

# KAYLA KELLY

## TEACHING PHILOSOPHY STATEMENT

I strive to clarify complex concepts by integrating the subject into student's lives and providing practical examples and scenarios. I believe that by implementing active learning modalities, students are more active and engaged in the classroom, which leads to increased retention of the material. My goal is to encourage and empower students to be critical thinkers and problem solvers, thereby creating stronger nurses and better patient advocates.

## EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Tyler <b>Master of Science in Nursing, MSN- Nursing Education</b>	<b>2020</b>
The University of Texas at Tyler <b>Bachelor of Science in Nursing, BSN</b> <i>Summa Cum Laude (GPA: 4.0)</i>	<b>2013</b>
Trinity Valley Community College <b>Associates of Liberal Arts</b>	<b>2011</b>

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University of Texas at Tyler (Palestine, TX) <b>Adjunct Clinical Instructor</b> <i>NURS 4626 Caring for the Acutely Ill (Summer 2020)</i> <i>NURS 4628 Special Populations-</i> Assumed teaching responsibility in the classroom, simulation lab, and clinical setting including but not limited to the following duties: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mentoring and advising students</li><li>• Maintaining complete and accurate records of didactic and clinical assignments</li><li>• Participating in the development and implementation of additional simulations and course assignments</li><li>• Performing essential duties as a productive and efficient team member for didactic portion of course</li><li>• Scheduling, rounding, evaluating, and documenting student clinical experiences throughout the semester</li></ul>	<b>05/2020 – 1/2021</b>
Children's Health (Dallas, TX) <b>Pre/Post Anesthesia Care Unit RN</b> Pre and Post-operative management of pediatric ENT, plastics, orthopedics, GI, and neurosurgery patients including but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tonsillectomy and adenoidectomy, ear myringotomy, scar revisions, mass excisions, cleft lip/palate, ORIF, VP shunt placements/removals, endoscopies</li></ul>	<b>09/2015 – 9/2020</b>

Children's Memorial Hermann (Houston, TX)

**Children's Special Care (Pediatric IMU) and Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) RN**

**10/2014 – 12/2016**

Management of patients including but not limited to:

- Trach/Vent, CPAP, BiPap, Continuous Albuterol, Nasal canula with blenders, Post Cardiac Surgery- i.e. Glenn, PDA ligation, AV canal repair, SVT/cardiac arrhythmias, Diabetic Ketoacidosis, Post-op Craniotomy/Cord tethering, Respiratory distress- asthmatics, PBD, CLD, MVA/traumas, ALTI events, seizures, Failure to thrive

Conroe Regional Medical Center (Conroe, TX)

**1 North Medical/Surgical/Telemetry Unit RN**

**05/2013 – 10/2014**

Management of patients including but not limited to:

- Congestive Heart Failure, COPD, Diabetes Mellitus, Wound management, Atrial fibrillation/flutter, Altered Mental Status- ETOH detox, overdose, dementia, Rule-out stroke, any patient requiring tele-camera monitoring device

## EMPLOYER SERVICE

Children's Health

**2016-2020**

**Education Committee**

Children's Health

**2016-2020**

**Operations Committee**

Children's Health

**2016-2017**

**Professional Development Committee**

## LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

**Registered Nurse**

**6/13/13–Current**

Texas State Board of Nursing

**Certified Pediatric Nurse**

**Current**

Pediatric Nursing Certification Board

**Pediatric Advanced Life Support**

**2015-Current**

American Heart Association

**Advanced Cardiac Life Support**

**2013- Current**

American Heart Association

## AWARDS

President's Honor Roll list

**2009 – 2013**

Dean's Honor Roll list

**2009 – 2013**

Alpha Chi Honor Society

**2013**

Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society

**2013**

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society

**2009 – 2011**

## MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Perianesthesia Nurses (ASPAN)

Texas Association of Perianesthesia Nurses (TAPAN)