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MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

What an exciting time, nursing has the opportunity to step up and make the difference as we move to improved primary care, preventions and management of chronic illness. Who is better positioned for this than the advanced practice nurse. Through administration, the nurse practitioner role, and nurse educator coupled with the added knowledge of the Doctor of Nursing Practice Madonna, Nursing has worked to insure that the graduate program prepares nurses for where nursing is going, not just where it has been.



You likely saw this picture of our first DNP graduates and indeed we have had a few others complete their program since last May. Each with their own focus, we look forward to their influencing nursing education, administration and practice for years to come.

The nursing program is gearing up for our **fiftieth anniversary**. 2012 marks 50 years of baccalaureate

nursing education, it also marks the 30th anniversary of the graduate nursing program which in 1982 received the Higher Learning Commission's approval to offer the MSA, a masters in nursing specialty administration. This changed to the MSN in 1987 twenty-five years ago. We are looking for alum interested in working on meaningful events for all in the next year. If you would like to offer to be on the committee please let me know. Look for some *Save the Date* information after the first of the year.

Finally, I would like to extend my appreciation for all who have supported the program at all levels. We have an exciting expansion to share, which of course could use additional support. We will be opening a new nursing laboratory on the main campus during the winter semester. It will include 5 simulation rooms as well as a skills practice area. We already have one SimMan® and Noelle®, the birthing mother, and baby Hal; in addition we have two other lower fidelity simulators. We want to bring the advantages of simulation to the undergraduate and graduate programs. We will retain one lab in the DiPonio building for the Nurse Practitioner program. We are particularly grateful to the Sinai Medical Staff Foundation and the

Michigan Nursing Corps for their grants to start expand our simulation technology to this level.

Best wishes,

Teresa L. Thompson PhD RN CRRN
Dean and Professor

GRADUATE CHAIR'S REMARKS

Please join me in celebrating a year of great growth in Madonna's graduate nursing program. Enrollments are at an all-time high as nurses ready themselves with advanced degrees to assume increasingly complex leadership and clinical roles in our changing health care system. Growth in our graduate program has allowed the evolution of our administrative structure to include separate Program Directors for the Nurse Practitioner and Nursing Administration Specialties. Please join me in welcoming Dr. Deborah Dunn and Dr. Phyllis Brenner to these new roles. I will continue to direct the Doctor of Nursing Practice program and serve as overall Chair of the nursing graduate program. Through these administrative changes we hope to provide more specialized and efficient administrative processes as you progress through the program.

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As the winter semester approaches, I want to invite you to save the date for our annual “fireside chat” in which graduate faculty and students gather one evening in February over a light supper to hear a speaker and to discuss issues related to graduate nursing education. This year’s date is Tuesday, February 21, 2012. More details will follow. I hope that you are finding time to achieve your personal goals, and to reflect on the gains in professional development that you have experienced this year through graduate study.

On a personal note, I want to share with you that over the past 7 months I have been struggling with a family crisis of epic proportions. My 29-year old daughter, Janet Rose O’Connor was diagnosed with colon cancer –stage 4. She passed away on Thursday, December 8th. It has been a painful and anguishing journey for our family. We have been sustained by the prayers and support of this community and are grateful for your presence, prayers, and compassion.

Thanks for being an integral part of the Madonna University community of scholars.

Sincerely,

Nancy O’Connor, PhD, ANP-BC
Professor and Chair
Nursing Graduate Program

ADMINISTRATIVE & NURSE PRACTITIONER PROGRAM DIRECTORS MESSAGE

What an exciting time to be in a graduate nursing education program! As showcased in the RWJ/IOM report entitled *The Future of Nursing: Leading change, advancing health* and the Carnegie Foundation report by Benner et al. entitled *Educating Nurses*, enrollments are up in Nurse Practitioner and Doctor of Nursing Practice programs nationally, and Madonna University, is no exception to this trend. Well, maybe little exception, as our nursing administration numbers are also up with more students choosing the dual MSN/MBA program! We have over 350 active graduate students, making our graduate program one of the largest on campus!

As Program Directors it is our pleasure to work with Dr. Nancy O’Connor, Chair of Nursing Graduate Programs, to administer

graduate programs in the College of Nursing and Health. Our responsibilities include, working with students from entrance interviews into the graduate nursing program specialties through graduation and application for certification and licensure.

