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Position Associate Professor
College of Natural and Health Sciences
School of Nursing
University of Northern Colorado
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Education 2003
PhD
University of Colorado at Denver, Denver, CO
Program in Health and Behavioral Science

1992-1996
Graduate Courses in Health Policy, Public Administration
University of Colorado, Denver
Program in Public Administration

1977
MSN
University of Colorado, School of Nursing, Denver, Colorado
Community Health Nursing

1974
Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Certificate
Good Samaritan Hospital, Phoenix, AZ

1970
BSN
Eastern Mennonite University, Harrisonburg, VA
Nursing

Certification:
National Brain Injury Specialist, American Association of Brain Injury Specialists, 2007-2008.
Pediatric Nurse Practitioner: NAPNAP, 1983-present.

Work Experience

Professional Academic: 2008-present
Associate Professor
University of Northern Colorado, School of Nursing, Greeley, CO.
Teaching: Undergraduate, RN-BSN, and graduate FNP, DNP, and PhD Programs
Research: Incorporating Smoking Cessation and Tobacco Use in Curriculum in

Nursing Schools

2007-2008

Assistant Professor/Adjunct Clinical Faculty
University of Colorado Health Sciences Center School of Nursing, Denver, CO.
Teaching: Lecture and clinical supervision for graduate nursing students in
Nursing Leadership Pediatric Special Needs Program.

2006-2008

Senior Lecturer/Adjunct Clinical Faculty
University of Colorado Health Sciences Center School of Medicine/JFK Partners,
Denver, CO.
Administration: Care Coordinator and Program Manager for Children with
Traumatic Brain Injury.

2003-2006

Assistant Professor
University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Charlotte, NC
Teaching: Graduate Nurse Practitioner Program
Research: Secondhand Smoke Exposure of Young Children
Nutritional Status of Children in Homeless Families

1995-2003

Senior Lecturer/Clinical Instructor
University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, School of Nursing, Denver, CO
Teaching: Clinical instruction in graduate Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program
Research: Secondhand Smoke Exposure of Young Children
Asthma Education and Management in a School-based Health Center

1987-1997

Assistant Professor
Regis University, Denver, CO
Teaching: Undergraduate, Accelerated, and RN-BSN Nursing Program-Community
Health

**Professional Non -
Academic:**

2011-present
Pediatric Nurse Practitioner
Monfort (Sunrise) Community Health Center
Greeley, CO
Faculty Practice-Pediatric Primary Health Care in Community Health Center.

2006-2008

Program Manager
Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Denver, CO.
Care Coordination Program for Children with Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) and
Their Families.
Administration/Care Coordination of state program for children and families with
TBI.

2003-2006

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner
Salvation Army Center of Hope Shelter Health Services, Charlotte, NC.
Pediatric Primary Care in Homeless Shelter Clinic.

1997-2003

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner
 The Children's Hospital/University of Colorado Health Science Center, School of
 Nursing, Denver, CO.
 Pediatric Primary Care in School-based Health Centers.

1985-1987
 Pediatric Nurse Practitioner
 Community Health Services, Commerce City, CO
 Pediatric Primary Health Care in School-based Health Center.

1982-1985
 Pediatric Nurse Practitioner
 Lewis and Clark County Health Department, Helena, MT.
 Well-child care in public health department.

1975-1981
 Pediatric Nurse Practitioner and Child Health Coordinator
 Tri-County Health Department, Englewood, CO.
 Pediatric Primary Care and Administration of Pediatric Program.

**Area of
 Specialization:** Community Health
 Pediatric Primary Health Care
 Health care of Vulnerable Populations
 Children with Special Health Care Needs
 Traumatic Brain Injury in Children

**Research Areas/
 Interests:** Secondhand Smoke Exposure of Young Children
 Instructional Techniques for Implementing Smoking Cessation in Primary Care
 Nutritional Status of Children in Homeless Families
 Children with Special Needs
 Traumatic Brain Injury in Children

Publications: **Juried:**
 Articles
 Yousey, Y., Leake J., Wdowick, M., & Janken, J. (2007). Education in a
 homeless shelter to improve the nutrition of young children. *Public
 Health Nursing, 24(3)*,249-255.
 Yousey, Y. (2007). Environmental tobacco smoke exposure of young
 children at home. *MCN The American Journal of Maternal Child
 Nursing, 32*, 76-81.
 Yousey, Y. (2006). Household characteristics, smoking bans, and
 passive smoke exposure in young children.
Journal of Pediatric Health Care, 20, 98-105.
 Gance-Cleveland, B.L. and Yousey, Y. (2005). Benefits of a school
 based health center in a preschool. *Clinical Nursing Research, 14*,
 327-342.

