

# **ELNORA KING, MSN-ED, APRN, FNP-C, PMHNP-BC, EDU CERT.**

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## **EXPERIENCE/ CLINICAL ROTATIONS**

### **Rusk Mental State Hospital**

**Rusk, Texas**

**02/16/2021-04/20/2021**

Preceptor: Dana Long, APRN, PMHNP-BC

Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Student

Clinical Hours Completed: 303

Emphasis on acute and chronic psychiatric disease management of mentally ill adult clients.

Performance of forensic psychiatric evaluations.

### **Andrews Center Behavioral Healthcare**

**Tyler, Texas**

**05/21/2021-6/25/2021**

Preceptor: Pamela Summers, APRN, PMHNP-BC

Hours Completed: 125

Emphasis on acute and chronic psychiatric disease management of mentally ill adult clients. Psychiatric medical management of clients assigned to Texas Access Commission of Mental Health.

### **Compass Mental Health and Wellness**

**Houston, Texas**

**06/30/2021-07/13/2021**

Preceptor: Luciana Thompson, APRN, PMHNP-BC

Hours Completed: 72

Emphasis on acute and chronic psychiatric disease management of mentally ill adult clients.

### **Medical Associates of Athens**

**Athens, Texas**

**06/2018-07/2018**

Preceptor: Dr. Christian D. Garrett, DNP, APRN, FNP-C, EDU Cert.

Nurse Practitioner Internship II

Hours Completed: 120

Emphasis on acute and chronic disease management of adult and pediatric clients across the lifespan.

### **East Texas Medical Center Urgent Care**

**Mineola, Texas**

**05/2018-06/2018**

Preceptor: Shelia Williams, APRN, FNP-C

Nurse Practitioner Internship I

Hours Completed: 60

Emphasis on acute and chronic disease management of adult clients across the lifespan.

**Bethesda Health Clinic**

**Tyler, Texas**

**05/2018-06/2018**

Preceptor Elisa Morrison, DNP, APRN, FNP-C

Nurse Practitioner Student – Internship I

Hours Completed: 60

Emphasis on acute and chronic disease management of adult clients across the lifespan.

**Genesis Prime Care**

**Longview, Texas**

**01/2018-05/2018**

Preceptor: Rita Loud, APRN, FNP-C

Family Nurse Practitioner Student

Hours Completed: 120

Emphasis on acute and chronic disease management of adult clients across the lifespan.

**East Texas Frist Physician – Women’s Health/Obstetrics & Gynecology**

**Jacksonville, Texas**

**09/2017-10/2017**

Preceptor: Dr. Adam Newman, MD

Family Nurse Practitioner Student

Hours Completed: 120

Emphasis on acute and chronic disease management of women’s health, obstetrics, and gynecological health care. Provision of preventative women’s health care management.

**Tyler Family Circle of Care – Pediatric Clinic**

**Tyler, Texas**

**05/2017-06/2017**

Preceptor: Lamesa Bell, APRN, PNP-C

Family Nurse Practitioner Student

Hours Completed: 120

Emphasis on acute and chronic disease management of infant, pediatric and adolescent clients across the lifespan from diverse and underserved populations. Focus on growth and development, psychological stages, and tasks of newborns through adolescents.

**Advanced Health Assessment**

**Tyler, Texas**

**01/2015-05/2015**

Family Nurse Practitioner Student

Hours Completed: 20

Clinical focus on building upon basic assessment and history taking skills and increasing the depth and breadth of knowledge related to principal techniques of interviewing, screening, and physical assessment of clients across the lifespan.

## **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

### **Access**

#### **Anderson Cherokee Community**

#### **Enrichment Services**

**08/5/2024 - present**

**Jacksonville, Texas**

A Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner in an outpatient clinic

Provides comprehensive mental health care to individuals across the life span, typically in collaboration with psychiatrists, therapists, and other healthcare providers.

Conduct comprehensive mental health evaluations, including psychiatric history, medical history, and social history.

Perform mental status examination

Order and interpret laboratory test or diagnostic studies.

Formulate DSM-5 – based psychiatric diagnoses.

Prescribe, adjust and monitor psychotropic medication

Monitor for therapeutic response and side effects

Provide brief psychotherapy

Maintain detailed electronic health record

Educate patients and families about mental illness, treatment options, and wellness strategies.