The Program Directors also lead program curriculum review and revision, program evaluation initiatives, and issues of course scheduling. Students interact directly with the program directors for application to programs, requests to change program within the department, and completion of applications for graduation. Please also note that we depend on you working closely with your respective faculty advisor. Please keep your plans of study updated with your advisors.

Through these administrative duties, we are committed to continue the excellence in education that the College of Nursing is so noted for and look forward to fostering your individual academic success as you pursue your career goals in nursing at Madonna University.

We wish you joy in the upcoming holidays and a pleasant break

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between semesters and that you find some special time to spend with family and friends.

Dr. Phyllis Brenner and Dr. Deborah Dunn

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to both the ANP and ACNP graduates of 2011 for achieving a 100% passing rate on national certifications. We are very proud of you!

Welcome to our new faculty **Angela Donovan, Melanie Keiffer, Deb Johnson, Jennifer Rohrborn, and Sue Sirianni** for their commitment to the Graduate course: NUR 5250, 5300, 6500, 6510, 6570, and 6571.

Save the Date

The annual **Fireside Chat** will be hosted in the DiPonio Building on February 21st, 2012. This is an open forum to exchange ideas with student colleagues and faculty.

The **2nd Annual Research Day** is scheduled for Friday, April 27th, 2012. Please come for professional dialogue and collegiality. Contact hours will be offered for this event.

STUDENT NEWS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The following students and graduates represented Madonna University at the 1st Annual Nursing

Research Day: *Transforming Practice through Quality Initiatives* on April 8, 2011.

The Impact of Mindfulness Meditation in Promoting a Culture of Safety on an Acute Psychiatric Unit: **Stephanie Brady, DNP, PMHCNS, BC**

The Impact of Relational Cueing in Moving Toward a Culture of Care: A Practice Improvement Initiative: **Rosemary Lowry, DNP, APN-BC**

Identifying the Barriers to Use of Standardized Nursing Language in the Electronic Health Record by the Ambulatory Care Nurse Practitioner: **Diane Conrad, DNP, FNP-C**

Exploring the Cost and Clinical Outcomes of Integrating the Registered Nurse-Certified Diabetes Educator in the Patient-Centered Medical Home: **Roseanne Burson, DNP, BC-ACNS, CDE and Katherine Moran, DNP, MSN, CDE**

Using Clinical Microsystem Concepts and Resources to Facilitate Unit-Based Process Improvement and Quality Outcomes: **Ondrea Bates, MS, RN, NEA-BC**

Anxiety Assessment and Sedation Vacation in Mechanically Ventilated Patients: **Patricia Clark, Sommer Eagle, Lois Larson, Elizabeth McDowell, Maria Palleschi, & Sue Sirianni**

Utilizing an Electronic Alert to Identify and Improve care of the Septic Patient: **Sue Sirianni & Maria Pallesch**

Demonstration of an Academic and Service Partnership for Transforming Service Through "Bubbling Up" to Improve the Process of Communicating Open-Heart Surgery Patients' Actual, Accurate Weights and to Inform Graduate Curricula Modifications: **Phyllis S. Brenner, Ondrea Bates, Tammy Proffitt, Kyra Hannawi, & Amanda Sedlik**

Prenatal Breastfeeding Education: **Jennifer Palace & Kari Haefner**

Intrapartum Fetal Surveillance: A Systematic Review of Evidence for Current Practice and Future Research: **Lori Glenn**

Antibiotics are Not Cough Medicine: Avoidance of Antibiotic Treatment in Adults with Acute Bronchitis: **Robin Fowler**

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Unit-based Flu Fighters as a Strategy to Boost Influenza Vaccination in Health Care Workers. **Deborah Johnson**

Urinary Tract Infections: Are they Diagnosed and Treated Correctly Through Telephone Nurse Triage? **Stephanie Bensch**

Evaluation of Documentation Processes in Obtaining Informed Consent for Non-Emergent Procedures. **Brooke Christofferson**

The Primary Care Provider's Role in the Adherence to National Cervical Cancer Screening Guidelines in Underinsured Women **Kristin Work**

Colorectal Cancer Screening. **Helen Burns**

Initiating a Bowel Protocol When Prescribing Scheduled Opioids in the Hospice Setting. **Stephanie Horanic**

How Distressed Are You? Psychosocial Care of the Oncology Patient. **Tracie Donigian**