Non-Juried:
 Book Chapters:
 Gance-Cleveland, B and Yousey, Y. (2008). *Developmental
 management of school-age children* in C. Burns, A. Dunn, M. Brady,

N. Barber-Starr, C. Blosser (ed). Pediatric Primary Care: A Handbook for Nurse Practitioners. Philadelphia: WB Saunders.

Articles:

Yousey, Y. and Carr, M. (2005). A health care program for homeless children using healthy people 2010 objectives. *Nursing Clinics of North America*, 40, 791-801.

Compositions:

Yousey, Y & Prewett, A. (2008). A Training Guide for Care Coordination for Children with Traumatic Brain Injury in Colorado.

Whitepaper:

Novak, J., Yousey, Y., Jones, D., Keesing, H. (2010). NAPNAP position statement on prevention of tobacco use and effects in the pediatric population. *Journal of Pediatric Health Care*, 24(2), 13A-14A.

Professional Presentations:

Juried:

Papers/Podium Presentations

November 6-10, 2010, Yousey, Yvonne. "Unfolding Case Studies: Preparing RN-BSN Participants for the Challenges of Public Health Practice Through Online Education Programs." American Public Health Association Annual Conference, Denver, CO.

March 8-11, 2010, Yousey, Yvonne & Faulkner, Priscilla. "Using Case Studies to Enhance Critical Thinking and Problem Solving in Online Learning". INTED2010. International Technology, Education, and Development Conference. Valencia, Spain. (Virtual presentation).

April 4, 2008, Yousey, Yvonne. "Survivors of Pediatric Traumatic Brain Injury: A Challenge in Pediatric Primary Health Care." Annual Conference of National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners (NAPNAP), Nashville, Tennessee.

October 5, 2007, Yousey, Yvonne & Benkert, Molly, "Providing Community Linkages for Families with Survivors of Pediatric Traumatic Brain Injury." Annual Conference of Brain Injury Association of Colorado, Vail, CO.

May 6, 2006, Yousey, Yvonne & Leake, Jacqueline. "A Program to Improve the Nutritional Status of Children Living in a Homeless Shelter." 14th Annual Primary Care for the Underserved Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

February 2005. Yousey, Yvonne. "Household Characteristics and Children's Exposure to Environmental Tobacco Smoke." Southern Nursing Research Society Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

October 2004. Yousey, Yvonne. "Achieving 2010 Health Objectives for Homeless Women and Children." Annual Meeting of National Nursing Center Consortium, Nashville, Tennessee.

April 2004. Yousey, Yvonne. "Household Factors Associated with Environmental Tobacco Smoke Exposure of Young Children." Annual Research Symposium at University of North Carolina, Charlotte, NC.

June 2002. Yousey, Yvonne & Gance-Cleveland, Bonnie. "Evaluating the Effectiveness of Services Provided to Pre-School Children Through a School-based

Health Center.” National Assembly of School-based Health Care, Denver, CO.

June 2002. Yousey, Yvonne & Degenstein, Julie. “Asthma Management and Education: The Challenge of Collaboration in a School-based Health Center.” National Assembly of School-based Health Care, Denver, CO.

April 2002. Yousey, Yvonne & Jarvis, Neva. “ON THE BEAM: Balancing the Act of Asthma Management in School-based Health Centers”. National Association of Nurse Practitioners and Associates Conference, Reno, Nevada.

November 2001. Yousey, Yvonne. “Promoting Children’s Health Through Reducing Environmental Tobacco Exposure in Their Homes.” 2001 National Conference on Tobacco or Health, New Orleans, LA.

June 2001. Gance-Cleveland, Bonnie & Yousey, Yvonne. “Reaching the Other Half: Serving 100% of Your Target Population in a School Based Health Center.” National Assembly of School Based Health Care. Miami, FL.

June 2001. Gance-Cleveland, Bonnie & Yousey, Yvonne. “On the BEAM Balancing the Act of Asthma Management and Education in a School Based Health Center.” National Assembly of School Based Health Care. Miami, FL.

Professional Society Poster Sessions:

November 2004. Yousey, “Environmental Tobacco Smoke Exposure in Pre-School Children: What Do Parents Say?” American Public Health Convention, Washington, D.C.

November 2004. Yousey, “Household Characteristics and Children’s Exposure to Passive Smoking” -- American Public Health Convention, Washington, D.C.

