

## ***Curriculum Vitae***

Name Linda Tate                      Credentials PhD (c), RN, ACNS-BC, APN  
Title Assistant Professor of Nursing  
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EDUCATION Currently enrolled as a candidate in the PhD in Nursing Science  
program at University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

Post Baccalaureate Certificate in Public Health, 2004  
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

MSN, Adult Medical Surgical Nursing, 2000.  
Arkansas State University

BSN, 1992  
Arkansas State University

### WORK EXPERIENCE

- ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2007 – present: Assistant Professor of Nursing,  
Program Coordinator for the Accelerated BSN Program  
Arkansas State University

- CLINICAL POSITIONS

2006-2007: Clinical Nurse Specialist (APN)  
Dickson Orthopedics, Jonesboro, AR.

2004-2006: Clinical Nurse Specialist (APN)  
The Pain Center of Jonesboro, Jonesboro, AR

2002-2004: Community Health Nurse Specialist  
Arkansas Department of Health, Little Rock, AR

1994-2002: Occupational Health Nurse  
IMC Health Care Jacksonville, FL

1993-1994: Office Manager  
NEA Anesthesiologists, PA, Jonesboro, AR

## HONORS/AWARDS

Fall 2001: IMC HealthCare Highest Quality Assurance Award

Fall 2008: Arkansas State University Distinguished Alumni Award

Fall 2009: William Randolph Hearst Scholarship

Fall 2009: Arkansas Graduate Nurse Education Loan/Scholarship

Fall 2010: Cornelia Beck Gerontological Scholarship

Fall 2010: Arkansas Graduate Nurse Education Loan/Scholarship

Fall 2010: Jonas/Hartford Scholarship

## CONSULTATION

2009 - 2009: Legal Nurse Consultant  
McDaniel and Wells, LLC

## PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

1999-2000: Developed a weight loss program at Haworth, Inc. Designed it as a team competition. Teams were encouraged to eat healthy meals and exercise. Points were awarded for healthy activities and I held classes once a week on healthy eating, cooking, and exercise.

2001 – 2002: Developed an ergonomics strengthening and exercise program for the Frito Lay traffic team, and began implementation locally and nationally within Frito Lay.

2002-2004: “Stamp out Smoking” campaign in Arkansas. Actively participated in multiple meetings, presentations and events to develop and promote the programs offered through this campaign.

2003 – 2004: Developed the “Cold Turkey Campaign” in conjunction with “Stamp out Smoking” through Arkansas Department of Health. This program was used to urge parents of school age children to stop smoking in conjunction with the “The

Great American Smoke Out". Educational materials on second hand smoke and pledges to quit were sent home with over 5000 school age children in Arkansas.

## GRANTS

"Capacity Building School-Based Tobacco Prevention Project" (grant provided through the AR Department of Health) worked on committee to write this grant for the Northeast Arkansas Coalition which was funded 2002-2004. It covered 4 counties and provided funding for tobacco education and prevention at the primary and secondary school levels.

"Walking Trails" (grant provided through the AR Department of Health) worked on committee to write this grant for the Crowley's Ridge Coalition which was funded in 2003. It provided monies to build and enhance walking areas throughout Greene County.

## PRESENTATIONS

### International

July 2009, Poster Presentation, "12 Hour Clinical Rotations for Accelerated BSN Students: The Positive and Negative." Sigma Theta Tau International, 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Congress, Vancouver, British Columbia. **Crumpton, PI.**

### National

July, 2008, Podium presentation, "Successful Simulation Design: Einstein not Required," AACN Baccalaureate Nurse Education Conference, San Antonio, Texas, **Crumpton, PI..**

February 2010, Poster presentation, "Twelve Hour Clinical Rotations and Their Effect on Continuity of Care Provided by new Graduates of an Accelerated BSN Program" Southern Nursing Research Society Conference, Austin, TX, **Crumpton, PI**

February 2011, Poster presentation, "Investigation of the feasibility of using the Kirby Delay-discounting Rate Monetary Choice Questionnaire to measure delay discounting in elders" Southern Nursing Research Society Conference, Jacksonville, FL, **Tate, PI**

April 2011, Poster presentation, "Feasibility of the Kirby MCQ for elders", University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Research Day, Little Rock, AR, **Tate, PI**

## Local

May 2008: "Get the Lead Out" Oral presentation for a one day workshop for school health nurses at the NEA Educational Co-op in Walnut Ridge, AR

May 2008: "Let's Get Physical" Oral presentation for a one day workshop for school health nurses at the NEA Educational Co-op in Walnut Ridge, AR

Feb 2004: "Scoliosis" workshop for Northeast Arkansas (Greene, Lawrence, Randolph, and Clay counties) school nurses

August 2004: "Second hand smoke" presented to the Lions Club in Walnut Ridge, AR

July 2003: "Burns and Children: Prevention is the Key" Oral presentation for NEA Educational Co-op for the school health nurses in Walnut Ridge, AR

April 2003: "Smoke Get in Your Ears" Oral presentation for the Northeast Region Community Health Update Batesville, AR

Feb 2003: "Second hand smoke" presented to the Pygmalion Commission in Walnut Ridge, AR

## PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Gerontological Society of America, 2009 - present

National League for Nursing, 2007 – present

American Nurses' Association, 2007 - present—Arkansas District 6

Sigma Theta Tau, Eta Theta Chapter, 2000- present

Chapter Vice President 2010-2012

Interim President March 2011-July 2011

AR Chapter of the National Gerontological Nursing Association

Board Member 2010-2010

National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists, 2005 - present

Northeast Arkansas Nurse Practitioner's Association 2000-present

Southern Nurses Research Society – 2009-present

World Safety Organization (NEA chapter) 1994-2002

Vice President (2001)

## SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2009 – present: Golden Living Project, Dr. Tsai's research assistant.

October 2008: Field Tester for ANCC's Clinical Nurse Specialist Core Examination

## UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES

### University Committee

Admissions, Progressions, and Credits Committee 2007- present

BSN Curriculum Committee, 2007 - present.

Faculty Development Committee, 2008- present

Transcript Review Committee, 2009-present

### University Service

2009: Honors Thesis Committee Member, "The Utility of the Need-driven Dementia-compromised Behavior Model in Nursing Research"