

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION:

<u>Dates Attended</u>	<u>Institution & Location</u>	<u>Degrees Conferred</u>	<u>Major Subject</u>
9/95 – 3/00	University of California San Francisco, California	Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing	Occupational Health focus; Teaching Minor
9/94 - 5/95	West Valley College Saratoga, California	Prerequisites for doctoral program	N/A
1980 - 1981	University of Miami Coral Gables, Florida	Master of Science	Medical/Surgical Nursing Administration
1973 - 1977	University of South Florida Tampa, Florida	Bachelor of Science	Nursing

CURRENT POSITIONS:

August 2001-present	College of Public Health University of South Florida Tampa, FL	Assistant Professor, Department of Global Health (formerly Environmental & Occupational Health)
October 2002-present	Center for Biological Defense University of South Florida Tampa, FL	Assistant Professor
July 2003- present	James A. Haley V.A. Hospital Tampa, FL	Nurse Researcher

PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

June 2001- July 2003	James A. Haley V. A. Hospital Patient Safety Center of Inquiry Tampa, FL	Postdoctoral Nurse Research Fellow
January 2001-June 2001	James A. Haley V. A. Hospital Patient Safety Center of Inquiry Tampa, Florida	Nurse Researcher
June 1986- December 2000	Santa Clara Valley Medical Center San Jose, California	Infection Control Supervisor
April 1996- April 1999	University of California Berkeley, California	Graduate Assistant on NIOSH- funded Home Health Care Project

PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: continued

August 1983 - April 1986	V. A. Medical Center Miami, Florida	Infection Control Nurse
September 1982 - July 1983	South Miami Hospital Miami, Florida	Dialysis Nurse/Intensive Care Unit Staff Relief
April 1982 - August 1982	Outpatient Dialysis Unit Miami, Florida	Dialysis Nurse
October 1979 - March 1982	Sunrise Retirement Club Miami, Florida	Health Services Coordinator
April 1978 - August 1979	Medical Personnel Pool Cleveland, Ohio	Staff Relief R.N. for Intensive Care Unit
July 1977 - December 1977	University Community Hospital Tampa, Florida	Staff R.N. Intensive Care Step-down Unit
June 1976 - June 1977	Veterans Administration Hospital Tampa, Florida	Research Assistant for Animal Spinal Cord Injury Study

HOSPITAL COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS:

December 2000- December 2003 Member of the Research and Development Committee- 3 year term. Responsible for reviewing research proposals, manuscripts, and unfunded studies for scientific integrity, budget, and informed consent issues.

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

1983 - present	Association for Professionals in Infection Control & Epidemiology (APIC), National & local chapters (San Francisco, CA 1986-present) (Tampa, FL 2000-present) (Miami, FL 1983-1986)
1998- present	Member of Nurses Educational Funds Society of Scholars
1976 - present	Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
1981 - present	Sigma Theta Tau National Honor Society of Nursing and local chapter (San Francisco, California 1996 -2000) (Miami, Florida 1981-1996)
1998 - 2000	American Association of Occupational Health Professionals
1995 - 1996	Association of Nurses in AIDS Care
1997 -2000	County Employees Management Association, Santa Clara County, California
1986 - 1997	Registered Nurses Professional Association, Santa Clara County, California

UNIVERSITY TEACHING EXPERIENCE: (In addition to invited lectures and hospital teaching experience)

- August 2001-present University of South Florida, College of Public Health, Department of Global Health and Department of Environmental & Occupational Health. Courses: PHC 6251-901 “Disease Surveillance & Monitoring” since Fall 2001; PHC 6517- “Infectious Disease Prevention Strategies”, since Spring 2003; PHC 6314-“Infection Control Program Design”, since Summer 2003; PHG 6357 Environmental & Occupational Health, Pune, India, summer 2005.
- Guest lectures for Emerging Infections course, Fall semesters 2002-2007. Guest lecturer for Introduction to Global Health, June 2006; Guest lecturer for Environmental & Occupational Health Core Course, July & November 2004; June & December 2005. Guest lecture for Principles of Safety for Fall semester 2003.
- October 2003-present Assistant Professor for Center for Biological Defense Bioreadiness Training. Have delivered 1, 2, 4, 8 and 16-hour programs throughout the state of Florida. Developed a Bioreadiness Training Program for Nurses on CD-ROM, distributed to 120 nursing programs in Florida in March 2004. Currently traveling throughout Florida to deliver in-person bioreadiness training to nursing schools (2, 3, and 4-hour programs) as well as 1-hour programs for mental health professionals.
- June & July, 2003 Guest lecturer for 2 sessions-Community Health Nursing, undergraduate course in Nursing Curriculum, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL.
- June 2001 University of South Florida, College of Nursing. NUR 4636 Community Health Nursing. Guest lecture for web-based course- “Communicable Diseases”.
- April 2001 University of South Florida, College of Nursing. NUR 6651 Occupational Health Nursing II. Guest lecture- “Evolution of a Research Program”.
- 1986 -2000 Stanford University School of Medicine. Course #302C “Infectious Diseases Clerkship.” Faculty responsibilities include orientation to infection control and hospital epidemiology, as well as presentations in teaching conferences, to medical students.
- October 1999 Stanford University Medical Center – Infectious Diseases Grand Rounds. Presentation entitled, “Varicella and the Vaccine-When Do We Go From Here”, presented to Infectious Disease Physicians.
- September 22, 1999 N242 “Occupational Health Research Seminar” for doctoral nursing students. Guest lecture. “Perceived Barriers and Facilitating Conditions for Nurses’ Use of Needle Safety Devices and Practices in the Home Care Setting”.
- Fall Quarter, 1998 N274B-”Factors In Injury Control”. University of California, San Francisco, Occupational Health Nursing Course- Master’s Level. Conducted teaching practicum for this course under the direction of Dr. Julia Faucett, RN, PhD.
- July 23, 1998 Presentation of Research Rounds. “Percutaneous Injury Epidemiology: Challenge for Research” Presented to Occupational Medicine Group. San Francisco, California.
- July 1996, 1997 & 1998 Presented overview of infection control program to Stanford-University Infectious Diseases Fellows.

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- May 1997 Course #242 "Occupational Health Research Seminar" for doctoral nursing students. Guest lecture "Bloodborne Exposures in the Home Care Setting: A Multi-Center Analysis".
- February 1997 Presented seminar, with Dr. Mary Castle White, to nurses in masters and doctoral nursing programs at UCSF on the "Nursing Research Service Award."
- January 1997 Presented seminar, "Scientific Presentations: Abstracts, Posters, and Oral Sessions" to nurses in masters and doctoral programs at UCSF.
- May 1996 Guest lecture "Presenting Scientific Data" to nursing Master's students at UCSF, for course #215A, "Community Health System Assessment."

ADDITIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- March-April 1995 Developed conducted and evaluated a five-week preceptorship program for an Infection Control nurse from Japan at Santa Clara Valley Medical Center, San Jose, California. Components of program included surveillance, policy and procedures, use of the microbiology laboratory, education, and exposure management.

PUBLICATIONS: Peer-reviewed Articles:

- "A Pilot Study to Measure the Compressive and Tensile Forces Required to Use Retractable Intramuscular Syringes". **D. Haiduven**, S. Applegarth, H. DiSalvo, S. Mangipudy, J. Konopack, & J. Fisher. American Journal of Infection Control 2006; 34(10): 661-668.
- "Underreporting of Work Related Musculoskeletal Disorders in the Veterans Administration" K. Siddharthan, M. Hodgson, D. Rosenberg, F. Chen and **D. Haiduven**. International Journal of Health Care Quality Assurance 2006; 19 (6): 463-476
- "Who let the Dogs Out-Infection control did: Utility of dogs in healthcare settings and infection control aspects". H. DiSalvo, **D. Haiduven**, N. Johnson, C. Hench, V. Reyes, R. Shaw & D. A Stevens. American Journal of infection Control 2006; 34 (5): 301-307.
- "Home Care Nurses' Concerns Regarding Blood Exposures and Safer Needle Devices". **D. Haiduven**. Business Briefing: Long-term Healthcare Strategies, May 2004, pp. 151-155.
- "Sharps Injuries in the Home Healthcare Setting". **D. Haiduven** & S. Ferrol. AAOHN Journal, 2004; Vol. 52, No. 3, pp.102-108.
- "Prevention of Sharps Injuries in Healthcare Workers". **Donna Haiduven**. Business Briefing: Long-term Healthcare Strategies, July 2003, pp. 76-80.
- "Management of Varicella-Vaccinated Patients and Employees Exposed to Varicella in the Healthcare Setting". **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, S. Simpkins, K. Scott, & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control & Hospital Epidemiology 2003; Vol. 24, No. 3, pp. 538-543.
- "Lifting Teams in Healthcare Facilities: A Literature Review". **D. Haiduven**. American Association of Occupational Health Nurses Journal, 2003; Vol. 51, No. 5, pp. 210-218.
- "Development of a Seated Device for Measuring Diurnal Variability in Spinal Compression". **D. Haiduven**, A. Baptiste, S. Luther, J. Lloyd, S. Wilkinson, and P. Bidot. Journal of Musculoskeletal Research 2003; Vol. 7, No. 1, pp. 49-60.

