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EDUCATION

Certificate in Physical Therapist Assisting, October 1995.
Mount St. Mary's College – Los Angeles, CA

Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology, June 1988.
University of California, Los Angeles

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Texas Physical Therapy Faculty Summit, San Marcos, March 2010
OSHA Compliance Review, TexasTech University HSC, December 2009
Spasticity Management, St. Jude Medical Center (SJMC), February 2009
Communication with Diverse Populations, St. Jude Medical Center, March 2008
Functional Independence Measure (FIM) Training, St. Jude Medical Center, March 2007
Combined Sections Meeting APTA, San Diego, CA, February 2006
Basic Wound Care for Nursing, St. Joseph Hospital, September 2005
Treatment of the Shoulder Complex in SCI Patients, SJMC, June-July 2003
Orthopedic Considerations for Biomechanical Alignment of the LE, Los Angeles Dept. of Health & Human Services, January 2001
LE Bracing, Los Angeles Dept. of Health & Human Services, September 2000
Treatment of Common Pathologies of the Shoulder, St. Jude Medical Center, March 2000
Orthopedic Intervention in the Neurologic Patient, Sharp Healthcare, June 1999
Seating and Positioning: Problems and Solutions, AKH Consultants – Downey, CA, March 1998
Clinical Instructor Training, IACCC – Downey, CA, July 1997
Adaptive Fitness Instruction, Disabled Sports USA – Fullerton, CA, June 1997
NDT Interventions Impacting Movement Deficits, Citrus Valley Medical Center, January 1997
No One Deserves to be Hurt, St. Jude Medical Center, November 1996
California Chapter Conference, APTA, September 1995
Reducing Incidence of Falling Among Older Adults, LA County District APTA, June 1995

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Body Mechanics/Transfer Training for Nursing, New Employees and PT/PTA Students, St. Jude Medical Center, June 1998 – January 2010 on a quarterly Basis

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Clinical Instructor – Southern California Interscholastic Academic Clinical Coordinators Council (IACCC)
CPR – American Heart Association
Professional Assault Response Training (PART)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) – Texas Chapter, Neurology & Education Sections

COLLEGE TEACHING EXPERIENCE

February 2010 – Present	Victoria College, Coordinator of Clinical Education and Instructor – PTA Program
August 1996 – May 1999	Mount St. Mary's College, Adjunct Instructor – PTA Program

COMMUNITY ACTIVITES

Second Harvest Food Bank
National Stroke Association, Walk of Life