2018  
FranklinCovey The 4Disciplines of Execution Team Launch & Celebration, SWTJC, Uvalde, 08/24/2017  
Texas Concept Based Curriculum Consortium Meeting Curriculum Review and Collaboration, Austin, TX, 02/02/2017  
International Conference on Teaching and Leadership Excellence, The University of Texas at Austin, 05/2016  
National Council State Board of Nursing 2016 Regional Workshop for Educators, The University of Texas at Austin, 04/2016  
Texas Association of Deans and Directors of Professional Nursing Programs, Austin, TX, 02/2016  
Texas Organization for Associate Degree Nursing, Spring Meeting, Austin, TX, 02/2016,  
Texas Association of Vocational Nurse Educators, 3-day convention, Austin, TX, 2000 & 1/2 2015

Team STEPPS: Strategies and Tools to Enhance Performance and Patient Safety, Fort Duncan Regional Medical Center, Eagle Pass, TX 10/2015  
 Quality Enhancement Program (QEP) Camp, Southwest Texas Junior College One-day workshop 05/2015  
 Audiovisual Presentations course, Dallas Theological Seminary, 09/2008  
 Laerdal Simulation Training with High fidelity SIM Man, Gatesville, TX 06/2006  
 Patient and Family Education: Cardiac Catheterization Part 1 and 2, Val Verde Regional Medical Center (VVRMC) Del Rio, TX, 03/1999  
 The One Minute Preceptor Conference, University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio, TX, 05/1999  
 Smoke and Mirrors: Strategies to Manage Patient Perception of Time PhyAmerica Physician Group, VVRMC, Del Rio, TX 10/1999  
 Basic Cardiac Dysrhythmias Work Shop, VVRMC, Del Rio, TX 10/1999  
 Common Geriatric Skin Problems, Smith & Nephew, Concepts of Care, Del Rio, TX 02/1998  
 Lower Leg Ulcers vs. Venous Treatment Management and Differential Diagnosis, Smith & Nephew, Concepts of Care, Del Rio, TX 02/1998  
 Diabetic Foot Ulcer Prevention & Treatment Modalities, Smith & Nephew, VVRMC, Del Rio, TX, 02/1998  
 Lower Leg Skills Lab, Smith & Nephew, VVRMC, Del Rio, TX 02/1998  
 AHCPH Guidelines: Pressure Ulcer Treatment, Smith & Nephew, VVRMC, Del Rio, TX, 02/1998  
 Nursing Evaluation and Management of Fistulas Infusion Management Systems, Concepts of Care, Del Rio, TX 02/1998  
 Wound care products, their use and cost effectiveness Infusion Management Systems, Concepts of Care, Del Rio, TX 02/1998  
 Pressure Ulcer and Support Surface Selection Hill Rom, Concepts of Care, Del Rio, TX 02/1998  
 3 Day Wound Care Seminar, Concepts of Care, VVRMC, Del Rio, TX 03/1998  
 Periphery Inserted Catheters and Midlines: Selection, Insertion, and Management, Concepts of Care, Del Rio, TX 09/1997  
 Arterial Blood Gasses Interpretation, VVRMC, Del Rio, TX, 02/1996  
 Effectively Using Non-Verbal Communication, St. Mary Hospital, Del Rio, TX, 08/1995  
 Nursing Role in Discharge Planning, Texas Tech University Health Science Center, Online, Val Verde Regional Medical Center, Del Rio, TX, 01/1995  
 Death and Bereavement, Texas Tech University Health Science Center, , Online, Val Verde Regional Medical Center, Del Rio, TX, 02/1995  
 Diabetes and Dietary Management Part 1 and 2, Texas Tech University Health Science Center, Online, Val Verde Regional Medical Center, Del Rio, TX, 02/1995  
 Age Related Teaching Part 1 and 2, St. Mary Hospital, Del Rio, TX, 10/1995  
 Insulin Dependent Diabetes Texas Tech University Health Science Center, Online, Val Verde Regional Medical Center, Del Rio, TX, 11/1995  
 Navigating the Complications of Diabetes, Val Verde Regional Medical Hospital, Del Rio, TX, 11/1995  
 Understanding Lab: CBC, White Count & Differential, St. Mary Hospital, Del Rio, TX 04/1994

#### UNIVERSITY AND PROFESSIONAL COMMITTEE WORK

ADN and LVN Curriculum Committee, Southwest Texas Junior College, 2000 - 2015  
 Quality Enhancement Committee, Southwest Texas Junior College, 2014 ½ Present  
 Core Curriculum Committee, Southwest Texas Junior College, 2012 ½ Present  
 Texas Nursing Concept Based Curriculum Committee, 2015 - Present  
 Texas Nursing Concept Based Curriculum Consortium, 2015 - Present  
 Texas Organization for Associate Degree Nursing Committee, 2015 - Present  
 San Felipe-Del Rio Consolidated Independent School, 2010 - Present  
 District Health and Occupation Advisory Committee for Nursing, 2016 - Present  
 Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Committee at SWTJC, 2015

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

Texas Association of Deans and Directors of Professional Nursing Programs, 2015 to Present  
 Texas Organization Associated Degree Nursing, 2015 to Present  
 Sigma Theta Tau International ETA OMICRON Chapter, 2015 - Present  
 Golden Key International Honor, 2015 - Present  
 National League for Nursing, 2012 to Present  
 Member of the Legislative Committee for Texas Association of Vocational Nurse Educators, 2012 - 2015  
 SWTJC Faculty Association, 2011 - Present  
 Evangelical Training Association, 2011 - Present  
 Texas Association of Vocational Nurse Educators, 2000- 2015

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