Acute to Extended Transition Care and Honoring Patients' Care Wishes:

How Are We Doing? **Donna Brennan**

The Effect of Educational Interventions of Prostate Cancer Screening Participation. **Alisa Smith**

Interventions for Hypertension in African American Women. **Angela Allen**

Erectile Dysfunction in Men with Chronic Health Problems. **Rachelle Grey**

The Relationship Between the Nutritional Status of the Patient and the Ability to Wean From Long Term Mechanical Ventilation. **Holly Wuest**

Sleep Deprivation in Critically Ill Adults. **Patricia Clark**

Evaluation of Mobility and Length of Hospital Stay in Mechanically Ventilated Patients. **Robin Wawersik**

Evidence –Based Guidelines to Reduce Cardiac Risks in Patients with Type 2 Diabetes. **Kathleen Isley**

Medication Reconciliation in the Hematology Clinic. **Aurica Lucaciu**

Evaluating Propofol During Cardioversion for Hemodynamic Instability. **Melissa Mack**

A Continuous Quality Improvement Related to Use of ACEI and ARB in Diabetes Mellitus. **Clarita Palaganas**

Reducing Cardiovascular Disease Risk in Ambulatory Patients with Diabetes. **Samantha Garmo**

Adherence to Best Practice Guidelines for Medication Treatment and Self-Management Education in Patients with Systolic Heart Failure. **Maria Puscas**

Preoperative Prophylaxis and/or Treatment of Urinary Tract Infection in Urology. **Danielle Guerin**

Congratulations to our Graduates

The Doctor of Nursing Practice:

Brady, Stephanie
Burson, Rosanne
Conrad, Dianne
Hinderer, Sara
Lowry, Rosemary
Moran, Katherine

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Adult Acute Care Nurse Practitioner:

Christofferson, Brooke
Mack, Melissa

Adult Primary Care Nurse Practitioner :

Bensch, Stephanie
Burns, Helen
Donigian , Tracie
Garmo, Samantha
Guerin, Danielle
Isley, Kathleen
Lucaciu, Aurica
Palaganas, Clarita

Adult Primary & Palliative Care Nurse Practitioner :

Brennan, Donna
Horanic, Stephanie

Nursing Administration:

Burns,Connie
El Zein, Joanna
Habeger ,Carrie
Hall, Mary
Kaminski, Tonya
Macera-DiClemente, Linda

Nursing Administration/MBA Dual Degree

Horton, Brandy
Robinson, Denise

Post-MSN Adult Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Certificate

Wuest, Holly
Wawersik, Robin

Post-MSN Adult Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Certificate

Puscas, Maria
Fowler, Robin

Nurse / Health Care Educator Certificate

Burson, Rosanne
Moran, Katherine
Ruberg, Mary

ALUMNI NEWS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Maria Palleschi & Susan Sirianni presented a poster at the DNP conference in Sept 2011 in New Orleans: *An Interprofessional Approach to Sepsis Care.*

Rosanne Burson and Katherine Moran (DNP graduates 2011) along with MU faculty **John Critchett and Phillip Olla** published, *Exploring the Cost and Clinical Outcomes of Integrating the Registered Nurse-Certified Diabetes Educator Into the Patient-Centered Medical Home*, The Diabetes Educator, 2011 37: 780

Diane Conrad, DNP graduate 2011, was honored at the 16th Annual Celebrate Women Conference. Diane is the President of Conrad Health Consultants, P.C. specializing in health education and consulting.

Rosemary Lowery, DNP graduate 2011, presented at the Sigma Theta Tau Kappa Iota Chapter, 2011 Annual Dinner and Silent Auction "*Generational Attributes Of Peers and Patient*".

Denise Robinson, MSN/MBA graduate, will join the Nurse Executive Team as Nursing Administrator for Division III at Henry Ford Hospital. Denise's area of responsibility will include all general and specialty medical units.

Deborah Turner, ANP graduate, received the NP Student Scholarship Award from the GAPNA-Great Lakes Chapter.

Lisa Zajac, ANP graduate, Informatics Nursing Specialist for Karmanos, presented "*Maintaining Data Integrity in a Hybrid State of Nursing Documentation*" at the 2011 Cerner Health Conference.

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CONDOLENCES

Blessing on the families of Dr Nancy O'Connor on the loss of her beloved daughter Janet Rose, ANP student Catherine Haugen on her loss of her beloved mother, and Julee Gould on the loss of her father.

