

Suzanne M. Levasseur, MSN, CPNP, APRN

Experience/Employment

Supervisor of Health Services, Westport Public Schools, Westport CT. July 2011-present.

- Leadership of the school health program and supervision and coordination of nursing staff.

Coordinator of Health Care Services, Danbury Public Schools, Danbury CT. January 2003 - present.

- Leadership of the school health program and supervision and coordination of nursing and dental staff.
- Program management of a variety of health promotion activities such as childhood obesity, teen pregnancy and childhood vaccination.
- Providing physical exams and sports related physicals to the school-aged child in the school setting.

Nurse Practitioner, Danbury Hospital, Danbury CT. July 2006 - present

- Providing primary care to newborns and families in the well baby nursery including admissions, discharges, patient education and management of routine common newborn conditions.

Nurse Practitioner, Community Health Center, Danbury CT. October 2005 - present.

- Providing screening, diagnosis, treatment, and counseling to patients in a community health setting.

Nurse Practitioner, Wellness on Wheels Program, Danbury CT. June 2004 - August 2006.

- Providing primary/acute care to children of all ages on a mobile van.

Nurse Practitioner, Danbury High School and Broadview Middle School, School-Based Health Center, Danbury CT. January, 1999-January 2003

- Providing primary/acute care to high school and middle school students within a diverse setting.
- Coordination of treatment with outside community resources.
- Active participation in a full range of outreach, prevention, and community based programs.
- Educational program development and presentation within the school setting.

Staff Nurse, Danbury Hospital, Danbury CT. July 1996 - June 2006.

- Patient care responsibilities in Neonatal Intensive Care Unit

Assistant Professor of Nursing, Mount St. Mary College, Newburgh New York. September 1994 - July 2000.

- Course coordination for Nursing of the Childbearing Family including lecture and clinical instruction.
- Lecture and clinical instruction for Pediatric Nursing and Physical Assessment.
- Chairperson for Nursing Curriculum Committee.

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Nurse Manager, St. Luke's Hospital, Newburgh, New York. 1992 - 1994.

- Full responsibility of postpartum, well baby and special care nursery.
- Responsibilities included staff development, staffing, and budget allocation.

Associate Nursing Care Coordinator, Westchester County Medical Center, Valhalla New York. 1990 - 1992.

- Full responsibility of 10 bed Pediatric Intensive Care Unit.

Staff Nurse, Westchester County Medical Center, Valhalla New York. 1985 - 1990.

- Patient Care responsibilities on General Pediatrics, and Pediatrics and Neonatal Intensive Care Units.

Education

Advanced Certification: Pediatric Nurse Practitioner: Hunter College. New York, New York. December 1998.

Masters of Science in Nursing: Concentration: Nursing Administration, Pace University. Pleasantville, New York. May 1993.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Catholic University of America. Washington, D.C. May 1985.

Scholarship/Publications

Item Writer: National Qualifying Exam for Pediatric Nurse Practitioners.

Editor/Author: Pediatric Nursing Secrets and Perinatal Nursing Secrets, publisher Hanley and Belfus.

Content Author: Computer Assisted Software Instruction titles Pediatric Nursing Concepts and Skills, publisher Professional Development Software.

CT. State Cadre of Trainers: Provide trainings across the state on topics related to school nursing

Professional Organizations

- National Association of School Nurses, CT. Chapter, President Elect

Certifications

- Neonatal Resuscitation, American Academy of Pediatrics.
- Pediatric Nurse Practitioner, National Certification Board of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners.
- Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation, Instructor.