- “Azithromycin Prophylaxis During a Hospital-Wide Outbreak of a Pertussis-like Illness”. S. Martinez, C. Kemper, **D. Haiduven**, S. Cody, & S. Deresinski. Infection Control & Hospital Epidemiology 2001; Vol. 22, No. 12, pp. 781-783.
- “Planning a Hepatitis C Post-Exposure Management Program: Issues and Challenges”. **D. Haiduven**. American Association of Occupational Health Nursing Journal. August 2000; Vol. 48, No. 8, pp. 1-6.
- “Percutaneous/Mucocutaneous Injury Reporting in a Public Teaching Hospital”. **D. Haiduven**, S. Simpkins, E. Phillips & D.A. Stevens. Journal of Hospital Infection, 1999; Vol. 41, pp. 151-154.
- “Standardized Management of Patients and Employees Exposed to Pertussis”. **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, S. Simpkins & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1998; Vol. 19, No. 11, pp. 861-864.
- “Infection Control Challenges in Home Health Care”. **D. Haiduven**. Infection Control and Sterilization Technology 1998; Vol. 4, No.10, pp. 40-45, 50.
- “Sharps Safety: Behavior Issues Need Attention”. **D. Haiduven**. Infection Control and Sterilization Technology 1997; Vol. 3, No. 8, pp. 18-22.
- “Percutaneous Injury Analysis: Consistent Categorization, Effective Reduction Methods, and Future Strategies”. **D. Haiduven**, E. Phillips, K. Clemons & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1995; Vol. 16, No. 10, pp. 582-589.
- “Safety Product Evaluation: Six Years of Experience”. S. Simpkins, **D. Haiduven** & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 1995; Vol. 23, No. 5, pp. 317-322.
- “Postexposure Varicella Management of Nonimmune Personnel”. **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1995; Vol. 16, No. 5, pp. 255-256.
- “Postexposure Varicella Management: Further Comments”. **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1994; Vol. 15, No. 12, p. 740.
- “Postexposure Varicella Management of Nonimmune Personnel: An Alternative Approach”. **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1994; Vol. 15, No. 5, pp. 329-334.
- “A Five-Year Study of Needlestick Injuries: Significant Reduction Associated with Communication, Education, and Convenient Placement of Sharps Containers”. **D. Haiduven**, T. DeMaio & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1992; Vol. 13, No. 5, pp. 265-271.
- “Efficacy of Diagnosis and Adequacy of Antimalarial Therapy in Patients Hospitalized with Malaria”. C.A. Kemper, **D. Haiduven**, V. Reyes, D.A. Stevens & S. Deresinski. Proceedings of the Second Conference on International Travel Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia, May 9-12, 1991.
- “Epidemiologic Characteristics of and Contingency Plans for Management of Contagious Lethal Diseases (CLD)”. **D. Haiduven**, R. Tucker & D. A. Stevens. Proceedings of the Second Conference on International Travel Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia, May 9-12, 1991.
- “Eradication of Low-Level Methicillin-Resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* Skin Colonization with Topical Mupirocin”. D. W. Denning & **D. Haiduven**. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1988; Vol. 9, No. 6, pp. 261-263.
- “Outbreak of Methicillin-Resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* on a Surgical Service”. **D. Haiduven**. American Journal of Infection Control 1988; Vol. 16, No. 3, pp. 123-127.

“Varicella in Hospital Personnel: A Challenge for the Infection Control Practitioner”. **Donna Haiduven & Helen Fecko.** American Journal of Infection Control 1987; Vol. 15, No. 5, pp. 207-211.

“An Educational Program on Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome for Hospital Personnel”. **D. Haiduven.** American Journal of Infection Control 1986; Vol. 14, No. 2, pp. 40-42A.

PUBLICATIONS: Dissertation, Book Chapters, and Guidelines:

“Immunizations for the Healthcare Worker”. **Donna Haiduven** and Gregory Poland. (Chapter 110). In APIC Text of Infection Control and Epidemiology. The Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology, Inc., Publishers, Second Revised Edition, March, 2005.

“Lifting Teams”. **Donna Haiduven.** (2001). In Patient Care Ergonomics Research Guide: Safe Patient Handling & Movement. Developed by Ergonomics Technical Advisory Group (Patient Safety Center of Inquiry [Tampa, FL], Veterans Health Administration, and the Department of Defense).

“Circumstances Surrounding Blood Exposures and Needle Safety Practices in Home Health Care Nurses”. **Donna Haiduven.** Doctoral dissertation, University of California, San Francisco, 2000.

“Immunizations for the Healthcare Worker” Gregory Poland & **Donna Haiduven.** In APIC Infection Control and Applied Epidemiology: Principles and Practices. (2nd ED.) Volumes 1 & 2. R. Olmstead (Ed.) St. Louis, MO: Mosby, 1999.

“Adult Immunizations: Focus on Use for the Healthcare Worker” Gregory Poland & **Donna Haiduven.** In APIC Infection Control and Applied Epidemiology: Principles and Practices. R. Olmstead (Ed.) St. Louis, MO: Mosby, 1996.

PUBLICATIONS: Abstracts:

“A Pilot Study To Measure the Compressive and Tensile Forces Required To Use Retractable Intramuscular Safety Syringes”. **Haiduven, D.,** Applegarth, S., DiSalvo, H., Mangipudy, S., Konopack, J., & Fisher, J. (Abstract). American Journal of Infection Control 2006, 2006, 34(5): E114-115 (on-line version ID#950051).

“Circumstances Surrounding Needlestick /Sharp Injuries Among Healthcare Workers in a Venezuelan Public Hospital.” Galindez, L. & **Haiduven, D.** (Abstract). American Journal of Infection Control 2006; 34(5): E68-69 (on-line version ID# 950102).

“Comparison of didactic versus interactive teaching strategies for category A agents of bioterrorism”. **Haiduven, D.,** Tucker, J., & Thompson, V. (Abstract). American Journal of Infection Control 2006; 34(5): E11 (on-line version ID#95-247).

“Development and implementation of a nursing bioreadiness training program.” **Haiduven, D.** (Abstract). American Journal of Infection Control 2005, Vol. 33, No. 5, p. e53. (on-line version ID#54676).

“Comparison of live versus on-line bioreadiness training program for nurses.” **Haiduven, D.,** Cooper, E., & Luther, S. (Abstract). American Journal of Infection Control 2005, Vol. 33, No. 5, p. e52-53. (on-line version ID# 54662).

“From Bedside to Bench: A Pilot study to measure the force required to activate a retractable safety syringe.” Konopack, J., DiSalvo, H., Applegarth, S., & **Haiduven, D.** (Abstract). American Journal of Infection Control 2005, Vol. 33, No. 5, p. e133 (on-line version ID#49736).

“Structure and Evaluation of an Eight-hour Bioreadiness Program”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven,** C. Kabrick, & J. McCluskey. American Journal of Infection Control. American Journal of Infection Control 2004, Vol. 32, No. 3, (on-line version).

“Effectiveness of a Bioreadiness Training Program”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven,** C. Kabrick, & J. McCluskey. American Journal of Infection Control. American Journal of Infection Control 2004, Vol. 32, No. 3, (on-line version).