We hold you in our hearts.

FACULTY NEWS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS (2010-2011)

Publications

Andrews, M. M., **Thompson, T. L. C.**, Wehbe-Alamah, H., McFarland, M. R., Hanson, P. A., **Hasenau, S. M.**, Horn, B. M., Miller, J.E., & **Vint, P.** (2011). Developing a Culturally Competent Workforce through Collaborative Partnerships. *Journal of Transcultural Nursing* 22(3) 300-306.

Banfield, B.E. (2011). Nursing Agency: The link between practical nursing science and nursing practice. *Nursing Science Quarterly*, 24, 42-47.

Banfield, B.E. (2011). Environment: A perspective of the Self-Care Deficit Nursing Theory. *Nursing Science Quarterly*, 24, 96-100.

Brijnath, B., Manto, **E.**, **Mitsch, M.**, Rodriguez, M., Wirattanapokin, S., Yatzak, J. (2010). Post Conference Reflections by Emerging Scholars. *Medical Anthropology Quarterly* 24.(2). 270-273.

Knoerl, A. M., **Esper, K. W.**, & **Hasenau, S. M.** (2011). Cultural Sensitivity in Patient Health Education. *Nursing Clinics of North America* 46(2011) 335-340.

Rhoades, K. (2011, May). Let's Change the Way We Grieve, One Child at a Time. National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization, *ChiPPS Pediatric Palliative Care Newsletter*, Issue #23, 30-36.

Rhoades, K. (2011, May). Featured in *Reader's Corner: Quilly's Sideways Grief: A Story-Based Curriculum About Love & Loss*. National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization, *ChiPPS Pediatric Palliative Care Newsletter*, Issue #23, 47-49

Pierce, L., Steiner, V., Seymour, J., Wicks, B., Wright, C., **Thompson,**

T. Questions caregivers asked in caring for stroke survivors. *Online Journal of Nursing Informatics*.

Vallerand, A.H., **Hasenau, S.M.**, & Templin, T. (2010). Improving cancer pain management in the home. *Journal of Pain Management*, 3 (1), 41-52.

Publications in press

Andrews, M. M., **Thompson, T. L. C.**, Wehbe-Alamah, H., McFarland, M. R., Hanson, P. A., Hasenau, S. M., Horn, B. M., Miller, J.E., & Vint, P. (2011). Developing a Culturally Competent Workforce through Collaborative Partnerships. *Journal of Transcultural Nursing*.

Manuscript in Review

Burgermeister, D., Kwasky, A., Groh, C. (2011). Promoting Mental Health Concepts in a Doctor of Nursing Practice Curriculum: An Integrated Approach. *Nurse Education in Practice*.

Lowry, R., **Brenner, P. S.**, **Hasenau, S.**, & **O'Connor, N A.** (2011). Relational Cueing and Patient Satisfaction in an Emergency Department. *Journal of Nursing*

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Care Quality, Manuscript submitted for publication, April, 1, 2011.

Pierce, L., Steiner, **Thompson, T.** (2011). Caregiver's incongruence: Emotional strain in caring for person's with stroke. *Rehabilitation Nursing*

Brady, S., O'Connor, N., Burgermeister, D., & Hanson, P. (2010). The Impact of Mindfulness Meditation Promoting A Culture of Safety on a Psychiatric Unit. *Perspectives in Psychiatric Care*, accepted April, 2011.

Books and Chapters

Andrews, M. & **Thompson, T.** (2012). Cultural Perspectives within Rehabilitation Nursing. In K. Mauk (ed.). *Rehabilitation Nursing*. (2nd ed., pp.652-667). Boston MA: Jones and Bartlett.

Burgermeister, D. (2011). Chapter: Psychosocial risk factors for smoking and nicotine dependence: Implications for prevention and treatment. Hauppauge: NY. Nova Science Publishers, Inc.

Dunn, D. (2011). Chapter 8.1 Venous Insufficiency in a Home-Bound Elder. In Bowles, D. (2011). *Gerontology*

Nursing Case Studies: 100 Narratives for Learning. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.

