

CURRICULUM VITAE
B. SUZY DIGGLE-FOX, PhD, ANP, GNP-BC

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Degree (if any)	Institution	Field	Dates
Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing Education	Capella University, Minneapolis, MN	Nursing Education	March 2014 Completed
Doctor of Philosophy	Adelphi University, Garden City, NY	Nursing Education	Earned Credits
Master of Science – Nursing	Hunter-Bellevue School of Nursing, New York, NY	Gerontological Nurse Practitioner	May 1988
Bachelor of Science – Nursing	SUNY Downstate Medical Center College of Nursing, Brooklyn, NY	Nursing	May 1982
Practical Nursing Program	Wilson Tech at Western Suffolk BOCES, Dix Hills, NY	Nursing	June 1978

LICENSES /CERTIFICATIONS:

- Board Certified Gerontological Nurse Practitioner, American Nurses Credentialing Center
- New York State Nurse Practitioner in Adult Health
- New York State Gerontological Nurse Practitioner
- New York State Registered Professional Nurse
- Medicare UPIN
- National Provider Identifier
- Medicaid Provider
- Certified HIV Clinical Scholar, NYS Department of Health AIDS Institute (1999)

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- AIDS Certified Registered Nurse, Association of Nurses in AIDS Care (1999)
- Certification Training for Alcohol and Substance Abuse Counseling, PACE Center (1997)
- HIV Counselor Training, New York City Department of Health (1991)
- Basic Life Support Provider, American Heart Association

FULL-TIME ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Institution	Rank	Field	Dates
New York Institute of Technology (NYIT) Old Westbury and Manhattan, New York	Full-time Faculty Assistant Professor	Nursing	8/12-Present

PART-TIME ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Institution	Rank	Field	Dates
Nassau Community College, Garden City, NY	Adjunct Clinical Instructor	Medical-Surgical Nursing	1/12 – 8/12
St. Paul's School of Nursing, Flushing, NY	Adjunct Clinical Instructor	Nursing	10/11 – 8/12
SUNY at Farmingdale, Farmingdale, NY	Adjunct Clinical Instructor	Medical-Surgical Nursing	2/11 – 5/11

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NON ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE:

Place of Employment	Title	Dates
Gurwin Jewish Geriatric Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Commack, NY	Nurse Practitioner – Occupational Health	3/05 – Present
Geriatric Base Camp	Nurse Practitioner Consultant	1/13- Present
Medical House Calls, New York, New York	Nurse Practitioner	5/11-2/13
Nassau BOCES Environmental Educational Center, Brookville, NY	Nature Explore Instructor	12/01 – 12/09
Babylon Village Schools, Babylon, NY	Substitute School Nurse	10/01 – 06/09
Private Practice, West Gilgo Beach, NY	Nurse Practitioner	06/2000 – 10/04
Mental Health Service Professionals, Brooklyn	Nurse Practitioner Consultant	07/03 – 07/04
Veterans Administration (VA) Extended Care Center, Bklyn and St Albans, NY	Nurse Practitioner – Outpatient Clinic and Home Care	08/88 – 06/97
Veterans Administration (VA) Extended Care Center, St. Albans, NY	Nurse Practitioner – Domiciliary Care Program	01/90 – 06/97
Brooklyn Veterans Administration Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY	Adult Nurse Practitioner – Home Care Division	09/88 – 05/89
Flushing Hospital Home Care, Flushing, NY	Community Health Nurse	07/86 – 08/88
Visiting Nurse Service of New York, New York, NY	Community Health Nurse	10/83 – 07/86
Memorial Sloane-Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY	Staff Nurse – Oncology	08/82 – 10/83

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COMPLETED ACTIVITIES IN FIELD OF EXPERTISE

1) B. Suzy Diggle-Fox, PhD, GNP, ANP, B-C

“Suicide risk assessment in a high risk population: The elderly”

Platform Presentation “June 15 2016” at:

- 5th International Annual Conference on Family Nursing in Philadelphia, PA, USA

2) Lisa Sparacino, PhD, RN, -CCNE & B. Suzy Diggle-Fox, PhD, GNP, ANP, B-C

“Reducing perceived student, family, and significant other’s anxiety through an orientation program”

Poster and Abstract “October 2015” at:

- North Shore LIJ Health System’s 8th Annual Nursing Education Conference in Nassau County, New York

3) B. Suzy Diggle-Fox, PhD, GNP, ANP, B-C

“Falls Prevention Program Presentation”

Presented “September 23, 2015” to:

- Westbury Senior Center, Westbury, New York

4) B. Suzy Diggle-Fox, PhD, GNP, ANP, B-C & Sparacino, L.

“Management of Infection Control in the Geriatric Population”

Presented Abstract and Poster “April 17, 2015” at:

- Columbia 52nd Isabel Maitland Stewart Conference on at Teachers College Columbia University

5) B. Suzy Diggle-Fox, PhD, GNP, ANP, B-C

“Advanced Physical Assessment of a Geriatric Patient”

Presented a 3 ½ hour lecture “March 2015” to:

- Advanced Nurses at Holly Patterson within the WAGE Program in Uniondale New York

6) B. Suzy Diggle-Fox, PhD, GNP, ANP, B-C

“A Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care”

Presented Abstract and Poster to:

- 18th Annual Midwest Regional Nursing Educators Conference, Columbia, Missouri November 13-14, 2014
- North Shore LIJ Nursing Education Conference Manhasset, New York September 9, 2014
- Elsevier’s Nursing Education Conference, Las Vegas January 2-5, 2014

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7) B. Suzy Diggle-Fox, MSN, GNP, ANP, B-C

“Is the HIV+ Methadone-Treatment Population Receiving the Antiretroviral Standard Of Care as often as the HIV+ Non-Methadone Population”

Presented to:

- To all HIV Scholars, Faculty and Administrators “1999” at The NYS Department of Health AIDS Institute in New York, New York.
- To the HIV Clinical Staff “1999” at Stony Brook University Hospital HIV Clinic at SUNY at Stony Brook University Hospital.
- To the HIV Clinic and Methadone Maintenance Program Staff “1999” at Nassau County Medical Center in East Meadow, New York.

8) B. Diggle-Fox, MSN, GNP, ANP, B-C

Master’s Thesis:

“An Investigation of the Influence of Patient Education on Anxiety “

Presented “Dec 15, 1988” to:

- All the Master’s Nursing Students and Faculty Members at Hunter College, New York, New York

OTHER PUBLICATIONS OR REPORTS:

- Submitted an article to the Nurse Practitioner Journal and it was accepted for publication on May 5th 2015. The date for publication is pending.
- Completed PhD in Nursing Education at Capella University March 2014
Diggle-Fox, B.S.,(2013). Dissertation. *Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and Self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care.*

WORK IN PROGRESS:

- 1) Presently NYIT’s Nursing Department’s faculty representative for the newly partnership with Hope Community Development Corporation in West Virginia. I will be spending a week August 4th-August 10th 2016 developing programs for the nursing students to carry out this up coming academic year at this site, as well as for future years. In addition to offering health education and screening of needed individuals as a Nurse Practitioner within this underserved population on the West side of Charleston West Virginia.
- 2) Developed a family/significant other and student initial nursing course study and evaluation to improve retention with Dr. Sparacino. Submitted for publication and is pending.
 - The above study was a Presented as Poster and Abstract at North Shore LIJ Health System’s 8th Annual Nursing Education Conference in October 2015.

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3) Developed and carried out NYIT IRB approved for a study regarding stress and students for the Academic year 2015-2016 Health Professions Week Fair at NYIT, Old Westbury NY.
At present analyzing data to prepare for publication.