April 2003. Gance-Cleveland, Bonnie & Yousey, Yvonne. “Evaluating the Effectiveness of Services Provided to Pre-school Children Through a School-Based Health Center.” WIN Research Conference, Scottsdale, AZ.

October 2001. Yousey, Yvonne. “Tobacco Cessation in High School: The Role of the School-Based Health Center.” American Public Health Convention, Atlanta, Georgia.

July 2001. Yousey, Yvonne. “On the BEAM: Balancing the Act of Asthma Management. A Demonstration Project for Low Income Children With Asthma.” 26th National Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Keystone, CO.

Non-Juried:

Workshops, Symposia, Conferences:

Presenter. September 7, 2007. Yousey, Yvonne, “Traumatic Brain Injury: A Challenge in Primary Care Pediatrics.” Colorado Chapter of National Association of Nurse Practitioners (NAPNAP), Denver, CO.

Co-Presenter: January 26-27, 2007. Yousey, Yvonne & Hershey, Tim. “TBI Care Coordination and More.....State/County Health as a Partner To Speech/Language Clinicians.” 21st Annual Speech Language Symposium, Denver, CO.

Presenter. May 2003. Yousey, Yvonne. "Household Factors Associated With Environmental Tobacco Smoke Exposure of Young Children." University of North Carolina, College of Health and Human Services, School of Nursing, Charlotte, NC.

Presenter. April 2003. Yousey, Yvonne, "Integrating Health Education into Asthma Management." Colorado Association for School-based Health Care Asthma Management Conference, Denver, CO.

Presenter. March 2001. Yousey, Yvonne. "BEAM, Breathe Easy Asthma Management Program." Bureau of Maternal Child Health and AAP Healthy People, Healthy Tomorrows Partnership Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.

Funded Projects: December, 2009- November, 2011. Grant. Improving Smoking Cessation in Clinical Setting Through Education of Nursing Students. Provost Award for Faculty Scholarship and Professional Development. University of Northern Colorado. (\$2286).

July 2009 – August 2010. Faculty Release Time. Brief Smoking Interventions in Clinical Settings by Nurse Practitioners: Knowledge, Beliefs, Efficacy. Funded Through School of Nursing, University of Northern Colorado, PRISM Project.

July 1, 2007-June 30, 2008. Grant. "The Use of Self-Guided Modules in Training Public Health Professionals to Provide Care Coordination Services for Children with TBI and their Families". Traumatic Brain Injury Trust Fund Education Grant, Denver, CO. Primary Author. (\$7500).

2006. Research Grant. "Building an Intervention to Reduce Passive Smoke Exposure of Young Children in Their Homes. Junior Faculty Grant, UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC. Primary Author. (\$6,000).

2005. Research Grant. "Household Characteristics and Tobacco Smoke Exposure of African American Children. Urban Institute, UNC Charlotte, NC. Primary Author. (\$5,000).

2004-2006. Grant. "Enhanced Program of Child Health for Homeless Children". United Way of Carolinas, Charlotte, NC. Co-Author. (\$40,000).

2004-2006. Grant. "Building Service Learning Partnerships with Preceptors in a Nurse Practitioner Education Program, UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC. Co-Author. (\$5,000).

2001-2003. Grant. "Evaluation of A School-Based Health Center's Effectiveness on Health Promoting Behaviors in a Pre-School. The Rose Foundation, Denver, CO. Co-Author. (\$30,000).

2001-2002. Grant. "Improving Immunization Services Through Culturally Specific Activities in A School Based Health Center. NAPNAP Immunization Grant. Primary Author. (\$3,000).

2001-2003. Research Grant. "Household Factors Associated With Environmental Tobacco Smoke Exposure of Young Children. Colorado Tobacco Research Program, Boulder, CO. Primary Author. (\$40,000).

1999-2004. Grant. "Breathe Better Asthma Management and Education in a

School-based Health Center. Bureau of Maternal Child Health/American Academy of Pediatrics Healthy Tomorrows Partnership. Co-Author. (\$50,000/year X 3 years).

**Professional
Activities:**

2009. (January and December).
Grant Reviewer for HRSA – Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) State Grants Program.

2009, 2011
Abstract Reviewer for American Public Health Association Annual Convention.

2009
Certified Quality Matters Peer Course Reviewer.

**Professional
Association
Participation:**

Fellow
1983 - present
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates.