### **Hope Clinic**

#### **Jacksonville, Texas**

**01/03/2023- Ongoing**

Family Nurse Practitioner

Provide comprehensive health care to underserved and indigent populations.

I serve as a mid-level primary care provider in the treatment of chronic diseases such as: Essential Hypertension, Diabetes Mellitus, Chronic Kidney Disease, Congestive Heart Failure, Hypothyroidism, Coronary Artery Disease, GERD, and Diverticulitis.

I collaborate with the patient, family, and significant others in developing plans of care that consider and respect the patients' cultural background level of understanding and their available resources and support system.

Patients are monitored every three months to ensure effective restoration of health and management of their chronic disease process, compliance with medication regimen and the prevention of target organ disease.

I educate patients on their disease process while using motivational interviewing to help them set and obtain health care goals and return them to their optimal level of health and functioning. I perform early and periodic health screenings and diagnoses and provide case management assistance to necessary access of resources across the lifespan. I perform annual health examinations including pap smears, prostate exams, and order early screening procedures such as mammograms, colonoscopies, and echocardiograms.

I develop, implement, and supervise treatment plans and education of chronic conditions.

I safely prescribe medications, order diagnostic tests and interventions to improve and assess health.

I am responsible and accountable for a broad range of health services which include, but are not limited to, promotion of health, prevention of illness and disability, diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic conditions/diseases, and management of health care during the acute and chronic phases of illness.

I am responsible for referring patients to a higher level of care when necessary and collaboration with other health care providers and specialties.

I document all examination and diagnostic findings in the patient's electronic medical record.

I provide ongoing outpatient care for patients with an established health care plan.

I work in collaboration with my supervising physician and have face to face meetings at least once a month. We discuss 25 % of my charts that are audited and meet national clinical guidelines and standard of care.

I provide high quality healthcare to 10-12 patients a day from age ranges of 16-86 years of age.

### **Huffmaster Companies**

#### **Clawson, Missouri**

09/27/2021-Ongoing

Healthcare Strikes

Traveled To:

Buffalo, New York

Duluth, Minnesota

Provided direct patient care with critical thinking skills for patients diagnosed with cardiovascular diseases requiring telemetry monitoring, cardiac catheterization, angioplasty, open-heart care and titrating cardiovascular intravenous drips.

Provided extensive critical care skills to patients diagnosed with COVID-19, and respiratory diseases with complex comorbidities Requiring high flow oxygen, ventilator use and multiple intravenous antibiotics for COVID-19.

### **University of Texas at Tyler**

#### **Tyler, Texas**

01/2014- 8/2022

Nurse Educator, Clinical Instructor and Preceptor

Responsible for teaching in the clinical, lab and classroom settings including simulation approaches to teaching Bachelor nursing students.

Maintains current clinical competency and knowledge of current evidence in the literature required to teach in the clinical, lab, and classroom settings assigned.

Follow directions of the relevant program directors regarding the adoption of teaching approaches to achieve academic program outcomes.

Works under the direction of the Theory Course Coordinator when serving as Clinical Course Coordinator to ensure integration of the theory and clinical content of the course.

Works under the direction of the Clinical Course Coordinator or Lab Course Coordinator when leading a clinical or laboratory group.

**Legacy at Jacksonville**  
**Jacksonville, Texas**  
**03/2019 -07/2021**

Geriatrics: Long Term Care Registered Nurse, Charge Nurse

Ensuring safe, competent, compassionate, and ethical care of the resident's residing within the facility  
Oversee the activities, duties and responsibilities of the Licensed Vocational Nurse and Certified Nurse Aids

Responsible for overseeing each resident's overall health and medical histories.

Coordination and management of the day-to-day operations of the nursing department

Coordinating interdisciplinary resident care teams

Staff assignments, work schedules, delegation of care, and supervision of staff during the shift

Direct care responsibilities such as medication administration, treatments, and documentation within the electronic medical record.

**Advanced Temporaries Staffing**  
**12/20/1993 - Ongoing**  
**Tyler, Texas**

I traveled to multiple hospitals in East Texas. Worked short term assignments as a Registered Nurse in various areas of nursing.

Direct care responsibilities for patients diagnosed with cardiovascular, neuro, strokes, renal, diabetes and respiratory disease. Administer medication, perform treatments, and document patient physical assessments within the electronic medical record.