4) Working on analyzing data and writing to submit for pending publication regarding the study I received a small grant for as a PI with Dr. Sparacino as the Co-PI:

“Management of Infection Control in the Geriatric Population”

- The above study was a Presented as Poster and Abstract at Columbia 52nd Isabel Maitland Stewart Conference on April 17 2015 at Teachers College Columbia University. Submission for publication is pending.

5) Developed a NYIT IRB approved evaluation survey for students, staff and faculty regarding the 2014-2015 Academic year Health Professions Fair. Submission for publication is pending.

6) Presenting at The Nurse Practitioner Association of New York State 32 Annual Conference October 2, 2016.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND CONTRACTS:

Grants Received:

- Diggle-Fox, B. S. & Sparacino, L. (2015).
Center for Service Learning/Civic Engagement. *“Management of Infection Control In the Geriatric Population”*, Long Island Service Learning Civic Engagement Council
- Diggle-Fox, B. S. (2012).
Educational Research Grant for Doctoral Education. *“A Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and Self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care”*, New York State Long Island Nurse Practitioner Association.
The above grant totaled \$1,800.00.

Non Funded Grants Sept 2011 to present:

- 1) Diggle-Fox, B. S. (2014).
Griswold Care Foundation Proposal. *“A Health Promotion Intervention for Senior Citizens in Nassau County, NY”*, Griswold Cares Foundation Long Island New York.

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- 2) Diggle-Fox, B. S. (2013). NLN/MNRS Doctoral Dissertation Award.
“A Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and Self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care”.
National League of Nursing along with the Midwest Nursing Research Association
- 3) Diggle-Fox, B. S. (2013). Research Educational Research Grant for Doctoral Education.
“A Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and Self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care.”
New York State Long Island Nurse Practitioner Association.
- 4) Diggle-Fox, B. S. (2013). Nurses Touch Grant Program.
Assessment Technologies Institute (ATI) Program.
- 5) Diggle-Fox, B. S. (2013). NLN Dissertation/Project Proposal.
“A Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and Self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care.”
The NLN Research in Nursing Education 2013 Grants Program
- 6) Diggle-Fox, B. S. (2012).
Educational Research Grant for Doctoral Education.
“A Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and Self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care.”
American Association of Occupational Health Nurses.
- 7) Diggle-Fox, B.S. (2012).
Educational Research Grant for Doctoral Education.
“A Comparison of Two Teaching Strategies on Nursing Students’ Knowledge and Self-Efficacy Regarding Their Geriatric Nursing Care”
New York State Long Island Nurse Practitioner Association

Awards:

- 10 Year Gurwin Jewish Nursing & Rehabilitation Center Employee Award as a Nurse Practitioner October 28 2015

Fellowships:

In progress:

Recently chosen to be a member of a small number of nurses to participate within the **Edmond J. Safra Visiting Nurse Faculty Program at the Parkinson’s Disease Foundation.** This is a six-month academic and clinical program that consists of educational classes, research and completing an independent project to either facilitate educating nurses regarding Parkinson’s Disease or improving Parkinson’s Disease overall care. Upon completion of this program February 2017 when I meet all the requirements, I will receive a \$2,000.00 stipend.

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Completed Scholar Fellowship Program:

- New York Department of Health HIV Scholar Fellowship Program 1997- 1999, I performed research, presented a paper, formally presented my findings within several venues, passed exams and provided medical care to HIV patients at both Stony Brook University Hospital and at NUMAC.

