

VICKI CALFA, MSN, RN, CNE, PCCN

Curriculum Vitae
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AREAS OF INTEREST

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
Student Engagement and Success
Simulation and Technology

Quality and Data Analytics
Instructional Best Practices
Leadership

EDUCATION

Kansas State University **2020-present**
Enrolled in Doctor of Education Program
Emphasis Area: Community College Leadership
Inducted into Phi Kappa Phi
Complete KSU Graduate Student Leadership Development Program

University of Texas at Arlington
Master of Science in Nursing **2017**
Emphasis Area: Nursing Education

Bachelor of Science Degree Nursing **2014**
Inducted into Sigma Theta Tau

Angelo State University **2001**
Associate Applied Science in Nursing

Ranger College **1999**
Licensed Vocational Nursing Certificate
Inducted into Phi Theta Kappa

Texas A & M University, College Station, TX **1998**
Bachelor of Science in Animal Science and
Agricultural Development

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

FALL 2022-PRESENT

Ranger College
Associate Degree Nursing Coordinator
Oversees daily departmental activities. Provides support to students and to faculty. Utilizes data-driven decision-making for continuous quality improvement.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE**Ranger College****Full-time Nursing Faculty**

Taught Concept-based Didactic, Clinical courses, Skills Competencies, **2017-present** and Simulation for traditional Associate Degree RN students in Semesters I-III. Lead Faculty for Semesters II and III. Assisted in creating Simulation experiences. Currently serves as ATI Champion.

COURSES TAUGHT

HITT 1205 Medical Terminology- Online
 RNSG 1125 Professional Nursing Concepts I
 RNSG 1161 Clinical-Registered Nursing I
 RNSG 1216 Professional Nursing Competencies
 RNSG 1430 Health Care Concepts I
 RNSG 1118 Transition to Professional Competencies
 RNSG 1128 Introduction to Healthcare Concepts
 RNSG 1163 LVN to RN Transition Clinical
 RNSG 1533 Healthcare Concepts II
 RNSG 2362 Clinical-Registered Nursing II
 RNSG 1137 Professional Nursing Concepts III
 RNSG 1538 Healthcare Concepts III
 RNSG 2363 Clinical-Registered Nursing III

RELATED EXPERIENCE**Texas Health Resources Central Staffing Office**

Medical Telemetry Float Nurse

June 2017-June 2018

Worked PRN to provide high-quality patient care as needed throughout a large hospital system in DFW.

Texas Health Resources, Harris Methodist Fort Worth Hospital

Clinical Data Integrity Nurse

June 2016-June 2017

Collaborated with Health Information Systems Services to ensure data integrity from a clinical perspective.

RN Charge Nurse

March 2007-June 2017

Served as a resource to staff, patients, and family on a busy medical telemetry unit.

Nurses RX

Travel Telemetry RN

Jan 2002-Dec 2006

Completed three-month to one-year contracts to provide direct patient care on cardiac and step-down units in acute care hospitals throughout Texas and Arizona.

Brownwood Regional Medical Center**March 1998-Jan 2002**

Served as a Unit Secretary, nurse tech, and monitor tech.
Advanced to an LVN position and eventually an RN staff position.

CERTIFICATIONS***American Heart Association Basic Life Support******American Heart Association Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support******Certified Nurse Educator (CNE)***

Awarded from the National League for Nursing

Progressive Care Certified Nurse

Awarded from the American Association of Critical Care Nurses.

HONORS AND AWARDS**Ranger College Outstanding Nurse Educator Award****December 2019**

Recipient of inaugural award voted on by graduating class.

Ranger College Educator of the Year**December 2019**

Awarded by the Board of Regents to one faculty member.

Excellence Award**May 2023**

National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN)****Texas Community College Teachers Association****Texas Nurses Association****Organization of Associate Degree Nursing**

Member of the inaugural cohort of OADN Leadership Institute (2022)

Member of the Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Committee

Big Country Area Health Education Center Advisory Board Member**COLLEGE COMMITTEES****Ranger College Policy and Procedure Committee****Ranger College Guided Pathways Committee****Ranger College Quality Enhancement Plan Committee****Ranger College ADN Policy Committee****PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS**

Abstract presented at ATI Nurse Educator Summit

October 2021

"Utilizing the NCSBN Clinical Judgment Measurement Model to Redesign Clinical Evaluation Tools"