**US Nursing**  
**Green Village, Colorado**  
**03/2002- Ongoing**

Travel Nursing – Registered Nurse -Pre/Post Op, and Same Day Admission

Traveled to multiple hospital over the United States for short term assignments as a Registered Nurse.

Work assignments at Robert Woods Johnson in New Jersey, Alta Bates, Marin General, John Muir, and Summit in California,

Oregon State University Hospital in Portland Oregon.

**Behavioral Health Hospital**  
**Longview, Texas**  
**03/2002-03/2003**

Registered nurse in an adult geriatric facility specialize in psychiatric mental illness and chemical abuse. Completed mental health illness assessments, administered oral psychiatric drugs, and provide care for individuals with moderate to high acuity needs with significant chemical and mental abuse.

**University of Texas Health Science Center**  
**Tyler, Texas**  
**08/1990 - 03/2002**

Intensive Care Coordinator /House Supervisor/ Staff Nurse and Case Manager  
Charge nurse and supervisor in the critical care unit.  
Provided comprehensive care to critical ill patient's trauma victims requiring Swan Ganz monitoring, ICP monitoring. Collaborated with notable physicians such as Dr. Steven Idell.  
Assisted during codes with and open heart recovered patients.  
Provided leadership in clinical problem solving, resources to staff nurses.  
Coordinated staffing, documented daily census and QA reports.  
Resolved patient issues and was a liaison between doctors and nurses.  
Maintained quality patient care and adherence to facility's policy and procedure.

**MD Anderson Cancer Hospital**  
**Houston, Texas**  
**02/1987-08/1990**

RN Staff Nurse  
Provided comprehensive care to oncology patients on the bone marrow transplant unit.  
Deliverer high doses of chemotherapy and assisted with harvesting or infusing stem cells of cancer patients.

## **EDUCATION**

**The University of Texas at Tyler**  
**Tyler, Texas**

Post-Master of Science Certification - Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, August 2021  
Post-Master of Science Certification - Family Nurse Practitioner, August 2018  
Master of Science Degree in Nursing Education, May 2016

**Texas Woman's University**  
**Houston, Texas**

Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing, December 1986

**Prairie View A&M University**  
**Prairie View, Texas**

Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology & Chemistry, August 1982

## **AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS**

- Greater East Texas Black Nurses Association - Scholarship Recipient: 2017
- Greater East Texas Black Nurses Association - Scholarship Recipient: 2018
- National Black Nurses Association - Scholarship Recipient: 2018
- Spring 2020 INTUNE/HRSA Traineeship Grant Recipient: 2019

## **SKILLS**

- Proficient with use of Microsoft Office Software: Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Outlook

- Proficient with Use of the Following Electronic Medical Record Platforms:
- EPIC, Practice Fusion, Sorian, One Chart, NextGen, Cerner, eClinical Works
- Strong Organizational Skills & Clinical Judgement
- Initiative, Creativity, Problem-solving ability, Adaptability, and Flexibility
- Able to Collaborate with Professional Colleague as Necessary to Provide Quality Care
- I Am Caring and Compassionate. I Possess a Love for Educating and Helping All People from Diverse Backgrounds and From All Walks of Life
- I Possess Interpersonal Skills and the Ability to Interface with Varied Cultures

## LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

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| • Texas Prescriptive Authority                                     | Expires: 06/30/2026 |
| • Drug Enforcement Administration                                  | Expires 12/31/2025. |
| • Texas Advanced Nurse Practitioner Certification                  | Expires 06/30/2026. |
| • Texas Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Certification | Expires 02/26/2026  |
| • Certification  | Expires 06/14/2026. |
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| • Texas Registered Nurse Compact License                           | Expires 06/14/2026  |
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| • Basic Life Support   | Expires 02/05/2026  |
| • Advanced Cardiac Life Support                                    | Expires 08/31/2026. |
| • Pediatric Advanced Life Support                                  | Expires 08/31/2026. |

## MEMBERSHIPS

- National Black Nurses Association
- Chi Eta Phi (Gamma Chi Chi) Nursing Society
- Greater East Texas Black Nurse Association
- Alpha Chi (Honor Society)
- Sigma Theta Tau (International Nursing Honor Society)
- Phi Kappa Phi (Honor Society)