- “Who let the Dogs Out? Infection Control Did”. N. Johnson, C. Hench, V. Reyes, **D. Haiduven**, R. Shaw, & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 2003, Vol. 31, No. 4, (on-line version).
- “Strategies to Decrease Visiting Children’s Exposures in the Hospital Setting”. **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, V. Meyer, N. Johnson, & D. A. Stevens. (Abstract). American Journal of Infection Control 2002, Vol. 30, No. 3, (on-line version).
- “Components of a Successful Infection Control Committee”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 2001, Vol. 29, No. 3 (on-line version).
- “Facilitating Physician Compliance with Tuberculin (TB) Skin Testing, Bloodborne Pathogen, and TB Educational Requirements”. (Abstract). C. Hench, **D. Haiduven**, D. A. Stevens, & T. Bush. American Journal of Infection Control 2001, Vol. 29, No. 3 (on-line version).
- “Outbreak of a Pertussis-like Illness in a Public Teaching Hospital”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, K. Scott, & S. Deresinski. American Journal of Infection Control 2001, Vol. 29, No. 3 (on-line version).
- “Circumstances Surrounding Blood Exposures and Needle Safety Practices in Home Care Nurses”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**. American Journal of Infection Control 2000; Vol.28, No. 3 (on-line version)
- “Use of the California-Occupational Safety and Health Administration’s Employee Injury Log to Monitor Sharps Exposures: One Hospital’s Experience”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, K. Scott & S. Chen. American Journal of Infection Control 2000; Vol. 28, No. 3 (on-line version).
- “Erythrovirus B19 (Parvovirus B19) Exposure in Obstetric/Gynecology Setting: An Infection Control Dilemma”. (Abstract). C. Hench, M. D’Alena, N. Johnson, **D. Haiduven**, K. Scott, S. Deresinski, D. A. Stevens, & S. Chen. American Journal of Infection Control 2000, Vol. 28, No. 3 (on-line version).
- “Use of Focus Groups to Explore Home Health Care Nurses’ Concerns Regarding Bloodborne Exposures and Safety Products”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, E. Askari, R. Gross, & J. Fisher. American Journal of Infection Control 1999; Vol. 27, p. 203.
- “A Systematic Procedure for Varicella Exposure Work-Ups” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, S. Simpkins, V. Reyes, & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 1999; Vol. 27, p. 204.
- “Innovative Teaching Method for Complying with OSHA’s Bloodborne Pathogen and Tuberculosis Exposure Control Plans”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, E. Phillips, C. Hench, S. Simpkins, & V. Reyes. American Journal of Infection Control 1999; Vol. 27, p. 203.
- “Compliance with the Federal Register’s Vancomycin-resistant Enterococci Guidelines: One Hospital’s Experience”. (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, S. Simpkins & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 1998; Vol. 26, No.2, p. 179.
- “Lessons Learned: Considerations Before Initiation of Employee Culturing in a Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) Outbreak”. (Abstract). S. Simpkins, C. Hench, **D. Haiduven**, & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 1998; Vol. 26, No.2, p. 189.
- “A Hybrid Isolation System: A Practical Solution to a Challenging Issue” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, Sandy Simpkins, V. Reyes, & D. A. Stevens. Published in abstracts of American Society for Microbiology, 97th Annual Meeting, 1997, Abstract no. C-380.
- “Bloodborne Exposures in the Home Care Setting: A Multi-Center Analysis” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, Elaine Askari, Robert Gross, & June Fisher. American Journal of Infection Control 1997; Vol. 25, No.2, p. 134.

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“Strategies for Management of Varicella - Vaccinated Employees” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, S. Simpkins, et al. American Journal of Infection Control 1996; Vol. 24, No.2, p. 147.

“Standardized Management of Patients and Employees Exposed to Pertussis.” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench, S. Simpkins et al. American Journal of Infection Control 1996; Vol. 24, No.2, p. 146.

“Percutaneous/Mucocutaneous Injury Reporting in a County Teaching Hospital” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, S. Simpkins, E. Phillips & D. A. Stevens. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1995; Vol. 16, No.9, pp. 538-539.

“Perceived Risk of Acquiring Bloodborne Pathogens in Surgery”. (Abstract). G. M. Swor & **D. Haiduven**. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology, 1994; Vol. 15, No.5, p. 350.

“Evaluation of a One-Handed Surgical Suturing Device to Decrease Intraoperative Needlestick Injuries and Glove Perforations: Phases I & II” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven** & M. Allo. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology 1994; Vol. 15, No.5, p. 344 and Vol. 15, No.4, Part 2 (supplement), p. 20.

“Lessons Learned From Evaluating Safety Products”. (Abstract). S. Simpkins, **D. Haiduven** & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 1994; Vol. 22, No.2, p. 122.

“Prenatal Tuberculosis Screening: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach” (Abstract). S. Simpkins, C. Hench, V. Reyes, **D. Haiduven** & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 1994; Vol. 22, No. 2, p. 122.

“How One Hospital Attempts to Pre-Screen Contract Personnel” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**, C. Hench & D. A. Stevens. American Journal of Infection Control 1992; Vol. 20, No.2, p. 97.

“Four-Year Study Shows Significant Reduction in Needlestick Injuries with Convenient Placement of Sharps Containers and Educational Programs” (Abstract). **D. Haiduven**. American Journal of Infection Control 1991; Vol. 19, No.2, p. 105.

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“Circumstances Surrounding Needlestick /Sharp Injuries Among Healthcare Workers in a Venezuelan Public Hospital.” Galindez, L. & **Haiduven, D.** (Abstract). Presented as poster presentation at the 33rd APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, Tampa, FL, June 11-14, 2006.

“Comparison of didactic versus interactive teaching strategies for category A agents of bioterrorism”. **Haiduven, D.**, Tucker, J., & Thompson, V. (Abstract). Only 1 of 12 accepted for oral presentation at the 33rd APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, Tampa, FL, June 14, 2006.

“Development and implementation of a nursing bioreadiness training program.” **Haiduven, D.** Presented in poster session at the 32nd APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, Baltimore, MD, June 19-23, 2005.

“Comparison of live versus on-line bioreadiness training program for nurses.” **Haiduven, D.**, Cooper, E., & Luther, S. Presented in poster session at the 32nd APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, Baltimore, MD, June 19-23, 2005.

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“A Pilot Study to Measure the Compressive Force Required to Activate Retractable Intramuscular Safety Syringes”. H. DiSalvo, J. Konopack, S. Applegarth, **D. Haiduven***, P. Katsouli, and J. Fisher Presented in poster session at the Healthcare Epidemiology of America Annual Educational Conference, April 2005, Los Angeles, CA.

“Structure and Evaluation of an Eight-hour Bioreadiness Program”. **Donna Haiduven**, Callie Kabrick, & James McCluskey. Presented in poster session at the 31st APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, June 7-9, 2004.

“Effectiveness of a Bioreadiness Training Program”. (Abstract). **Donna Haiduven**, Callie Kabrick, & James McCluskey. Presented in poster session at the 31st APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, June 7-9, 2004.

“Who let the Dogs Out? Infection Control Did”. Nancy Johnson, Carmen Hench, Val Reyes, **Donna Haiduven**, Rosemary Shaw, & David A. Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 30th APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, San Antonio, TX, June 7-12, 2003.

“Strategies to Decrease Visiting Children’s Exposures in the Hospital Setting”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, Vicki Meyer, Nancy Johnson, & David A. Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 29th APIC Educational Conference and International Meeting, Nashville, TN, May 20-21, 2002.

“Development of a Patient Safety Simulation Research Laboratory”. **D. Haiduven**, Audrey Nelson, John Lloyd, Stuart Wilkinson, & Shawn Applegarth. Presented in poster session at second Safe Patient Handling & Movement Conference, Clearwater, FL, January 16-18, 2002.

“Barriers to and Facilitating Conditions for Safe Working Practice in the Home Health Care Setting”. **Donna Haiduven**, Elaine Askari, Robert Gross, & June Fisher. Presented in poster session at conference entitled “Mobilizing for a Safe USA: A Leadership Conference to Reduce Violence and Injury in America. Atlanta, GA., December 3, 2001.

“Outbreak of a Pertussis-like Illness in a Public Teaching Hospital”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, Kathleen Scott, & Stanley Deresinski. Presented in poster session at the 28th Annual APIC Educational Conference in Seattle, Washington, June 12, 2001.

“Components of a Successful Infection Control Committee”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, & David A. Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 28th Annual APIC Educational Conference in Seattle, Washington, June 11, 2001.

“Circumstances Surrounding Blood Exposures and Needle Safety Practices in Home Health Care Nurses”. **Donna Haiduven***. Presented in poster session at 27th Annual APIC Educational Conference in Minnestoa, June 20, 2000.

“Use of the California-Occupational Safety and Health Administration’s Employee Injury Log to Monitor Sharps Exposures: One Hospital’s Experience”. **Donna Haiduven**, Kathleen Scott, & Sue Chen*. Presented in poster session at the 27th Annual APIC Educational Conference in Minneapolis, Minnesota, June 19, 2000.

“Erythrovirus B19 (Parvovirus B19) Exposure in Obstetric/Gynecology Setting: An Infection Control Dilemma”. Carmen Hench, Marilyn D’Alena, Nancy Johnson, **Donna Haiduven***, Kathleen Scott, Stanley Deresinski, David A. Stevens, & Sue Chen. Presented in poster session at 27th Annual APIC Educational Conference, MI, June 19, 2000.

“An Evaluation of Engineering and Work Practice Controls for Sharps Disposal in the Operating Room”. **Donna Haiduven**. Presented in oral session at the Fourth International Conference on Occupational Health for Health Care

Workers, Montreal, Canada, September 30, 1999.

“Barriers to and Facilitating Conditions for Nurses’ Use of Needle Safety Devices and Practices in the Home Health Care Setting”. **Donna Haiduven**. Presented in oral session at the Fourth International Conference on Occupational Health for Health Care Workers, Montreal, Canada, September 29, 1999.

