

Curriculum Vitae

**NAME:** Christy Simmerman RN-MSN

**LICENSURE:**

STATE

NC-RN  
9/2007

**EDUCATION:**

<u>DEGREE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>INSTITUTION</u>	<u>AREA OF STUDY</u>
MSN	2011	East Carolina University Alternate Entry Program Phase I Completed: 2007 Phase II Completed: 2011	Nursing/Nursing Education
BS	2003	University of North Carolina at Wilmington	Biology

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>EMPLOYER NAME AND ADDRESS</u>
10/2015- Present	Lecturer	University of North Carolina Wilmington Wilmington, NC

Currently works as a Clinical Instructor for nursing 401, pediatrics and an instructor for the RN-BSN UNCW online program. Responsibilities include providing a safe and effective learning environment for the students for the clinical setting. Provide an effective, interactive learning environment for the RN-BSN program. Responsibilities also include service and scholarship with the college of nursing.

8/2011 - 10/2015	Clinical Instructor	University of North Carolina Wilmington Wilmington, NC
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Worked as a Clinical Instructor for nursing 401, pediatrics. Serves as an instructor in the community and hospital setting for students in nursing 401. Responsibilities include providing a safe and effective learning environment for the students while always emphasizing patient safety.

4/2009 - 10/2015	Staff RN	New Hanover Regional Medical Center Wilmington, NC
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Currently works on a 45 bed Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. Serves as a role model and preceptor for nursing students and new hires. Actively participates with several disciplines to establish

appropriate plans of care for the patients and developmental follow-up plans after discharge.

9/2007- 4/2009      Staff RN    Pitt County Memorial Hospital  
Greenville, NC

Worked on a 35 bed Antepartum/Mother-Baby/Women's Unit. Served as a role model and preceptor for student nurses. A strong patient advocate for a diverse and fast paced environment.

**Scholarship and Reseach**

3/2016- Advanced Communication in Pediatrics. The simulation focuses on advanced communication in pediatrics. We collaborated with an interdisciplinary team from NHRMC and developed a video simulation that can be used as a classroom teaching tool for NSG 401 and hopefully new graduates at NHRMC.

5/2016- Peer Reviewer for EXPLORATIONS: The Journal of Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity for the State of North Carolina

**SERVICE:**

**HOSPITAL COMMITTEES:**

2009- 2015, NICU Practice Council  
2009- 2015, NICU Developmental Team  
2013- 2015, NICU Education Council  
2013- 2015, NRP Instructor

**COLLEGE OF NURSING COMMITTEES:**

2007-2011, Graduate Student Organization ECU-CON  
2012-Present, Sigma Theta Tau Member UNCW-SON  
2016-Present, Health Summit Committee Member UNCW-SON  
2016-Present, Orientation Task Force Committee Member UNCW-SON  
2016-Present, Testing Committee Member UNCW-SON

**COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:**

2009- Present, March of Dimes Team Leader  
2010- Present, Volunteer at Mother Hubbard Cupboard  
2011- Red Dress Committee  
2015- Present, NRP Instructor

**CONTINUING EDUCATION (PARTICIPANT):**

Preparing for the CNE. June 20, 2016, Wilmington, NC.

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual McArtor Neonatal Symposium. May 13, 2016, Wilmington, NC.

Faculty Development Workshop-Marilyn Oermann. May 5, 2016, Wilmington, NC.

Childhood Obesity Prevention. April 20, 2016, Wilmington, NC.

Stabilization of an Infant using the STABLE method Part I and II. June 2, 2015, Wilmington, NC.

9<sup>th</sup> Annual McArtor Neonatal Symposium. May 15, 2015, Wilmington, NC.

Fighting Pediatric Cancer Together. April 14, 2015, Wilmington, NC.

Using Simulation to Prepare Collaborative Practice-ready Practitioners. February 24, 2014, Wilmington, NC.

Recognizing Mental Illness on the College Campus and Promoting Early Intervention. January 21, 2014, Wilmington, NC.

Academic and Practice Resources to Boost your Professional Career. September 17, 2014, Wilmington, NC.

Coastal Pediatric Symposium. March 19, 2012, Wrightsville Beach, NC.

Improving NICU Outcomes with Human Milk: Through Evidence, Research, Evidence & Practice. November 29, 2011, Winston-Salem, NC.

5<sup>th</sup> Annual McArtor Symposium. Nutrition in the Womb and Beyond. June 10, 2011, Wilmington, NC.

Introduction to RN Coaching. September, 7, 2010, Wilmington, NC.

AWWHON: The Respiratory System. February, 2, 2010, Wilmington, NC

AWWHON: Metabolic and Nutritional Support. March, 4, 2010, Wilmington, NC

Support of the Neonate During the Transition Period Using the S.T.A.B.L.E. Method. September 3<sup>rd</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>, 2009

Eastern Region Perinatal Symposium. February 26, 2009, Greenville, NC.

Basic Course for Breastfeeding Educators. March 5-6, 2009, Greenville, NC.