Dunn, D. (2011). Chapter 10.5 Dizziness & Vertigo. In Bowles, D. (2011). *Gerontology Nursing Case Studies: 100 Stories for Learning*. New York, NY: Springer Publishing

Dunn, D. (2011). Chapter 11.3 Chronic Atrial Fibrillation. In Bowles, D. (2011). *Gerontology Nursing Case Studies: 100 Narratives for Learning*. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.

Dunn, D. (2011). Chapter 11.7 Anemia. In Bowles, D. (2011). *Gerontology Nursing Case Studies: 100 Narratives for Learning*. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.

Hasenau, S. (2010). Chapter 2. Improving cancer pain management in the home. In Chow, E. & Merrick, J. eds.(2010) *Advanced Cancer, Pain and Quality of Life*. Hauppauge, NY: Nova Publishers.

Books and Chapters in Review

Andrews, M. & **Thompson, T.** (2011 -in press). Cultural Perspectives within Rehabilitation Nursing. In K. Mauk (ed.).

Rehabilitation Nursing. (2nd ed., pp.652-667). Boston MA: Jones and Bartlett.

Hanson, P.A. (2011) Religion, culture and nursing. In M.M. Andrews and J.S. Boyle (eds) *Transcultural Concepts in Nursing Care* (6th Ed.). Philadelphia: Lippincott Williams & Wilkins.

Dunn, D. (2011). Chapter 8.1 Venous Insufficiency in a Home-Bound Elder. In Bowles, D. (2011). *Gerontology Nursing Case Studies: 100 Stories for Learning*. Publication pending. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.

Dunn, D. (2011). Chapter 10.5 Dizziness & Vertigo. In Bowles, D. (2011). *Gerontology Nursing Case Studies: 100 Stories for Learning*. Publication Pending. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.

Dunn, D. (2011). Chapter 11.3 Chronic Atrial Fibrillation. In Bowles, D. (2011). *Gerontology Nursing Case Studies: 100 Stories for Learning*. Publication Pending. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.

Presentations (*refereed)

Bates, O., & **Brenner, O.** (2011).

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“Using Clinical Microsystem Concepts and Resources to Facilitate Unit- based Process Improvement and Quality Outcomes”. Madonna University, College of Nursing and Health 1st Annual Research Day, *Transforming Practice through Quality Initiatives*, Livonia, MI 48150, April 8. and at Oakwood Health System, Evidence Based Practice Conference, Dearborn, MI, 48124, April 14.

Burgermeister, D. (2011). Collaborative Student Faculty Research, “Multimedia Resources in an Acute Psychiatric Unit”, Madonna University, March 24.

Dunn, D., & Anderson, D., Academic and Non-academic factors as predictors of early academic success in baccalaureate nursing programs. Scholarly Paper Presentation. *ASHE Annual Conference, Higher Education Scholarship and Public Policy: What is the Optimal Alignment*. General Conference: November 18-20, Indianapolis, Indiana *

Gorman, M., Williams K., Davidson, A. & Galea, S. (2010). Healthy Homes for Healthy Mothers and Healthy Babies. Michigan’s Premier Public Health Conference Bay City on October 27-28.

Kwasky, A., Groh, C., & **Burgermeister, D.** (2011) "The Redesign of a Doctor of Nursing Practice Curriculum: Integrating Mental Health Competencies" Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Academy (SOTL) Eastern Michigan University, May 16-17*

Lis, G. (2011). Clostridium Difficile Associated Disease: Prevention, Recognition and Treatment. MICNP 10th Annual Conference. April, Ypsilanti, MI

Lis, G. (2011). Evaluation of Concept Maps in Nurse Practitioner Education as a Means to Enhance Clinical Competence. DNP defense, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland Ohio (April 2011). Evaluation of Concept Maps in Nurse Practitioner Education. Madonna University 1st Annual Research Day. March Livonia, MI

Mitsch, M. (2010). What is a “good death” in a Sudden Death Event? Plenary Speaker Palliative Care Collaborative: 4th Annual Regional Conference, October.

Mitsch, M. (2010). Transforming Despair to Joy: Is a “good death” Possible in a Sudden Death Event?

Plenary Speaker: Michigan Nurses for Life Conference, Current Trends in End of Life Health Care. September.

Mitsch, M. (2010). Is a “good death” Possible in a Sudden Death Event? Plenary Speaker: Emergency Nurses Association of Michigan Annual Spring Conference, Soaring Eagle Resort, Mount Pleasant, MI May.