“Use of Focus Groups to Explore Home Health Care Nurses’ Concerns Regarding Bloodborne Exposures and Safety Products”. **Donna Haiduven**, Elaine Askari, Robert Gross, and June Fisher. Presented in poster session at the 26th Annual APIC Educational Conference, Baltimore, Maryland, June 21, 1999.

“Innovative Teaching Method for Complying with OSHA’s Bloodborne Pathogen and Tuberculosis Exposure Control Plans”. (Abstract). **Donna Haiduven**, Esther Phillips, Carmen Hench, Sandy Simpkins, & Val Reyes. Presented in poster session at the 26th Annual APIC Educational Conference, Baltimore, Maryland, June 21, 1999.

“A Systematic Procedure for Varicella Exposure Work-Ups” (Abstract). **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, Sandy Simpkins, Val Reyes, & David A. Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 26th Annual APIC Educational Conference, Baltimore, Maryland, June 21, 1999.

“Compliance with the Federal Register’s Vancomycin-resistant Enterococci Guidelines: One Hospital’s Experience”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, Sandy Simpkins, & David Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 25th APIC Annual Educational Conference and International Meeting, San Diego, California, May 12, 1998.

“Bloodborne Exposures in the Home Care Setting”. **Donna Haiduven**, Elaine Askari, Robert Gross, & June Fisher. Presented in oral session at the 24th Annual APIC Educational Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, June 1997.

“A Hybrid Isolation System: A Practical Solution to a Challenging Issue”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, Sandy Simpkins, Venice Reyes, & David Stevens. Presented in poster session at 97th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Microbiology, Miami, Florida, May 1997.

“Strategies for Management of Varicella-Vaccinated Employees”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, Sandy Simpkins, et al. Presented in poster session at the 23rd Annual APIC Educational Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, June 1996.

“Standardized Management of Patients and Employees Exposed to Pertussis”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench, Sandy Simpkins, et al. Presented in poster session at the 23rd Annual APIC Educational Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, June, 1996.

“Percutaneous / Mucocutaneous Injury Reporting in a County Teaching Hospital”. **Donna Haiduven**, Sandy Simpkins, Esther Phillips & David Stevens. Presented in oral session at the Second Conference for Frontline Healthcare Workers on Prevention of Bloodborne Pathogens, Atlanta, Georgia, August 14-16, 1995.

“Eight Year Analysis of Percutaneous Injuries (PI): Categorization, Effective Reduction Methods and Future Strategies”. **Donna Haiduven** & David Stevens. Presented in oral session at the 34th Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy, Orlando, Florida, October 4-7, 1994.

“Lessons Learned From Evaluating Safety Products”. Sandy Simpkins, **Donna Haiduven** & David Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 21st Annual APIC Conference, Cincinnati, Ohio, May 23-27, 1994.

“Evaluation of a One-Handed Surgical Suturing Device to Decrease Intraoperative Needlestick Injuries and Glove Perforations: Phases I & II”. **Donna Haiduven** & Maria Allo. Presented as oral presentation at the Society for Hospital Epidemiologists of America Conference in New Orleans, March 20-22, 1994 and in poster session at the American College of Surgeons/Centers for Disease Control Conference for Prevention of Bloodborne Pathogens in Surgery and Obstetrics, Atlanta, Georgia, February 13-15, 1994.

“Perceived Risk of Acquiring Bloodborne Infections in Surgery”. G. Michael Swor & **Donna Haiduven**. Presented in poster session at the American College of Surgeons/Centers for Disease Control Conference on Prevention of Bloodborne Pathogens in Surgery and Obstetrics, Atlanta, Georgia, February 13-15, 1994.

“Post-Exposure Varicella Management in Non-immune Personnel: An Alternative Approach”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench & David Stevens. Presented in oral session at 33rd Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy, New Orleans, Louisiana, October 17-20, 1993.

“Strategies for Successful Reduction in Percutaneous Injuries Based on a Five-Year Study”. **Donna Haiduven**, Tammy DeMaio & David Stevens. Presented in poster session at the National Conference on Prevention of Device-Mediated Bloodborne Infections in Washington, D.C., August 17-19, 1992.

“Standardized Categorization of Device-Mediated Percutaneous Injuries”. **Donna Haiduven**. Presented in poster session at the National Conference on Prevention of Device-Mediated Bloodborne Infections in Washington, D.C., August 17-19, 1992.

“How One Hospital Attempts to Pre-screen Contract Personnel”. **Donna Haiduven**, Carmen Hench & David Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 19th Annual APIC Educational Conference, San Francisco, California, May 31-June 5, 1992.

“Contingency Plans for Management of Contagious Lethal Diseases”. **Donna Haiduven**, Richard Tucker & David Stevens. Presented in poster session at the 2nd Conference on International Travel Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia, May 9-12, 1991.

“Epidemiologic Characteristics of Contagious Lethal Diseases”. **Donna Haiduven**, Richard Tucker & David Stevens. Presented in poster session (as above).

“Four-Year Study Shows Significant Reduction in Needlestick Injuries with Convenient Placement of Sharps Containers and Educational Programs”. **Donna Haiduven**. Presented in oral session at the 18th Annual APIC Educational and International Conference, Nashville, Tennessee, May 6-9, 1991.

“Management of Contagious Lethal Communicable Diseases in the Hospital Setting: Algorithms and Policy”. **Donna Haiduven**, Richard Tucker & David Stevens. Presented in oral session at 2nd International Conference of Infection Control, sponsored by Infection Control Nurses of the United Kingdom, Harrogate England, September 12-16, 1988.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Scientific

Member, scientific committee, 3rd Advances Against Aspergillosis, January 16-19, 2007.

Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology (APIC) Activities:

National

Speaker at 2003 National APIC Educational Conference on “Standardized Management Strategies for Patients and Employees Exposed to Pertussis”, San Antonio, TX, June 11, 2003.

Invited speaker at 1997 National APIC Educational Conference on “Immunizations for Health Care Workers” in a preconference on Occupational Safety, New Orleans, Louisiana, June 7, 1997.

Co-author (with Dr. Gregory Poland), of the chapter “Immunizations for Healthcare Workers” in Infection Control and Applied Epidemiology: Principles and Practice, 1996; 1999.

APIC Regional Activities

Nominated to run for National Office in 1996 - declined due to entrance into the Doctoral program.

Invited speaker at National APIC Educational Conference. Two lectures: "Scientific Presentations" and "Writing for Publication" in preconference entitled "Enhancing Professional Competence", Atlanta, Georgia, May 1996.

November 1992. Monterey, California. California Association for Practitioners in Infection Control (CAL - APIC). Conference on Developing an Effective Infection Control Program for Beginning Infection Control Practitioners. "Isolation/Precautions: An Array of Methods" - Invited Speaker.

Program committee member (6 members) for CAL - APIC "Advanced Practitioner Program for Infection Prevention and Control", Los Angeles, September 1991.

APIC Activities, Local:

Member of Tampa, FL, chapter of APIC since 2001. Presented to local chapter on August 25, 2006 "Academic & Professional Opportunities for Infection Control Professionals", Plant City, Florida.

Member of San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter since 1986. Served on Nominating Committee for 1997. Served as President-Elect, Chairman of By-laws and Government Affairs Committees for 1992, Recording Secretary for 1991, as Co-founder and Chairman of Scientific Presentations Task Force 1991-1992, and served as Program Chairman 1990.

May 12, 1999. Burlingame, CA. San Francisco Bay Area APIC. Panel member on presentation entitled, "Multi-drug Resistant Pathogens".

September 1995. Castro Valley, California. San Francisco Bay Area APIC. "Varicella Vaccine Update" - Current Practices Session.

December 1995. Castro Valley, California. San Francisco Bay Area APIC. "Much Ado About Ebola Virus and Other Hemorrhagic Fevers" - Program.

September 1994. Menlo Park, California. San Francisco Bay Area APIC. "Post-exposure Varicella Management of Nonimmune Personnel: An Alternate Approach" - Program.

December 1991. Menlo Park, California. San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter. "Preparing for Scientific Presentations: Abstracts, Oral Sessions, and Posters" - Program.

October 1991. Menlo Park, California. San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter. "Scientific Presentations - Survey and Results" - Current Practices Session.

August 1990. San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter. "A Sharper View of Needlestick Injuries" - Program.

April 1989. San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter. "Management of Viral Hemorrhagic Fevers and Other Contagious Lethal Diseases in the Hospital Setting" - Program.

December 1988. San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter. "Multiply-Resistant Organisms - Survey Results and Discussion" - Current Practices Session.

March 1987. San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter. "Central Venous Lines" - Current Practices Session.

Active member of Dade County (Miami, Florida) Chapter of APIC 1983-1986. Served as Nominating Committee Chairman, member of Infection Control Week Committee x 2 years, and elected as Secretary for 1986.

INVITED LECTURES:

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October 20, 2007. "Infectious Disease Update for Occupational Health Professionals. Annual meeting of the Florida Association of Occupational Health Nurses, Orlando, Florida.