Member
2004-2006
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates –
Charlotte Chapter, Charlotte, NC.
Service: Legislative Chairperson

Member
1992-present
American Public Health Association.
Service: Member of Community Health Nursing Section

Member
2007 – 2009
American Association of Certified Brain Injury Specialists

Manuscript Reviewer
2007 – Present
Pediatric Nursing

Manuscript Reviewer
2006 – present
Journal of Healthcare for Poor and Underserved
Patient Education and Counseling

Member
2009 – Present
Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society

**Community
Service:**

2008 – Present
Member of Tobacco Coalition of Weld County
Greeley, CO

2007
Member of Planning Committee for Annual Conference of Brain Injury
Association of Colorado, Vail, CO.

2006-2008

Member of Advisory Board of Brain Injury Association of Colorado
Denver, CO.

2004-2006
Member of Project Assist Tobacco Coalition of Mecklenburg County
Charlotte, NC.

2004-2006
Member of Asthma Coalition of Mecklenburg County
Charlotte, NC.

2003, 2008
Reviewer for NAPNAP Position Statement: Prevention of Tobacco Use
in Pediatric Population.
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners, New Jersey.

2000-2003
Member of Adams County Tobacco Prevention and Control Coalition,
Westminster, CO.

2000-2003
Member Strategic Planning Committee for Denver Alliance for Tobacco and Health
Denver, CO.

2000-2003
Member of Provider Education and Best Practices Subcommittee.
Asthma Coalition of Colorado,
Denver, CO.

**University
Service:**

2009 – Present
Member of Awards Committee
Review proposals and determine recipients for faculty and student awards.
College of Natural and Health Sciences
UNCO

2008 - present
Member of UNCO Work Environment Task Force
Sub-committee charged with determining recognition similarities and differences
and among employee groups in university and making recommendations for
recognition of employees across university.
UNCO

2008 - 2009
Member of Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
Insure strength and consistency of undergraduate nursing curriculum.
Insure that curricula are consistent with guidelines from American Association of
Colleges of Nursing (AACN accrediting agency).
School of Nursing
College of NHS
UNCO

2008 - present
Member of Graduate Curriculum Committee
Review current programs, identify need for and development of new programs to
be offered through School of Nursing.
Insure that curricula are consistent with guidelines from American Association of

Colleges of Nursing (accrediting agency).
 Review applicants for Masters' programs and provide input for acceptance.
 School of Nursing
 College of NHS
 UNCO

2008 - 2009
 Member of Learning Resources Committee
 Identify needs for technology and simulation equipment needed for graduate and undergraduate programs and procure.
 School of Nursing
 College of NHS
 UNCO

2008 - present
 Member of Evaluation Committee
 Plan and implement annual meeting with community Education Advisory Board to insure that School is meeting educational needs of community.
 Monitor data for evaluation of graduate and undergraduate programs in Nursing.
 School of Nursing
 College of NHS
 UNCO

2004-2006
 Member of Graduate Admissions Committee
 Review applicants for FNP Program and determine acceptance based on School of Nursing criteria.
 School of Nursing
 College of Health and Human Services
 UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC

Graduate Student Committees:

Doctoral Dissertations

2008 – present, Karen Percell-deShong, The Wounded Warrior's Experience of Caring in an Austere Nursing Environment. Co-Chair.
 2010 – present, Donna Michele Ellis, Untitled Dissertation. Co-Chair.
 2010 – present, Jeanne Nicolson-Church, Untitled Dissertation. Committee Member.

Master's Comprehensive Exams

December 2010 - Jennie Knob, Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Following Pregnancy Termination, Committee Member.
 December 2010 - Mallory Graham, Osteoarthritis in Primary Care, Committee Member
 November 2010 - Carla Hall, Spiritual Care in Primary Health Care, Committee Member.
 May 2010 - Sarah Arnold, Case Management and Hospital Readmission in Chronic Illness, Committee Chair.
 April 2010 - Camille Moore, Immunizations in Primary Health Care, Committee Chair.
 December 2009 - Karena Saenz, Asthma Management in Primary Health Care, Committee Member.

Teaching:

2010-2011, Associate Professor, University of Northern Colorado (UNCO), School

of Nursing (SON)

Courses Taught:

NURS 424, Pediatric Clinical, Undergraduate.
NURS 335, Foundations of Nursing Practice II, Undergraduate.
NURS 691, Applied Research in Nursing, Master's Program.
NURS 465, Capstone Practicum, Undergraduate.
NURS 678, Healthcare Finance Seminar, DNP Program.
NURS 610, Advanced Health Assessment, FNP Program.

Summer 2010, Associate Professor, UNCO, SON

Courses Taught:

NURS 740, Intensive Practicum: Teaching Strategies, PhD Program

Courses Developed:

NURS 678, Healthcare Finance Seminar, DNP Program.