Jamison, T. (2011). *Antiarrhythmias and Selected Dysrhythmias*, Invited Presentation, Michigan Council of Nurse Practitioners, 10th Annual Advanced Practice Nursing Conference, April 1, Ann Arbor, MI

Jamison, T. (2010). 12 lead EKG Workshop, *Implications for Care Across the Continuum*, Invited Presentation, University of Detroit Mercy, October, Detroit, MI

Leen, M. (2011). Community Engagement and Service Learning in the DNP Curriculum: Population-focused Context. Madonna University, Livonia, MI

O’Connor, N.A., & Rouen, P. A., (September, 2010). From Competition to Collaboration: Demonstrating Nursing Educational Leadership within

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an Academic DNP Program Consortium. Podium presentation at the 3rd National Doctors of nursing practice Conference: Innovation and Leadership: San Diego, CA. Supported by HRSA D09HP15003.*

Rhoades, K. (2011). Roadmap to Forgiveness: What's Lost, What's Left, and What's Possible? Southeast Michigan Healthcare Chaplains Association, St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center, Detroit, MI May 18, 2011.

Rhoades, K. (2010). Recognizing the Cues: When Children and Adolescents Grieve. Invited Keynote speaker for the Community Coalition on Grief and Bereavement, Hancock, MI October 7-8, 2010.

Thompson, T., Pierce, L., Steiner, V., (2011). *Time will go on, and we will get back to normal.* First Research Conference Madonna University. April, Livonia, MI.*

Thompson, T., Pierce, L., & Steiner, V. (2010). When Reality Meets the Researcher. 36th Annual Education Conference, Association of Rehabilitation Nurses; Orlando, FL. Oct. 2, 2010.*

Poster Presentations

(* peer reviewed) **Brenner, P. S.,** Bates, O., Proffitt, T., Hannawi, K., & Sedlik, A. (2011). "Demonstration of an Academic and Service Partnership for Transforming Service Through "Bubbling Up" to Improve the Process of Communicating Open-Heart Surgery Patients' Actual, Accurate Weights and to Inform Graduate Curricula Modifications". AACN Master's Education Conference, Scottsdale, AZ, February 24-26. *

Brenner, P. S., Bates, O., Proffitt, T., Hannawi, K., & Sedlik, A. (2011). "Demonstration of an Academic and Service Partnership for Transforming Service Through "Bubbling Up" to Improve the Process of Communicating Open-Heart Surgery Patients' Actual, Accurate Weights and to Inform Graduate Curricula Modifications". *Transforming Practice through Quality Initiatives*", Madonna University, College of Nursing and Health 1st Annual Research Day, Livonia, MI 48150, April 8.*

Conrad, D., & Brenner, P.S. (2010). "The Devil is in the Details: Maximizing Impact through

Weaving a Web of Contacts During the HITECH Regulations Comment Period". 20th Anniversary Summer Institute in Nursing Informatics: From First Use to Meaningful Use Conference, Baltimore, MD: July 21-24.* MI-CNP, April 1-2, 2011.and was the winner of the poster award entitled Evidence-Based Practice Award. *

Dunn, D. (2010). Improving Long-Term Care Multi-drug Resistant Urinary Tract Infection: A Detection, Management and Transmission Prevention Clinical Outcomes Project. Annual Educational Conference : Coming Together to Meet the Evolving Needs of Older Adults. GAPNA (Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association) Albuquerque, NM. September 15-19.

Hasenau, S., Thompson. T. C., Pierce, L. L., & Steiner, V. (2010). "Uncertainty: The Reality of Caregiving" Rehabilitation Nursing Foundation Symposium at 36th Annual Education Conference, Association of Rehabilitation Nurses; Orlando, FL. Oct. 1.

Jamison, T. & Lis, G. (2011). "Use of Concept Maps in Graduate

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Education”, National Organization for Nurse Practitioner Faculties 35th Annual Meeting, April Albuquerque, New Mexico*

Pierce, L.L., Steiner, V., & **Thompson, T.L.C.** (2011). Caring for persons with stroke: Themes drawn from caregivers’ questions.” Association of Rehabilitation Nurses, 37th Annual Education Conference, Las Vegas, NV
Awarded: **Best Poster for Scientific Merit.***

Grants

Andrews, M. Project Director, & **Thompson, T.** Co-Director.
Developing Cultural Competencies for Nurses: Evidence-based Best Practices. Funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Nursing Education, Practice and Retention Program [Cultural Competence Category]. Grant #11 D11HP09759-00-0 for \$1,004,471.00 from July 1, 01-0 2008-June, 30, 2010.