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE:

A) Service to NYIT:

- 1) Community Flu Clinics Committee Member 2012-present
- 2) Community Strategic Planning Committee at New York Institute of Technology (NYIT), 2013-present.
- 3) Source Committee Member at New York Institute of Technology (NYIT) 2012-present
- 4) Alumni Committee at NYIT 2014-present
- 5) Communications Committee for NYIT 2014-present

B) Service to the School:

- 1) Geriatric Medicine Subcommittee at NYIT 2012-present
- 2) Geriatric Base Camp Grant Member 2012- present
- 3) Source Committee Member 2012-present
- 4) Chair for Health Professions Week Long Fair: 2013-present
- 5) Policy and Procedure Standing Committee 2012-present
- 6) Community Committee 2013-present

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C) Service to the Department:

- 1) Nursing Department Pinning Committee Member at New York Institute of Technology (NYIT) 2012-present
- 2) Nursing Department Admissions Committee at NYIT 2012--present
- 3) Student Nurse Advisor for both Manhattan and Old Westbury NYIT for both Senior and Juniors Nursing Students 2012--present
- 4) Nursing Department Lab Committee at New York Institute of Technology 2012-present
- 5) Spring Colloquium Committee Member at NYIT 2012-present
- 6) Lobby Day Committee Member at NYIT 2012-present

Offices Held in Professional Societies:

- 1) SNA Student Advisor for all Nursing Students at Old Westbury NYIT Campus 2012 - present.
- 2) SNA Student Advisor for all Nursing Students on Manhattan NYIT Campus 2013-2014. Manhattan campus moved to Westbury 2014-2015.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND PUBLIC SERVICE:

- 1) Medical Reserve Corps Nurse Practitioner Volunteer 2012-present
- 2) National League for Nursing Member 2012-present
- 3) American Nurses Association Member 2012-present
- 4) New York State Coalition of Nurse Practitioners 1988-present
- 5) Long Island Nurse Practitioner Association since 1988- present
- 6) Alumni Association, SUNY Downstate Medical Center College of Nursing 1982-Present.

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Other Community Service:

- 1) Multidisciplinary Falls Prevention presentation at Senior Center September 23
2015
- 2) Organizer, Breast Cancer Walk-A-Thon 2003-2011 with Nurse Practitioners
presently with SNA at NYIT 2012--present
- 3) Suicide Prevention Walk-A-Thon 2013-present
- 4) Sunday School Teacher, Unitarian Universalist Church, Freeport, NY 1999-
present
- 5) "Save the Beach" as well as "Barrier Beach" committee member at the Babylon Town Beaches
1999-present
- 6) Volunteer health care provider at West Gilgo Beach 1999-present
- 7) Member of the West Gilgo Beach Association 1999-present
- 8) Organizer, HIV Awareness Educational Fair, Veterans Administration 1991-1995
- 9) Nurse Practitioner Volunteer, RotaCare Free Clinic, Uniondale, NY 2004-2006

Teaching Activities at NYIT:

1) Fall 2012- Present

2012-2013 :

Senior NCLEX review course in Manhattan every Monday for 1 hour with ten students.

Senior NCLEX review in Old Westbury every Wednesday for 1 hour with ten students.

Senior Skills Lab in Manhattan every Monday for 2 hours with 10 students.

Senior Skills Lab in Old Westbury every Wednesday for 2 hours with 10 students.

2012-2016 :

Community Clinical at a low income area Clinic every Wednesday and Thursday within the fall semesters for 6 hours with 7 Senior Students for the past four years. This six-credit course includes a full simulation lab day that I developed, coordinate and run, with 43 students, we attend various community locations, including out reach Flu Clinics, community fund raising, walk-a thons, visits to the United Nations and Health Fair

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participation. Teaching the first nursing professional course (102 course) to 30 Sophomore Nursing Students. This Introduction to Nursing Course (102) meets every Thursday in Old Westbury for 2 hours weekly. The 102 course includes a Family and Significant Other Orientation Program that I co-developed and run each year several times prior to the start of the course. Medical surgical clinical course with 7 Junior Nursing Students for 14 weeks each spring semester. Teach 43 Senior Nursing Students a NCLEX preparation course every fall semester. Teach 43 Junior Nursing Students a NCLEX preparation course every spring semester. Throughout the year I am a clinical lab instructor for all NYIT nursing students.