2009 – 2010, Associate Professor, UNCO, SON

Courses Taught:

NURS 691 Applied Nursing Research, Master's Program
NURS 335 Foundations of Nursing Practice II, Undergraduate Program
NURS 453 Community Health Nursing, RN-BSN Program
NURS 650 Chronic Illness in the Elderly, FNP Program
NURS 610 Advanced Health Assessment, FNP Program
NURS 410, Foundations of Nursing Practice III, Undergraduate

2008-2009, Associate Professor, UNCO, SON

Courses Taught:

NURS 405, Community Health Clinical Practicum, Undergraduate
NURS 335, Foundations of Nursing Practice II, Undergraduate
NURS 454, Community Health Clinical Practicum, RN-BSN Program
NURS 702, Vulnerable Populations, PhD Program

2004-2006, Assistant Professor, University of North Carolina, Charlotte (UNCC),
College of Health and Human Services, School of Nursing

Courses Taught:

NUNP 6260, Primary Health Care of Children, FNP Program.
NUNP 6460, Primary Health Care of Children Practicum, FNP Program.
NUNP 6105, Advanced Practice Roles in Nursing, FNP Program.
NUNP 6430, Advanced Health Assessment Practicum, FNP Program.

2003-2004, Senior Lecturer, UNCC, College of Health and Human Services,
School of Nursing

Courses Taught:

NUNP 6260, Primary Health Care of Children, FNP Program.
NUNP 6460, Primary Health Care of Children Practicum, FNP Program.
NUNP 6105, Advanced Practice Roles in Nursing, FNP Program.
NUNP 6430, Advanced Health Assessment Practicum, FNP Program.
NUNP 6160, Using Research in Practice, College of Health and Human Sciences,
Master's Program.

1987-1996, Assistant Professor, Regis University, School of Nursing
Community Health Nursing, Undergraduate and RN-BSN.
Community Health Nursing Practicum, Undergraduate and RN-BSN.
Leadership in Nursing, Regis University, Undergraduate.
Leadership in Nursing Practicum, Regis University, Undergraduate.

Teaching:

- Guest Lectures**
- 2008. Care of Children with Traumatic Brain Injury, University of Colorado, Denver, Health Sciences Center, (UCDHSC), School of Nursing, Graduate Program.
 - 2008. Traumatic Brain Injury in Children, University of Denver, Graduate Program.
 - 2007. Traumatic Brain Injury in Children: From Policy to Program Implementation. JFK Partners, UCDHSC.
 - 2007. Advanced Physical Assessment, Skin, UCDHSC.
 - 2006. Primary Health Care and Minor Acute Illness in Pediatrics, Gastrointestinal Disorders, UCDHSC.
 - 2003. Primary Health Care of Children with Asthma, Guest Speaker, UCDHSC.

Professional Development Activities:

2008 - 2009
Member of RIG on Vulnerable Populations in College of NHS, UNCO.

Workshops and Conferences

- 2011: Advanced Practice Pediatric Conference, TCH, Denver, CO.
- 2010: American Public Health Convention, Denver, CO
- 2010: National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculty Conference, Washington, DC.
- 2010: NINES Workshop, UNCO, Greeley, CO
- 2009: NINES Workshop, UNCO, Greeley, CO
- 2009: National Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Copper Mountain, CO 9 CEUs
- 2008: Vaccine Update, Greeley, CO
- 2008: Regional NAPNAP Conference, Denver, CO, 4 CEUs
- 2008: Annual NAPNAP Conference, Nashville, Tennessee, 14 CEUs
- 2007: Annual Conference of Brain Injury Association of Colorado, Vail, CO
- 2007: National Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Keystone, CO 12 CEUs
- 2007: Annual NAPNAP Conference, Orlando, FL 15 CEUs
- 2006: National Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Keystone, CO 14 CEUs
- 2006: Annual Meeting of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, Orlando, FL.
- 2006: Annual Conference of Primary Care of Underserved, Philadelphia, PA
- 2005: National Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Keystone, CO 14 CEUs
- 2005: Annual NAPNAP Conference, Phoenix, AZ 18 CEUs
- 2004: American Public Health Convention, Washington, DC
- 2004: National Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Keystone, CO
- 2003: National Nursing Centers Consortium, Baltimore, MD
- 2002: National Assembly of School-based Health Care, Denver, CO
- 2001: National Conference on Tobacco or Health, New Orleans, LA
- 2001: American Public Health Association Convention, Atlanta, GA
- 2001: National Assembly of School-based Health Care, Miami, FL

Honors and Awards:

2006-2007, Research Publication Grant Award, American Association of University Women, \$6,000.