Burgermeister, D. (2010) Multimedia Resources in the Acute Psychiatric Unit. Summer Research

Award, faculty- student collaborative research. Madonna University. \$600.

Burgermeister, D. (2011). The Relationship of Health Status to Academic Achievement in College Students,” Title III Strengthening Institutions faculty-student collaborative research Project. \$1,000.

Dunn, D. (2010). Continuous Quality Assurance Project. Title III Strengthening Institutions Faculty-Student Collaborative Summer Research Award. \$1,000.

Griffin, C. (2011). Summer Dissertation Scholarship Award. Wayne State University. \$5,000.

Hasenau, S. (2011). Project Director for NIH- Grant # 1R01CA149432-01A1. Improving Functional Status in African Americans with Cancer Pain. 04/01/2011-03/31/2014. \$ 895, 104.00

Hollie, B. (2010-2011). Development and Pilot of Diversity Awareness Questionnaire. Summer Research Project. Madonna University.

Leen, M. (2011). Student nurse coaching for health promotion in older adults. Title III grand for undergraduate research. Award. \$1000.

Lis, G. (2010). Evaluation of Concept Maps in Graduate Nurse Practitioner Education. Madonna University Faculty Professional Development Research Grant. \$1,000.

Lis, G. (2010). *Evaluation of Concept Maps in Graduate Nurse Practitioner Education.* Summer FPD Research Award. \$600.00.

Mitsch, M. (2010) *A Ritual Investigation of Sudden Death Events in an Urban United States Emergency Room Context.* Madonna University Faculty Professional Development Research Grant. \$1,000.

Mitsch, M. (2010). *A Ritual Investigation of Sudden death Events in a Urban United States Emergency Room Context.* Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Foundation Student Award Program Grant. \$3,000.

O’ Connor, N. Project Director, Rouen, P. Co Project Director

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(UDM) **Hasenau, S.**, Project Co-Investigator and faculty consultant, & **Burgermeister, D.** faculty consultant Impacting health disparities by developing a consortium model for DNP programs in partnership with health systems. Funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). [Advanced Nursing Education Training Category.] Grant # 1 D09HP15003-01-00 for \$733,958 from July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2012.

Andrews, M. Project Director, & **Thompson, T.** Co-Director. Developing Cultural Competencies for Nurses: Evidence-based Best Practices. Funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Nursing Education, Practice and Retention Program [Cultural Competence Category]. Grant #11 D11HP09759-00-0 for \$1,004,471.00 from July 1, 2008-June, 30, 2010.

Research

Therese Jamison. (2007-2011). Data Manager, St. John's Macomb Hospital, for the Society of Thoracic Surgeons.

Therese Jamison. (2010). Research Assistant: Concept mapping.

Dissertation Research

Mary Mitsch, *A Ritual Investigation of Sudden Death Events in an Urban United States Emergency Department Context.* Doctoral Dissertation

Catherine Griffin *Customary Care Practices When Women and Families Experience Pregnancy Loss in a Labor and Delivery Unit of an American Hospital.* Doctoral Dissertation

Hollie, Barbara - *Cognitive adaptation processing and sexual self-concept in women who have experienced cervical cancer treatments.* Doctoral Dissertation

Editorial Boards, Editorial Panel and Reviews

Dr. Phyllis S. Brenner serves on the Editorial Board of *RN-AIM e-News letter*

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Editorial Board, *American Journal of College Health*

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Review Panel, *The Journal of Nursing Measurement*

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Editorial Board, *The Journal for Nurse Practitioners*

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Editorial Board, *Michigan Psychoanalytic Council Bulletin*

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Editorial Board, *The Journal for Nurse Practitioners* (appointed July 2010)

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Sentinel Reader: McMaster University Health Information Research Unit, Mc Master Online Rating of Evidence, Hamilton, Ontario, CA

Dr. Susan Hasenau Review panel for Cancer Nursing Journal and Transcultural Nursing

Dr. Teresa L. Thompson serves on the Editorial Board of the *Neuro-Rehabilitation Journal*.

