

**UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA
DEPARTMENT OF NURSING
CURRICULUM VITAE**

Pamela J. Horvath, RN, MSN

TEACHING

DATE	Title	Institution
2007 to present	Assistant Professor	University of West Georgia. School of Nursing Carrollton, Georgia
Summer, 2003	Adjunct Faculty	West Central Technical School, Carrollton, Georgia
2001- 2002	Staff Development Coordinator	Integrated Health Systems, Carrollton, Georgia

SERVICE TO THE INSTITUTION

- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing, Student Nurses Association, (volunteer) Advisor 2009- present.
- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing. Carl C. and Judith F. Horvath Memorial Scholarship Fund. Initiated and donation given 2009.
- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing, Undergraduate Faculty Committee, (voted) member 2009- present.
- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing, Dean's Advisory Committee, (voted) member 2009- present.
- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing, Promotion and Tenure Advisory Committee, (voted) member 2009 – present.
- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing, Caring for Faculty Committee, secretary (volunteer), member 2008- present.
- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing, Caring for Students Committee, (volunteer), member, 2007- 2008.
- University of West Georgia, School of Nursing, Care Group Facilitator, 2007- present.
- University of West Georgia, A Day Contributor, 2008 & 2009
- University of West Georgia, Rudolph to the Rescue, Contributor, 2007 & 2008

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

Venture Crew 7, Carrollton, Georgia. Advisor

- Three Rivers Camporee: October, 2009
- Fall Camporee: October, 2009
- Primitive Campout: July, 2009
- Marched in July 4th Parade: July, 2009

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Member

- Quilt Sewing for the Needy. September, 2009
- Youth Service Auction. June, 2009
- Collected Cleaning Supplies for the Carroll County Women's Shelter. May, 2009
- Free Clothing Give-a-way, Community Project: April, 2009
- Sewing 1800's Era Clothing for Pioneer Trek. March, 2009

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS PRESENTED

Communication

University of West Georgia: Nursing 3235: Mental Health. Lecture Spring, 2010

Crager, M., **Horvath, P.**, Helving, A., Johnston, R., Morris, J., Rodgers, G., Truitt, G. & Reilly, L. Predictors of NCLEX-RN Success: An ongoing study. Accepted for poster presentation to represent the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of West Georgia Student Research Forum. Spring, 2007.

Horvath, P., Welch, S. & Reilly, L. Nurses as Educators: Health Literacy/Patient Education. For the Hazel Brunson Lecture: St. Josephs Health Care System. Magnet Hospital. Savannah, Georgia. November, 2005

Physical Examination and Health Assessment: Gerontology focus.

University of West Georgia: Nursing 3172: Physical Assessment. Lecture. Fall, 2005

Elder Health

University of West Georgia: Nursing 3135: Professional Nursing Practice. Lecture. Spring, 2005

Gerontological Nurse Residency Program: Preparing practitioners for the demands of demography. Nursing Care at the End of Life. Lecture. Wesley Woods of Emory Health System. Fall, 2004

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

Masters of Science in Nursing	University of West Georgia Carrollton, Georgia	2007
Bachelors of Science in Nursing	University of West Georgia Carrollton, Georgia	1998
Associates of Science in Nursing	University of West Georgia Carrollton, Georgia	1996
Diploma: Medical Assistant	Southern Ohio College Cleveland, Ohio	1985

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

Licensure

Georgia #RN130941 (expires 1-31-2011)

BLS for Healthcare Providers (expires 5-2010)

Membership in Professional Societies

Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society in Nursing

Pi Nu, Chapter 395. University of West Georgia

Member since 2006

President 2007- present

Georgia Association for Nursing Education

Member since 2009

Georgia Association of Nursing Students/ National Association of Nursing Students

Member since 2009

Professional Meetings/ Continuing Education

- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, Pi Nu Chapter: 2nd Annual Cultural Diversity/ Medical Missions Conference. January, 2010
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing 40th Biennial Convention: Indianapolis, Indiana: October 31- November 4, 2009
- Georgia Association for Nursing Students Convention: Athens, Georgia. October 15- 17, 2009. Advisor to students
- ATI Educator Enrichment Conference: Georgia Perimeter College. October, 2009
- Cultural Diversity Conference: Clayton State University. March, 2009
- Creating a Caring Vision: A seminar with Jean Watson, PhD, RN, AHN-BC, FAAN, Nurse Theorist: St. Joseph's Hospital. March, 2009
- AACN Faculty Development Conference: Savannah, Georgia. February, 2009
- Georgia Nurses Association: Legislative Day. January, 2009
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society, Pi Nu Chapter: 1st Annual Cultural Diversity/ Medical Missions Conference. November, 2009
- Symptom Management Part II: Well Star Development Center. November, 2008
- Symptom Management Part I: Well Star Development Center. October, 2008
- Nursing Faculty Conference: Webcast from Macon State College. September, 2008
- Microsoft Office 2007: University of West Georgia. July, 2008
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, Pi Nu Chapter, Clinical Innovations Night. April, 2009
- Georgia Association for Nursing Education: 2008 Annual Conference. February, 2008
- Georgia Association for Nursing Education: 2007 Annual Conference. February, 2007

- Georgia Association for Nursing Education: 2005 Annual Conference. February, 2005
- Gerontological Nurse Residency Program: Preparing practitioners for the demands of demography. Fall, 2004

Professional Nursing Practice

Registered Nurse: Third Floor. 2007- 2009
 Medical/ Surgical
 Well Star Douglas Hospital: Douglas, Georgia

Registered Nurse/ Resource Nurse: Third Floor 2003- 2007
 Medical/ Surgical/ Pediatrics
 Well Star Paulding Hospital: Dallas, Georgia

Registered Nurse/ Staff Development/ Director of Nurses 1999- 2003
 Long-term Care
 Integrated Health Systems: Carrollton & Rockmart, Georgia

Admission Coordinator/ MDS Coordinator: 1998-1999
 Sub-acute Care Unit
 Tanner Medical Center: Carrollton, Georgia

Registered Nurse: Fourth Floor 1997-1998
 Medical
 Tanner Medical Center: Carrollton, Georgia

Registered Nurse/ Volunteer 1995-1996
 Hospice
 Hospice Care of Carroll County: Carrollton, Georgia