

Curriculum Vitae

BERLYNN CHING, MSN/Ed, RN-BC

SUMMARY

Accomplished **Nurse Executive**, certified in Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing, with exceptional interpersonal and communication skills.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Golden West Community College **Huntington Beach, CA** **2007– present**

Instructor

Tenure track instructor for the Registered Nursing Program specializing in Mental Health and Fundamentals in Nursing. Provide instruction in classroom, laboratory, and various clinical settings to approximately 80 students per semester.

College Hospital **Cerritos, CA**

Evening Shift Supervisor (per diem) **2009-present**

Evening Shift Supervisor (full time) **1994 – 1997**

ICU Charge Nurse (evening, full time) **1991 - 1994**

Manage facility-wide operational and staff activities ensuring a seamless transition of care or the incoming shift. Responsibilities include assessing and triaging all emergency admissions designated by Los Angeles County to initiate 72-hour holds within the premises of the facility. Provide oversight to nursing and auxiliary staff, pharmacy, and act as community liaison dealing with police, media, other healthcare providers, and family members.

College Health IPA **Artesia, CA** **1994 - 2007**

Director of Intensive Services **1998 - 2007**

Accountable for all aspects of inpatient services including oversight on emergency triaging of patient and provider calls, provision of psychiatric consults at various clinical settings, high risk case management, and requests for higher level admissions.

Utilization Review Coordinator **1994 – 1998**

Determined appropriate psychiatric level of care for clients based on assessed acuity. Reviewed medical charts for quality and continuity of care issues. Coordinated treatment between providers, facilities, and third party payors.

NURSING EDUCATION

- MSN/Ed University of Phoenix 2008
- BSN/Public Health, with Honors University of Phoenix 2004
- RN Cerritos College 1991

LICENSE and CERTIFICATIONS

- American Nurses Credentialing Center:
Certified in Psychiatric & Mental Health Nursing 1998-present
- CPR Instructor 1994-1996
- Registered Nurse: California 1991-present

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Sigma Theta Tau Nurses Honor Society 2008-present
- National League of Nursing 2007-present

AWARDS

- Promise of Nursing: Southern California Regional Faculty Fellowship 2007
- Manager of the Year: College Hospital 1994

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