Dr. Teresa L. Thompson Editorial Panel Rehabilitation Nursing Journal

Teaching Empowerment Team

Brenner, P. (2010). Summer FPD award to complete the Dartmouth Institute Microsystems Academy co-sponsored by AACN. \$1000.00 Faculty Professional Development (FPD) Award.

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Dornbrook, B., Dunn, D., Hollie, B., & Lis G. (2010). Teaching Empowerment Team grant, *Health Practices in Advanced Practice*. \$3000.00

Dunn, D. (2010). Continuous Quality Assurance Project. Title III Strengthening Institutions Faculty-Student Collaborative Summer Research Award. \$1,000.

Therese Jamison Dr. Gail Lis, and Corinne, Kee, *Engaging the Learner by Bridging the Gap between Theory and Practice with Simulation*. \$1,800.00

Drs. Gail Lis, Patricia Hanson, Diane Burgermeister, Barbara Banfield.
Development of Guiding Framework for College of Nursing and Health Program, 2400.00

National Nursing Certification new or renewal in 2010-11

Dr. Gail Lis, Adult Acute Nurse Practitioner. ANCC

Dr. Diane Burgermeister, Psychiatric-Mental Health Clinical Nurse Specialist, ANCC

Continuing Education Offerings

RN Refresher Course, Madonna University. Presented by Dr.

Deborah Dunn & Therese Jamison Renewal offered during the course by Dr. Sue Hasenau. Nov 2010 and April 2011

12 Lead EKG - **Therese Jamison,** Implications for Care Across the Continuum. March 27, 2010, May 2, 2010.

Basic EKG – **Dr. Deborah Dunn** presented March 19, 2010

Dr. Susan Hasenau and Jeanne Heatlie offered *Basic Cardiac Life Support* courses to students entering the nursing major: 6/10/10, & 6/17/10. 11/4/2010 & 3/17/ 2011.

Dr. Diane Burgermeister, Psychopharmacology, Madonna University, June 7, 2010

Service to the Department

Faculty Aggregate Outcome Task Force (2011). - **Dr. M. Leen** (Convenor), **Mrs. J. Heatlie,** **Dr. G. Lis,** **Dr. D. Burgermeister.**

Scholarship of teaching endeavor to evaluate the learner-centered concept in the curriculum. **Dr. M. Leen** (convener), **Mrs. K. Marold,** **Mrs. K. Esper,** **Dr. G. Lis.**

Service to the Profession

Dr. Phyllis Brenner - Council of Research and Evidence Based Practice Representative to the state-wide RN-AIM Board of Directors, 2010 – 2011.

Dr. Phyllis Brenner - RN-AIM Bylaws Committee, continuing through present

Dr. Diane Burgermeister American Psychiatric Nurses Association, APNA Task Force on Workplace Violence, Expert Consultant Panel

Dr. Diane Burgermeister American Psychiatric Nurses Association, APNA Administrative Counsel Expert Consultant Panel

Dr. Deborah Dunn – NONPH (National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculty) nominating committee 2011-2013.

Dr. Susan M. Hasenau – President for Kappa Iota Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International (2011-2012)

Dr. Susan M. Hasenau – Treasurer for Transcultural Nursing Society (2009-2012);

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Dr. Susan M. Hasenau – Treasurer for Chronic Illness Coalition of Michigan (2006-2012).

Dr. Susan M. Hasenau – Michigan Representative for National Family Caregivers Association.

Dr. Rita Moulton – Leadership succession Kappa Iota 2008-2010

Therese, Jamison, Patria DeGuia, Corinne Kee, Jeanne Heatlie, Christine Burchett, Kathy Meyer precepted Master's level Nursing Education students from Oakland University, Madonna University and from Michigan State University.

Dr. Kelly Rhoades – EOL care conference planning, Michigan Hospice and Palliative Care Education Committee (1996-current).

Dr. Teresa Thompson – Re-appointed to the Michigan Board of Nursing 2011-2015. Chair

Service to the community

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Region 2 South Michigan Medical Bio-Defense Team, Mental Health

Dr. Diane Burgermeister State of Michigan Volunteer Registry

Dr. Diane Burgermeister Dominican Consultation Center

Maureen Leen PhD RN – board volunteer advisory committee at Bridging Communities, INC'

Kelly Rhoades (2010). National Downs Syndrome Society, Annual Buddy Walk. Volunteer for the Event, Plymouth, MI Sept. 26, 2010

Editors Note:

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