June 19, 2007. "Bioreadiness & Pandemic Influenza Preparedness". 8-hour module one of seven selected for inclusion in first annual Master Public Health Course in Applied Public Health, Lantana, FL. Sponsored by the Florida Department of Health and the Florida Health Institute.

January 19, 2007. "Bioreadiness for the Clinician". Medical Grand Rounds, Santa Clara Valley Medical Center, San Jose, California.

October 26, 2006. "Pandemic Influenza Preparedness for Occupational Health Professionals". Annual meeting of the Florida Association of Occupational Health Nurses, Orlando, Florida.

March 2, 2006. "Factors Contributing to Underreporting of Nurses' Musculoskeletal Injuries". Annual Safe Patient Handling & Movement Conference, sponsored by James A. Haley V.A. Patient Safety Center, Clearwater, FL.

September 22, 2005. "Bioreadiness Preparedness for State Healthcare Facilities". Annual Conference of the Florida Practitioners in Infection Control. Orlando, FL.

March 3, 2005. "Underreporting of Musculoskeletal Injuries in Nurses". Annual Safe Patient Handling & Movement Conference, sponsored by James A. Haley V.A. Patient Safety Center, St. Petersburg, FL.

September 23, 2004. "HIV/AIDS Update". Annual Conference of the Florida Practitioners in Infection Control. Orlando, FL.

January 23, 2004. "Bioreadiness and Pertussis". Tampa, FL. Bay Area Practitioners in Infection Control Annual Educational Conference.

September 25, 2003. Invited speaker, "HIV/AIDS Update". Annual Conference of the Florida Practitioners in Infection Control. Orlando, FL.

January 26, 2003. "Bioreadiness Training for Safety Professionals." Safety Harbor, FL. Sponsored by Center for Biological Defense, University of South Florida.

January 22, 2003. "Infection Control Challenges in the 21st Century". Tampa, FL. Multi-disciplinary conference, University of South Florida, College of Public Health.

November 7, 2002. "Antimicrobial Resistance in Hospital Settings". Tampa, FL. Guest lecturer for the Exotic & Emerging Infections course, University of South Florida, College of Public Health.

October 4, 2002. "Components of a Hospital Bioreadiness Plan". Sponsored by Center for Biological Defense, University of South Florida. Jupiter, FL.

August 14, 2002. "Best Practices: Prevention of Sharps-Related Injuries", Tampa, FL. Presented at VA VISN 8 Occupational Health Strategic Planning Meeting".

May 14, 2002. "How to Conduct Successful Focus Groups". Workshop presented to focus group moderators in preparation for joint USF/VA Patient Safety Summit.

March 28, 2002. "Patient Safety and Infection Control". To Tampa VA Hospital staff as part of Patient Safety Center of Inquiry Lecture Series on Patient Safety.

February 14, 2002. Twentieth Health Services Research & Development Conference, Washington, D.C. Presented workshop entitled, "Focus Groups: Evolution from Market Research to Qualitative Research".

January 18, 2002. Second Safe Patient Handling & Movement Conference, Clearwater, FL. Lecture entitled, "Changing Provider Behavior".

March 30, 2001. Tenth Anniversary National Workers' Compensation and Occupational Medicine Seminar, San Diego, California. Two presentations. "Promoting Safety Behaviors: Risk Perception and Behavior" and "Hepatitis C, Occupational Health, and Workers' Compensation".

July 14, 2000. San Francisco Bay Area chapter of Association of Occupational Health Professionals in Health Care. Lecture entitled, "Circumstances Surrounding Blood Exposures & Needle Safety Practices in Home Care Nurses".

March & April, 2000. California Occupational Safety and Health Administration's Consultation Service. Series of seminars presented to state facilities for the developmentally disabled. "Needlestick and Back Injury Prevention".

February, 2000. Stanford Medical Center Conference on Issues in Home Care. Lecture entitled, "Barriers and Facilitating Conditions for Needle Safety Practices in Home Care Nurses".

September 9, 1998. Countywide Safety Day for Santa Clara County "Adventures in Safety". Lecture entitled "Keeping Infectious Diseases at Bay: At Home and Away".

September 19, 1997, in Sacramento, California. Statewide Committee on Sharps Injury Surveillance. "Bloodborne Exposures in the Homecare Setting: A Multi-Center Analysis".

March 13, 1997, in Sacramento, California. Conference on "Critical Issues for Occupational Health in Health Care." Presentation entitled, "Varicella and the Vaccine: Where Do We Go from Here?"

October 23, 1996, in Toronto, Canada, Canadian Intravenous Nurse Association's Annual Conference. Presentation entitled, "Needleless Needles NOT Needless Needlesticks".

July 1996, in San Jose, California. Santa Clara County Safety Seminar. "Keeping the Bugs Away - At Work, At Home, At Play".

May 1996, in Atlanta, Georgia. 27th Annual National Conference of the Association of Surgical Technologists of America. "Percutaneous Injuries".

September 13, 1995. Santa Clara County Public Health Department, monthly meeting. "Much Ado About Ebola and Other Hemorrhagic Fevers".

May 1995. Dallas, Texas. 26th Annual National Conference of the Association of Surgical Technologists of America. "Safe Surgery in the 1990's: Prevention of Needlestick Injuries".

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES:

Manuscript reviewer for the American Journal of Infection Control, 1996 – present; Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology, 1995 -present.

Member of editorial boards of the American Journal of Infection Control for 2000-2003; Infection Control Today, 1996- 2001.

Editorial tutor for nursing doctoral and master's students at the University of California, San Francisco, 1996 -1998.

Manuscript reviewer for the American Journal of Public Health, 1995.

HONORS/RECOGNITION/AWARDS/GRANTS/FELLOWSHIPS:

Nominated for and recipient of an International Sharps Injury Prevention Award from the International Sharps Injury Prevention Association, 2006. Will be featured in December issue of "Managing Infection Control Today" magazine.

Nominated for and accepted as Scholar in Nurses Educational Funds, Inc., a nonprofit organization which grants scholarships to nurses for graduate studies. Previous recipient of top scholarship award from this organization.

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Nominated and accepted for inclusion into 2005/2006 Manchester Who's Who Among Executive and Professional Women in Research and Science "Honors Edition" of the registry.

Inducted into Sigma Xi Scientific Research Society, University of South Florida Chapter, Tampa, FL, April 2004.

Recipient of Veterans Administration Post-doctoral Nursing Fellowship for 2001-2002, & 2002-2003, James A Haley Veteran's Hospital, Tampa, Florida.

Recipient of UCSF Department of Nursing Century funds for dissertation research for 1998-99 academic years.

Recipient of National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) educational grant from the UCSF Occupational Health Nursing Department for the 1999-2000 academic year.

Recipient of 1999 Barbara Resnick Writing Award for graduate students in occupational health nursing from the Occupational Health Nursing Program at the University of California, San Francisco (UCSF). Paper on hepatitis C exposure management in health care workers.

Recipient of 1999 Robert Legge Award for dedication to and academic excellence in occupational health studies; awarded by the Industrial Hygiene Society.

Invited to become charter member of Nurses' Educational Funds Society of Scholars, 1998, 1999, and 2000.

Recipient of single Chancellor's Dissertation fellowship from UCSF College of Nursing for 1998-99 academic years.

Recipient of Sigma Theta Tau research grant for doctoral research from the UCSF chapter for the 1997-1998 academic years.

Recipient of a Regent's Fellowship from the Graduate Division of UCSF, for the 1997-98 academic year.

Recipient of UCSF Nursing Alumni Scholarship for the 1996-97 academic year.

Single recipient of the 1996-1997 Isabel Hampton Robb top scholarship award in nursing from Nurses' Educational Funds, Inc., a division of the American Nurses Association.

Recipient of NIOSH educational grant from the UCSF Occupational Health Nursing Department for the 1995-96 academic year.

1996 recipient of a 3-year training grant, Nurse's Research Service Award (NRSA), from the National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Nursing Research, for doctoral study at UCSF. Study entitled "Factors Influencing Nurses' Use of Needle Safety Devices".

Nominated by San Francisco Bay Area APIC Chapter for Carol DeMille Achievement Award (Outstanding Infection Control Practitioner) December 1995 and 1996.

Selected as Santa Clara Valley Medical Center's "Employee of the Month", January 1988.

Inducted into Sigma Theta Tau National Honor Society of Nursing in 1981.

Graduated Magna Cum Laude from the Masters program at the University of Miami, 1981.

Graduated Cum Laude from the undergraduate program at the University of South Florida, 1977.

Recipient of single Faculty-Staff Scholarship from the College of Nursing, USF, for the 1972-1973 academic year.

Inducted into the Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society in 1976 and maintains membership to present.

ADDITIONAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS ATTENDED:

Zenger-Miller
Leadership Academy Phase 2

January - February, 1994

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Santa Clara Valley Medical Center
San Jose, CA

Zenger-Miller
Frontline Leadership Program - Phase 1
Santa Clara Valley Medical Center
San Jose, CA

January - March 1990

California Nurses' Association
AIDS Train the Trainer Program
V.A. Medical Center
Palo Alto, CA

January 29-30, 1987

Applied Epidemiology
Centers for Disease Control; Miami, Florida

March 20-29, 1985

Surveillance, Prevention and Control
of Nosocomial Infections
Centers for Disease Control
Atlanta, GA

March 21-30, 1984

PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED:

- 2008 3rd Advances Against Aspergillosis International Scientific Meeting. Gave lecture entitled "Nosocomial Aspergillosis and Building Construction Cases".
- 2007 34th Annual National Association for Professionals in Infection Control & Epidemiology Educational and International Meeting, San Jose, CA, June 24-28. Presented oral abstract and 2 posters.
- 2006 33rd Annual National Association for Professionals in Infection Control & Epidemiology Educational and International Meeting, Tampa, Florida, June 11-15. Presented oral abstract and 2 posters.
- 2006 Biodefense Consortium. Sheraton Resort, May 29-June 1, 2006. Oral presentation on "Didactic vs. Interactive Teaching Strategies for Teaching Category A Agents of Biological Terrorism".
- 2006 Pandemic Influenza Summit. February 16, 2006, Tallahassee, FL.
- 2005 32nd Annual APIC Educational and International Meeting, Baltimore, MD, June 18-22, 2005. Presented 3 posters: 2 on Bioreadiness training on 1 on safer needle device pilot research.
- 2005 15th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America, April 9-12, 2005, Los Angeles, CA. Presented poster on retractable safety syringe research.
- 2004 31st Annual APIC Educational and International Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, June 7-9, 2004. Presented two posters on Bioreadiness Training.
- 2003 30th Annual APIC Educational and International Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, June 8-12, 2003. Invited lecture on pertussis and presented poster on policies for dogs in the hospital setting.
- 2003 Selected as one of 9 nurse participants to attend "Randomized Clinical Trials" course, Chicago, IL, April 7-11, 2003. Sponsored by the Veterans Administration.
- 2002 VA VISN 8 Occupational Health Strategic Planning Meeting, Tampa, FL, August 13-15. Invited speaker-"Best Practices: Prevention of Sharps-Related Injuries".

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- 2002 Veterans Administration Summer Epidemiology Session, Seattle, WA. , June 24-28, 2002. One week session taking three courses: Grant writing, Logistic Regression, & Clinical Trials.
- 2002 Twenty-ninth Annual APIC Educational and International Meeting, Nashville, TN, May 19-22, 2002. Presented poster entitled, “Strategies to Decrease Visiting Children’s Exposures in the Hospital Setting”.
- 2002 Twentieth Health Services Research & Development Conference, Washington DC, February 13-15, 2002. Presented workshop entitled, “Focus groups: Evolution from Market Research to Qualitative Research”.
- 2002 Second “Safe Patient Handling & Movement” Conference. Clearwater, FL., January 16-18, 2002. Poster accepted for presentation. Invited lecture- “Changing Provider Behavior”.
- 2001 Mobilizing for Safe USA: A Leadership Conference to Reduce Violence and Injury in America”. Atlanta, GA., December 2001. Poster accepted for presentation.
- 2001 Twenty-eighth Annual APIC Educational Conference, Seattle, Washington. June, 2001. Three papers accepted for poster presentations; presenting author on two; contributing author on one.
- 2001 Tenth Anniversary National Worker’s Compensation and Occupational Medicine Seminar. San Diego, CA. Invited speaker for two lectures.
- 2001 Safe Patient Handling and Movement Conference and Back Injury Resource Nurse (BIRN) Conference. St. Petersburg, Florida. Presentation entitled, “Understanding Behavior and How to Change it”.
- 2000 Bioterrorism conference. Presented by the Santa Clara County Health Department, San Jose, California. Conference participant.
- 2000 Twenty-seventh Annual APIC Educational Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Presented 3 papers.
- 1999 Fourth International Conference on Occupational Health for Health Care Workers, Montreal, Canada. Two oral presentations for accepted papers.
- 1999 Twenty-sixth Annual APIC Educational Conference, Baltimore, MD. Presented 3 posters.
- 1998 Twenty-fifth Annual APIC Educational Conference, San Diego, California. Poster presentation.
- 1998 Fourth Conference for Frontline Healthcare Worker Safety, Washington, D.C. Conference participant.
- 1997 Twenty-fourth Annual APIC Educational Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana. Invited lecture and oral presentation of abstract.
- 1996 Twenty-third Annual APIC Educational Conference, Atlanta, Georgia. Presented two posters.
- 1995 Third Conference for Frontline Healthcare Workers on Prevention of Bloodborne Pathogens, Atlanta, Georgia. Oral presentation.
- 1994 Thirty-fourth Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy, Orlando, Florida. Oral presentation.
- 1994 Twenty-first Annual APIC Educational Conference, Cincinnati, Ohio. Presented poster.
- 1994 American College of Surgeons/Center’s for Disease Control Conference on Prevention of Bloodborne Pathogens in Surgery and Obstetrics, Atlanta, Georgia. Presented two posters.

- 1993 Thirty-third Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy, New Orleans, Louisiana. Oral presentation.
- 1993 Twentieth Annual APIC Educational Conference, Miami, Florida. Presentation on prevention of needlestick injuries to product representatives of Sanofi-Winthrop, Inc
- 1992 Second Conference on Prevention of Device-Mediated Bloodborne Infections, Washington, D.C. Presented two posters.
- 1992 Nineteenth Annual APIC Educational Conference, San Francisco, California. Poster presentation.
- 1991 Eighteen Annual APIC Educational Conference, Nashville, Tennessee. Oral abstract presentation.
- 1991 Second Conference on International Travel Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia. Presented two posters.
- 1988 Second International Conference on Infection Control, Harrogate, England. Oral presentation of abstract.
- 1987 Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology (APIC) National Educational Conference, Miami, Florida. Conference participant.

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE:

- Certification in Infection Control (C.I.C.) #3511 2004, 1999, 1994, 1989 and 1985 (certification require every 5 years by successful written exam)
- Registered Nurse - State of Florida 1977 – 1997; 8/2000- present
License # 9169857
- Registered Nurse - State of California June 1986 – present
License # 399320

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION AND RESEARCH:

- Bioreadiness Training for Healthcare Workers (Management of Contagious Lethal Diseases and Agents of Bioterrorism in the Hospital Setting)
- Pandemic Influenza Preparedness for Healthcare & Safety Professionals
- Laboratory Evaluation of Safer Needle Devices for Healthcare Workers
- Prevention of Bloodborne Pathogen Exposures and Percutaneous Injuries in Health Care Workers
- Infection Control
- Occupational Health
- Evaluation of Safer Needle Devices to Prevent Bloodborne Pathogens Exposures in Healthcare Workers
- Safe Patient Handling and Movement: Design, Selection and Evaluation of Technology
- Workplace Self-Protective Behavior
- Focus Group Methodology
- Barriers and Facilitating Conditions Affecting Needle Safety Practices in Health Care Workers
- Home Health Care Worker Safety
- Varicella Vaccine and Varicella Exposure Management
- Pertussis Exposure Management
- Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* and Vancomycin-resistant *Enterococci*

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES:

- September 2006-present Member, USF College of Public Health Task Force on Educational Technology &

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Assessment. Appointed as chair October 2007.

March 2004-present

Director, Graduate Certificate Program in Infection Control

Summer 2005-present

USF, College of Public Health, Student Affairs Committee

Spring 2004-present

Coordinator of Concentration Exam for Global Communicable Disease Track

Fall 2003-present

Member, Admissions Committee for Department of Global Health

ADDITIONAL UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES:

August 2002- present

Supervised field experience for University of South Florida (USF) Masters in Public Health student, Jean Marc Romeus, summer & fall, 2002. Supervising Field Experience and Special Project for Brian Wright, MPH student, summer & fall, 2003. Supervised field experience for Jason Konopack, fall 2004. Supervised Special Project for Paulina Katsouli, fall 2004. Supervised field experience for Heidi DiSalvo & Abdel Alli, summer 2004. Supervised Special Project for ARNP/MPH Nursing student Shalah Ferol, spring & summer, 2003. Supervised Special Project for MPH student, Ana Arroyave, summer & fall, 2003. Supervised Special Projects for MPH students Olubunmi Oladdinni, Callie Kabrick, Luis Galindez, Abdel Alli, Heidi DiSalvo, Paulina Katsouli, 2004. Supervised special project for MPH students Sitha Mangipudy summer 2005, Jason Konopack, summer 2005, Alicia Bahadur fall 2005, Jason Ambrose, Panos Fotopoulos, Juan Luna, & Sharon Olenski spring 2006. Supervised field experience for James Tucker, spring 2006. Special project advisor for Ariel Ansley, MPH student, fall 2006. Special project advisor for Byron Ighewood, spring 2007; Field experience supervisor for Miloni Shroff, fall 2007; special project & independent study advisor for Miloni Shroff, summer & fall 2007; Special project advisor for Merlene Fredericks-James, fall 2007 and spring 2008. Major advisor for PhD student Luis Galindez 2005-present.

