

## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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### PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- California: RN # 354801; renewed 2008
- New Jersey: RN # 038916; 4/15/06 26N003891600
- California BRN, Clinical Nurse Specialist Certificate #329, renewed 11/30/2000; renewed 2002; 2008
- American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), certified clinical specialist: ID# 027827, Adult Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing (9/82, Recertified - 9/87; & Recertified 9/92, Recertified 9/97; Recertified 11/02;11/07
- Listed Psychiatric/Mental Health Nurse, CA Board of Registered Nursing, P132
- Facilitator Training in The Moller-Wer Model of Simultaneous Patient-Family Education Regarding Psychosis, 7/94

### Education

Degree	<i>Institution</i> (Name, City, State)	<i>Major Area</i> <i>Of Study</i>	<i>Year</i>
1. Diploma	Jersey City Med Ctr., NJ	Nursing	1963
2. BA	Georgian Court College, Lakewood, NJ	Humanities	1974
3. MS	Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ	Psychiatric Nursing	1981
4. PhD	Golden Gate University San Francisco, CA	Public Administration	1987

**PRESENT POSITION:** Full professor, Graduate Coordinator and Assistant Director of the School of Nursing

### List of Selected Publications

Hong, S., Murphy, S. O. & Connolly, P. M. (2008). Parental satisfaction with nurses' communication and pain management in a pediatric unit. Pediatric Nursing, 34(4), 289-293.

Canham, D., Mao, D., Yoder, M., Connolly, P., & Dietz, E. (2008) The Omaha System and quality measurement in academic nurse-managed centers: Ten steps for implementation. Journal of Nursing Education, 47(3), 105-110

- Ulanimo, V. M., O'Leary-Kelley, C. & Connolly, P. M. (2007). Nurses' perceptions of causes of medication errors and barriers to reporting. Journal of Care Quality, 22(1), 28-33.
- Twoy, R., Connolly, P. M., & Novak, J. M. (2007). Coping strategies used by parents of children with autism. Journal of the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners, 19, 1-10.
- Connolly, P. M., Mao, C., Yoder, M., & Canham, D. (2006). Evaluation of the Omaha System in an academic nurse managed center. Online Journal of Nursing Informatics, 10(3) [online]. Available: [http://eaa-knowledge.com/ojni/ni/10\\_3/connolly.htm](http://eaa-knowledge.com/ojni/ni/10_3/connolly.htm)
- Kavanagh, D., Connolly, P., & Cohen, J. (2006). Promoting evidence-based practice: Implementing the American stroke association's acute stroke program. Journal of Nursing Care Quality, 21(2), 135-142.
- Connolly, P. M. (2006). Crisis intervention . In W. Mohr (Ed.) Psychiatric mental health nursing, (6<sup>th</sup> ed.) ( pp. 395 – 410). Philadelphia: Lippincott.
- Lee, C., Connolly, P. M., & Dietz, E. (2005) Forensic nurses' views regarding medications for inmates. Journal of Psychosocial Nursing, 43(6), 32 – 39.
- Ngho Toche, C., Lewis, I. D., Connolly, P. M. (2005). Outcomes of inpatient geropsychiatric treatment. Journal of Gerontological Nursing, 31(4), 12 – 18.
- Connolly, P. M., & Elfrink, V. (2002). Using information technology in community-based psychiatric nursing education: The SJSU/NT project. Home Health Care Management and Practice, 14 (5), 344 – 352.
- Dichter, J., Cohen, J., & Connolly, P. (2002). What are the knowledge, awareness and perceived skill levels regarding bulimia nervosa among nurse practitioners caring for young female patients? Journal of Nurse Practitioner, 14(6), 269 -275.
- Connolly, P. M., & Novak, J. (2000) Teaching collaboration: A demonstration project. Journal of American Psychiatric Nurses Association, 6(6), 183 -190.
- Connolly, P. (1999). Consumer advocacy. In C. Shea, L. Pelletier, E. Poster, G. Stuart, & M. Verhey (Eds.) Advanced practice nursing in psychiatric & mental health care (pp. 387 - 407). St. Louis: Mosby.
- Connolly, P. M., Huynh, M. T., & Gorenay-Moreno, M. J. (1999, Winter). On the cutting edge or over the edge? Implementing the Nightingale Tracker. On-Line Journal of Nursing Informatics [On-Line], 3(1), Available: <http://cac.psu.edu/~dxm12/ojni.html>.
- Connolly, P. M. (1998). *Omaha: Psychiatric home care case*. [On-line], HYPERLINK <http://omahasystem.org/case1.htm>

Connolly, P. (1995). Transdisciplinary collaboration of academia and practice in the area of serious mental illness. Australian and New Zealand Journal of Mental Health Nursing, 4 (4), 168-180.

### **Principal Investigator Experience**

Cisco Systems Foundation, **Awarded \$15,000** for Patient Record Software for Nurse Managed Centers, June 13, 2008.

*Professional Nurse Traineeship, DHHS, HRSA Division of Nursing*, application for 7/1/06- 6/30/07 \$706,024.00 submitted **11/18/05; Awarded \$49,899.00**

*Professional Nurse Traineeship, DHHS, HRSA Division of Nursing*, application for 7/1/05 – 6/30/06, \$34,638, submitted 11/05/04 ; **Awarded \$49,000.00**

*Professional Nurse Traineeship, DHHS, HRSA Division of Nursing*, application for 7/1/03 – 6/30/04, \$34,638, submitted 11/05/03 ; **Awarded \$39,000.00**

*Professional Nurse Traineeship, DHHS, HRSA Division of Nursing*, application for 7/1/02 – 6/30/03, \$34,638, submitted 11/05/01 ; **Awarded \$57,000.00**

*Professional Nurse Traineeship, DHHS, HRSA Division of Nursing*, application for 7/1/01 – 6/30/02, \$34,638, submitted 11/05/00 ; **Awarded \$59,000.00**

**Awarded \$15,500** for CDBG from the Town of Los Gatos for Health Place 1991-92, Project Director, managing grant, faculty, graduate students and staff for 165 clients, 52 weeks per year.

**Awarded \$15,500** for CDBG from the Town of Los Gatos for Health Place 1989-90, Project Director -- manage grant, faculty, graduate students, and staff for 165 unduplicated clients 52 weeks per year.

### **Selected Presentations**

“ Education Initiatives for EBN,” D. Canham, M. Yoder, P. M. Connolly, & C. Mao, 18<sup>th</sup> International Nursing Research Focusing on Evidence-Based Practice, Vienna, Austria, July 13, 2007.

“Transforming Academic Challenges into Opportunities,” Omaha System International Conference: A Key to Practice, Documentation, and Information Management, April 14, 2007, Eagan, MN.

“The Omaha System International Conference, Integration Into the Curriculum,” Omaha System International Conference: A Key to Practice, Documentation and Information Management, April 22-23, 2005, Minneapolis, MN.

“Forensic Nurses’ Practices and Views with Inmates with Serious Mental Illness,” P. M. Connolly & Chia-Chen Lee, 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, American Psychiatric Nurses Association, October 15, 2004, Phoenix, Arizona.

“*Interdisciplinary Collaboration for Clients with Mental Illness*,” for the 2<sup>nd</sup> World Congress on Allied Health, Telford, England, July 21, 1997

“*Transdisciplinary Collaboration of Academia and Practice in the Area of Serious Mental Illness*.” 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference, “An International Conference on Mental Health Nursing,” Canberra, Australia, September 30, 1995