

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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### **EDUCATION**

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Degree</u></b>	<b><u>Year</u></b>
University of Tennessee at Chattanooga College of Nursing	Doctor of Nursing Practice	2014
Union University School of Nursing	Post-Master’s Certificate, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner (PNP)	2008
University of Memphis Loewenberg College of Nursing	Master of Science Degree Nursing Education: Maternal Child Nursing	2006
Baptist College of Health Sciences College of Nursing	Bachelor of Science in Nursing	2000
Shelby State Community College	Associate of Applied Science, Nursing	1989

### **HONORS/AWARDS**

Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society

Daisy Award Nominee

**BOARD CERTIFICATION:**

American Nurses Credentialing Center	Pediatric Primary Care Nurse Practitioner	2009-Present
American Nurses Credentialing Center	Advanced Genetics Nursing Certification	2017-Present

**LICENSURE**

Registered Nurse	Tennessee	RN81453	Multistate	1989-Present
Advanced Practice Nurse	Tennessee	APN13926	Active	2009-Present

**SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS**

**Year**

American Association of Nurse Practitioners (AANP)	2016-present
Greater Mid-South Area Association of Nurse Practitioners (GMAAPN)	2014-present
International Society of Nurses in Genetics (ISONG)	2014-present
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners (NAPNAP)	2009-present
American Nurses Association (ANA)	2009-present
Tennessee Nurses Association (TNA)	1989-present

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>	<b><u>Years in Position</u></b>
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The University of Tennessee Health Science Center (UTHSC)	Assistant Professor	2015-Present
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Academic advising of graduate students, team leader for 2017-2018 strategic planning, simulation champion, curriculum committee member, DNP Portfolio committee member, UTHSC faculty senate member, legislative committee through faculty senate, clinical preceptor coordinator.

Union University School of Nursing	Assistant Professor	2006-2010
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Academic advising of accelerated RN-BSN students, pediatric nursing course coordinator, skills lab coordinator, RN-BSN Nursing Leadership course lead faculty, curriculum committee, Sigma Theta Tau representative.

Murray State University -School of Nursing	Adjunct Clinical Instructor Graduate Program Guest Lecturer Genetics	2000-present
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University of Memphis Loewenberg School of Nursing	Clinical Graduate Assistant	2005-2006
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**PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE:**

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>	<b><u>Years in Position</u></b>
University LeBonheur Pediatric Specialists (ULPS)	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	2014-present

Inpatient genetic consults which include obtaining family history, history and physical examination, completion of a three-generation pedigree and subsequent follow-up with consulting team on results of recommended genetic testing.

Manage and coordinate care and enzyme replacement therapy for patients with lysosomal storage disorders including, MPS I, MPS II, Gaucher and Pompe.

Provide care coordination for patients in a general genetics clinic and inborn errors of metabolism. Locations include LBCMC outpatient and satellite clinics.

Attend weekly genetic interdisciplinary rounds.

Audit medical genetic lectures in the College of Medicine's Metabolic Basis of Disease courses.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	2009-2014
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Worked independently in the inpatient and outpatient setting providing preoperative evaluations for pediatric oncology patients receiving anesthesia for surgery and diagnostic imaging. Duties included performing physical exam, assisted in the interpretation of patient data, which allowed for optimization of the patient to receive anesthesia. Assisted anesthesiologists in the care of patients on the pain service.

Worked as nurse practitioner in investigational psychology with the principle investigator of a childhood cancer survivor study. Duties included recruiting patients, ordering vaccine, managed data and followed-up to ensure study participants met data points.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital	Registered Nurse	1989-2009
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Baptist Memorial Hospital	Registered Nurse	1996-1998
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## **PRIOR TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Course title/Number</u></b>	<b><u>Role</u></b>
Union University School of Nursing	Pediatric Nursing	Course coordinator
	Leadership	Clinical Professor
	Skills Lab	Course Coordinator
Baptist College of Health Sciences	Pediatric Oncology Content	Guest lecturer
University of Memphis, Loewenberg College of Nursing	Pediatric Clinical	Adjunct Professor

## **COMMITTEES**

	<b><u>Year</u></b>
International Society for Nurses in Genetics Education Committee Member Professional Practice Committee	2016-present
UTHSC Faculty Senator Legislative Committee Member	2016-present
UTHSC Quality Enhancement Plan Proposal Development Committee	2018-present

## **PUBLICATIONS**

McClinton, T., Murray, E & Nikbakht, S. (2019). Respiratory tract infections, neoplasms and childhood disorders. In S. Grossman & C.M. Porth (Eds.), *Porth's Pathophysiology: Concepts of Altered Health States* (9<sup>th</sup> ed.) (pp. 928-957). Wolters Kluwer Health. Philadelphia, PA: Lippincott Williams & Wilkins

Nikbakht, S., & Sebastian, A. (2017) Implementation of a No-Hit Zone in an Acute Care

Institution: Perceptions of Staff. Poster Presentation at the Society of Pediatric Nurses National Conference.

Nikbakht, S., & Sebastian, A. (2017) Implementation of a No-Hit Zone in an Acute Care

Institution: Perceptions of Staff. Poster Presentation at LeBonheur Children’s Medical Center Pediatric Research Day.

Young-Pitts, C. Hicks, R., Love, R. Harkless, G, Honig, J., Desjardins, K....Nikbakht, S. (2016).

White Paper: The Doctor of Nursing Practice Nurse Practitioner Clinical Scholar. Executive Summary. National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculty.

Nikbakht, S. (2014) Professional Quality of Life in Newly Licensed Pediatric Oncology Nurses. Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) Scholarly Project at The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga College of Nursing.

Nikbakht, S. (2014) Compassion Fatigue and Burnout in Newly Licensed Pediatric Oncology Nurses. Podium Presentation LeBonheur Children’s Medical Center Innovative Practice Council.

Nikbakht, S. (2013) Professional Quality of Life in Newly Licensed Oncology Nurses enrolled in a Nurse Residency Program. Poster Presentation at St. Jude Evidenced Based Practice Council.

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

<b><u>Organization</u></b>	<b><u>Role</u></b>	<b><u>Years in Position</u></b>
Building Strong Brains Tennessee Tennessee Commission for Children and Youth	Trainer	2018-present
Greater Memphis Area Advanced Practice Nurses	Board Member	2017-present
Greater Memphis Area Advanced Practice Nurses	President	2016-2018
Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education	Site Evaluator	2012-Present
LeBonheur Nurse Family Partnership	Advisory Board Member	2015-present