Thesis committees: Owen Bendixsen 2005-present; Melissa Cameron 2006-2007

Doctoral committee: Luis Galindez 2005-present

May 2002

Trained moderators for, coordinated, and conducted focus groups for the Patient Safety Summit sponsored by USF, May 17, 2002, Tampa, FL.

April 1999

Selected to give oral presentation of paper entitled, "Use of Focus Groups to Explore Home Health Care Nurses' Concerns Regarding Bloodborne Exposures and Safety Products" at the 1999U University of California, San Francisco, Community of Scholars.

May 1998

Selected to give poster presentation of paper entitled "Bloodborne Exposures in the Homecare Setting: A Multi-center Analysis" at the 1998 UCSF Graduate Research Day.

April 1998

Selected to give oral presentation of paper entitled "Bloodborne Exposures in the Homecare Setting: A Multi-center Analysis" at the 1998 UCSF Community of Scholars.

May 1997

Participated in 1997 "Graduate Research Day" by presenting poster (as above).

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- November 1996- April 1997 Committee member for UCSF's "Community of Scholar's" 1997 program. Activities included planning, conducting, and evaluating the program. Also presented poster on "Use of a One Handed Surgical Suturing Device to Reduce Percutaneous Injuries and Glove Perforations."
- May 1996 Participated in "1996 Graduate Research Day" at UCSF. Presented poster on "Percutaneous/Mucocutaneous Reporting in a County Teaching Hospital."
- March 1996 Selected to give one of three oral presentations in the UCSF "Community of Scholars" scientific presentation day. Presented "Percutaneous/Mucocutaneous Reporting in a County Teaching Hospital."

BIOREADINESS WORKSHOPS/LECTURES PRESENTED: (under sponsorship of University of South Florida, Center for Biological Defense)

- December 7, 2007 "Pandemic Influenza Preparedness for Santa Monica Healthcare". Santa Monica Public Library, healthcare, safety and public health professionals, Santa Monica, CA.
- November 7, 2007 "Is Avian Influenza the Next Pandemic?". Tampa Alliance for Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners, Tampa, FL.
- September 27, 2007 "Pandemic Influenza". Sarasota Police Department, police officers, Sarasota, FL.
- July 27, 2007 "How Real is the Threat of Bioterrorism?". Northside Mental Health Clinic. Mental health professionals, Tampa, FL.
- May 23, 2007 "How Real is the Threat of Bioterrorism?". Northside Mental Health Center, Main Center. Mental health professionals. Tampa, FL.
- May 9, 2007 "A Historical Perspective on Biological Warfare". Northside Mental Health Clinic, Inpatient Unit. Mental health professionals. Tampa, FL.
- March 28, 2007 "Avian Influenza: The Next Pandemic?". Northside Mental health Unit F.A.C.T. team Mental health professionals, Tampa, FL.
- March 16, 2007 "How Real is the Threat of Bioterrorism?". Access House Mental Health Unit. Mental health professionals, Tampa, FL.
- February 28, 2007 "Pandemic Influenza: The Next Pandemic?". Northside Mental Health Center, Outpatient Department. Mental health professionals, Tampa, FL.
- February 26, 2007 "Pandemic Influenza: The Next Pandemic?". Northside Mental Health Center, Inpatient Unit. Mental health professionals, Tampa, FL.
- November 29, 2006 "How Real is the Threat of Bioterrorism?". Mental health professionals, New Port Richey Community Hospital, FL.
- October 26, 2006 "Pandemic Influenza Preparedness for Occupational Health". Florida Association of Occupational Health Nurses. Presented 6-hour workshop. Orlando, FL.
- September 20, 2006 "How Real is the Threat of Bioterrorism?". Invited lecture to Tampa Bay Association of Physician Assistants & Nurse Practitioners, Tampa, FL.

- August 23, 2006 "How Real is the Threat of Bioterrorism?". Tampa, Florida, mental health professionals.
- July 20, 2006 "Bioreadiness for Healthcare Workers and Safety Professionals". Cupertino, California. Presented 8-hour course on this topic.
- May 10, 2006 "Protecting the Family & Home from Biological Terrorism", New Port Richey F.A.C.T. Team, mental health professionals, New Port Richey, FL.
- March 30, 2006 "How Real is the Threat of Bioterrorism?". Northside Mental Health Inpatient Units 1 & 2, Tampa, FL.
- February 3, 2006 "How Bioready is the U.S.?" Access House Mental Health Facility, Tampa, FL.
- December 1, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Environmental & Occupational Health", College of Public Health Masters students, USF, Tampa, FL
- November 30, 2005 "Bioterrorism Scenarios & BioAgent Jeopardy", Mental Health Care Workers, Peace River F.A.C.T. Team, Lakeland, FL
- November 3, 2005 "Category A Agents of Biological Terrorism", Mental Health Care Workers, Peace River F.A.C.T. Team, Lakeland, FL
- September 22, 2005 "Overview of State Healthcare Facilities Bioreadiness Preparedness", Annual meeting of the Florida Professionals in Infection Control, Orlando Florida
- August 31, 2005 "Historical Perspective on Biological Warfare", Mental Health Care Workers, Peace River F.A.C.T. Team, Lakeland, FL
- July 8, 2005 "Historical Perspective on Biological Warfare & Current Threat of Bioterrorism", Category A Agents of Bioterrorism", "Bioterrorism Scenarios", "BioAgent Jeopardy", Information technology students, Pune, India
- June 8, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Environmental & Occupational Health", College of Public Health Masters students, USF, Tampa, FL
- June 2, 2005 Annual Bioterrorism Consortium, Clearwater, FL-presented 3 posters on effectiveness of educational activities conducted to date at annual meeting of bioreadiness researchers
- May 10, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", Nursing Students, Sanford Community College, Lake Mary, FL
- April 20, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", Nursing Students & Faculty, Orlando Tech, Orlando, FL
- April 1, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", Nursing Faculty, Santa Fe Community College, Gainesville, FL
- March 31, 2005 Bioreadiness Plans for Healthcare Facilities and Category A Agents of Bioterrorism" Masters Students, USF COPH, Tampa, FL
- March 30, 2005 "How Prepared the U.S. is for Bioterrorism", Mental Health Care Workers, Northside MHC, Tampa, FL
- March 21, 2005 "Protecting the Family and Home from Biological Terrorism", Mental Health Care Workers, The Harbor, Dade City, FL

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- March 16, 2005 "Protecting the Home and Family from Biological Terrorism", Mental Health Care Workers, Peace River F.A.C.T. Team, Lakeland, FL
- February 15, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", Nursing Students, Central Florida Community College, Ocala, FL
- February 2, 2005 "Protecting the Home and Family from Biological Terrorism", Mental Health Care Workers, MHC FACT team, Tampa, FL
- January 20, 2005 "A Historical Perspective on Biological Warfare", Masters Students, USF COPH, Tampa, FL
- January 19, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", Nursing Students, Jacksonville University School of Nursing, Jacksonville, FL
- January 10, 2005 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", College Students, Florida A & M University, Tallahassee, FL
- December 10, 2004 "Protecting the Building and Its Occupants from a Biological Attack", Mental Health Care Workers, Access House, Tampa, FL
- December 9, 2004 "Bioreadiness for Health Care Workers", Health Care Workers, Ocala Professional Health Training Academy, Ocala, FL
- November 30, 2004 "Historical Perspective on Biological Warfare", Mental Health Care, Incorporated, Tampa, FL
- November 18, 2004 "Bioreadiness", Community Emergency Response Team, New Tampa, Florida
- November 12, 2004 8-hour "Bioreadiness for Healthcare & Safety Professionals" Ontario County healthcare, law enforcement, emergency response and firefighter personnel, Canandaigua, New York
- November 5, 2004 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", College of Nursing, St. Petersburg, FL
- October 29, 2004 "Historical Perspective on Biological Terrorism" & "Ricin as an Agent of Bioterrorism" Florida Occupational Health Nurses Annual Conference, St. Petersburg, FL
- October 25, 2004 "Bioreadiness for Nurses", University of Florida Nursing Students, Gainesville, FL

The following is a list of additional bioterrorism and bioreadiness presentations:

- September 24, 2004 Access House Mental Health Facility, Tampa, FL.
- September 9, 2004 Community Emergency Response Team, New Tampa, FL.
- August 24, 2004 Northside Mental Health Clinic, Tampa, FL.
- August 11-12, 2004 National Reconnaissance Office-Fairfax, VA.
- July 7, 2004- Environmental & Occupational health students, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. (Guest lecture in Environmental & Occupational Health core class).
- June 25, 2004- Healthcare workers, Miami, FL.

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June 17, 2004-	Safety professionals, government workers, first responders, healthcare workers, Lake County, FL.
May 28, 2004-	Safety professionals, government workers, first responders, healthcare workers, Hernando County, FL.
May 21, 2004-	Mental health professionals. Tampa, FL.
May 6-7, 2004-	Safety professionals, government workers, first responders, Lake Worth, FL.
April 19 &27, 2004-	Safety professionals, government workers, first responders. Lecanto, FL.
April 15, 2004-	Mental health professionals. Tampa, FL.
March 12, 2004-	Safety professionals, public health officials, government workers, first responders. Duck Key, FL.
March 4-5, 2004-	Safety professionals, Tampa, Florida.
February 27, 2004-	Nursing personnel-St. Pete Junior College, St. Pete, Florida.
February 24-25, 2004-	Safety Professionals, Cocoa Beach, Florida.
February 11, 2004-	Technical Institute-nursing personnel, Sarasota, Florida.
January 27, 2004-	North Carolina Winter Institute, Safety professionals, Safety Harbor, Florida.
January 12, 2004-	Pasco County safety professionals, Florida.
December 5, 2003-	Safety professionals, Miami, Florida.
November 18, 2003-	Physicians, nurses, laboratorians, Naples Community Hospital, Naples, FL.
November 17, 2003-	Naples Safety Professionals, Naples, FL.
October 6, 2003-	University of Florida, College of Nursing. Gainesville, FL.
October 1, 2003-	College of Public Health-HAZWOPPER. Tampa, FL.
September 19, 2003-	Sarasota, FL.
August 15, 2003-	St. Joseph's Hospital, Tampa, FL.
July 12, 2003-	University of North Carolina, Charlotte, N.C.
June 27, 2003-	Primrose Center, Orlando, FL.
June 6, 2003-	Florida Atlantic University, Ft. Lauderdale, FL.
May 9, 2003-	University of South Florida, College of Public Health, Tampa, FL.
May 7, 2003-	West Palm Beach Community College, West Palm Beach, FL.

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April 22, 2003- Arcadia, Fl.
March 25, 2003- University of South Florida, College of Public Health, Tampa, Fl.
March 21, 2003- University of South Florida, College of Public Health, Tampa, Fl.
January 26, 2003- Safety Harbor, Fl.

RESEARCH SUPPORT:

Completed Research Support

**University of South Florida Internal Awards Program
New Researcher Grant January-December, 2006**

Submitted proposal and received USF Internal New Researcher Award January 2006 for project entitled, "A Pilot Study to Detect Blood Splatter from Retractable Venous Access Devices". (Funding amount-\$9,392).

Role: Principal Investigator

**University of South Florida, College of Public Health
Equipment funding, Laboratory Committee 2006**

Equipment funding proposal accepted in January 2006 for a proposal for a glove box to use in blood splatter and other safer needle device experiments. (total amount of glove box-\$5500).

Role: Principal Investigator

Postdoctoral Fellow Research Support 5/05-5/06

University of South Florida
College of Public Health, Department of Global Health

The purpose of this fellowship is for the candidate to receive mentored guidance from the faculty awardee. The fellow will contribute to research efforts in the safer needle device evaluation laboratory, supervise students in the laboratory, participate in publication and dissemination efforts from research projects, contribute in writing two major grant proposals using pilot data from current projects, and assist the mentor in teaching at the University of South Florida. The fellowship is a 1-year award with potential for renewal of a second year of funding.

Role: Mentor for postdoctoral fellow

**University of South Florida, College of Public Health
Equipment funding, Laboratory Committee 2005**

Submitted a proposal, which was accepted, for purchase of an analytical scale. Scale needed to conduct experiments to detect blood splatter in intravenous safety catheters and phlebotomy devices with retractable mechanisms (\$~3,000)

Role: Principal Investigator

**University of South Florida, College of Public Health
Graduate Research Fund 7/04-6/05**

Selected by Dean's office to receive funding for equipment and graduate assistant support for research activities in the safer needle device evaluation laboratory. Funding allowed hiring of graduate assistant (former student-Heidi DiSalvo), who contributed to pilot studies, abstract and manuscript development (\$6590).

Role: Principal Investigator

Safer Needle Device Evaluation Laboratory 3/03-8/05

Veterans Health Administration Department of Occupational Safety and Health
Patient Safety Center Special Project Fund (\$75,000).

The *purpose* of this project was to develop a VA-wide center for needle device testing and evaluation with the goal of standardization. The *short-term goals* of this project are to 1) establish the physical requirements for a laboratory for testing safer needle devices 2) develop objective and subjective measures for evaluating safer needle devices 3) develop scenarios for healthcare workers to use to evaluate the safety of needle devices in a controlled laboratory setting and 4) develop a web-site for VA facilities to access information regarding evaluation results of needle devices.

Role: Principal Investigator

Post-doctoral Nurse Research Fellowship: “Safe Patient Handling and Movement” 7/01-6/03

Veterans Administration Office of Academic Affairs

The goals for the nursing research fellow candidate were to:

- 1) Establish a research program of clinical nursing research in patient safety, focusing on safe patient handling and movement.
- 2) Broaden expertise in data base construction, data management, and quantitative analysis.
- 3) Foster communication of clinical research findings through presentations, publications, and by networking with national researchers in technology assessment and evaluation related to patient safety.
- 4) Initiate development of a track record for funding as a principal investigator at the national level.
- 5) Prepare for a role as a nurse scientist at the Patient safety Center of Inquiry at the Tampa VAMC.

Role: Research Fellow Candidate

“Development and Reliability of a Seated Device for Quantifying External Spinal Compression”

2001-2002

James A. Haley V. A. Patient Safety Center, Tampa, FL.

This pilot study was conducted with 22 subjects, using a seated stadiometer developed by the research team. External spinal compression was measured in the AM and PM of day 1 and repeated one week later. There was a significant difference in spinal compression between morning and afternoon measures, but not from week one to the next. Inter-rater reliability between 2 researchers was 0.99 (intra-class correlation). This is a reliable, inexpensive practical way to measure spinal compression. May be used to predict risk factors for back injuries.

Role: Co-Principal Investigator

“Factors Influencing Nurses’ Use of Needle Safety Devices” #F31-NRO17167

National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Nursing Research,

Nurses’ Research Service Award (1998-1999)

OSHA training grants (1995-1996; 1999-2000 from University of California, San Francisco Occupational Health Nursing Department)

Purpose: For doctoral study at the University of California, San Francisco. Doctoral dissertation focused on circumstances surrounding blood exposures and safer needle device use in home care nurses and design interventions to decrease injuries and increase the use of safer devices. Funding for doctoral study.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES: Tampa, Fl.

Contributor to Paralyzed Veterans of America, Salvation Army, Metropolitan Ministries, Sheriff and Police organizations

Cut Hair to donate to “Wigs for Kids”, an organization that donates wigs for children who have lost hair to cancer and other medical conditions

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES: San Jose, California.

Contributed to promotion of children’s Handwashing Poster Contest in Santa Clara County, during National Infection Control Week, October 2000. One of the judges for the Santa Clara Valley Medical Center children’s’ entries.

Supporter of and contributor to “Inn Vision” (women’s shelter), Goodwill, Sacred Heart Center, American Cancer Society, Paralyzed Veterans of America, Canine Companions for Independence and Second Harvest Food Bank 1986-2000.

Participated in countywide emergency epidemic committee during the May-June 1999 outbreak of a pertussis-like illness at Santa Clara Valley Medical Center.

Interviewed by San Jose Radio News channel in 1998 on needlestick prevention activities.

Interviewed for San Jose Channel 5 News, May 1995, on two broadcasts, to give information to the community about Ebola virus prevention and management.

Lecture to physicians at Santa Clara County jail on "Bloodborne Pathogens and Tuberculosis", March 1995.

Participant in "Dog Days Run", 1993; proceeds went to San Jose Lion's Blind Center.

Lecture to physical therapists at a local rehabilitation clinic on "Vaccine Preventable Diseases", 1992.

Chairman of publicity committee of "Run for the Valley", 1987; proceeds to Santa Clara Valley Medical Center.

Miami, Florida:

Served on task force for the American Heart Association (AHA) "Nurses Day" (athletic event to encourage participation of nurses in area hospitals) for three years, 1983-1986. Proceeds went to AHA. Participant in athletic events representing the Miami Veterans Administration Medical Center's Team, all three years.

Presented information on infectious diseases and prevention to the public at area shopping malls in 1984 and 1985 as part of National Infection Control Week.

Participated in community-wide 10-mile walk to support the March of Dimes, March, 1985.