

Curriculum Vitae

Name: Obi Oji DNP, APRN, FNP-BC

Education

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Dates (year)</u>	<u>Degree(s)</u>	<u>Major/Minor</u>
York University	Toronto Canada	2009	BSN	
University of Texas Health Science Center	Houston, Texas	2013	MSN	Family Nurse Practitioner
Duke University	Durham, North Carolina	2016	DNP	

Certification

Humber College North Campus	Toronto Canada	2009	Certificate in Coronary Care Nursing
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Board Certification

American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) Expiration Date 2028

Texas Board of Nursing, Active, Advanced Practice, Nurse 2025

Teaching Philosophy

I actively create a conducive learning environment and engage students through innovative methods and technology to prepare the next generation of nurse practitioners for real-world clinical practice. My clinical background connects classroom concepts to psychomotor skills, while my scholarly initiatives advance healthcare education.

Professional & Teaching Experience

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Position/Title</u>	<u>Dates (Year)</u>
University of Texas Medical Branch	Assistant Professor	September 2019- 2026

Family Nurse Practitioner & DNP Courses Taught

Course Coordinator GNRS 5668 FNP 3 (2020-2025) & GDNP 6668

Course Coordinator GNRS 5673 Family & Health Promotion (2021-2025)

Clinical Coordinator FNP 4

Health Policy

Advanced Pathophysiology, Advanced Pharmacology

GNRS 5670 FNP 1, FNP 2, FNP 3

GNRS 5176 Advanced Diagnostic and Skills

GNRS 5671 Advanced Health Assessment

GNRS 5672 Advanced Research & Theory Integration

GNRS 5690 FNP 2

Houston Baptist University

Assistant Professor

August 2017- August 2019

Director of Family Nurse Practitioner Program

Course taught:

Family Nurse practitioner students FNP 1, FNP 2

Advanced Pharmacology, Advanced Diagnostic course,

FNP 3 & FNP 4.

First year baccalaureate nursing

Course taught N3408

Facilitated students' laboratory component of nursing fundamentals including various novice nursing skills such as caring for adult patients, medication administration and acute setting clinical instructor.

University of Texas Health Science Center Houston

Adjunct Clinical Instructor

January 2017- August 2017

Course taught: N6914B FNP 1

First year Nurse Practitioner students
clinical faculty.

Facilitated simulation lab learning,
site evaluation, clinical course evaluation
and biweekly online student conferences.

Chamberlain School of Nursing Houston

Clinical laboratory instructor

April 2015- August 2015

Course taught: NR224 Fundamental
First year baccalaureate
nursing students' laboratory component of
nursing fundamentals including
nursing skills, medication
administration and building critical thinking skills

Memorial Hermann Medical Group

Family Nurse Practitioner

May 2015- present

Diagnosing, prescribing and assessing
patients from newborns to geriatrics
Ordering laboratory tests, evaluation
of results and treatment options,
Education and follow up with family practice in outpatient settings.

Geriatric Home Care Physicians

Family Nurse Practitioner

September 2014- April 2015

Managing acute and chronic issues
of internal and geriatric medicine patients
Working in adult and geriatric clinic setting
Assessing and implementing plans of care,
ordering and evaluating lab values
Extensive follow up with patients and
members of the interdisciplinary team.

**Memorial Hermann Hospital
(Endoscopy Unit)**

Staff Registered Nurse

February 2011- August 2014

Admission and preparation of patients
for EGD, ERCP and Colonoscopy
IV insertion, laboratory work and pre op
Interview. Recovery of patients under conscious
sedation and nursing care of post op patients
prior to discharge.

**Memorial Hermann Hospital
(Telemetry Unit)**

Registered Nurse

November 2010 – August 2014

Care of cardiac clients with arrhythmia,
myocardial infarction, and coronary artery diseases
PICC line care and medication administration
including IV care and administration
Admission and discharge teaching of cardiac clients

Interpretation of 12 lead.

**St Elizabeth Health Care
Community / Home Health Nursing**

Registered Nurse

May 2010 – September 2010

Liaising with Community Care Access Center team for client referrals,
providing supplies and client services
Visiting Clients at home and providing nurse care to palliative clients,
pediatrics and adult population,
Building Customer Relations
and supporting clients to achieve a good quality of life.

**South Lake Regional Hospital
New Market Ontario**

Registered Nurse

October 2009 – September 2010

Cardiology/Telemetry Unit

Provided therapeutic intervention, personal care, medication administration and client safety
Assessed, monitored, reported, addressed and documented changes in patients' health condition
Developed nursing care plans based on patient's needs and goals.

Supported individuals in achieving their full potential by facilitating relationships, skills, and roles which promote their participation to improve and manage their cardiovascular health. Assisted in admission and discharge of clients into the community.

**Supreme Care Nursing Services
(Long term Care Nursing Home)**

Registered Nurse

September 2009 – September 2010

Developing nursing care plan for residents, supervising personal support workers and medication administration. Liaising with members of the interdisciplinary team. Providing assessments, building relationships and fostering partnerships with residents.

**York Region Public Health Services
(H1N1 Immunization Clinics) Ontario**

Registered Nurse

November 2009 – December 2009

Supported individuals in achieving their full potential by facilitating relationships, skills, and roles which promote their participation as valued members of their community. Selection and admission of clients across the lifespan to the H1N1 immunization program.

based on criteria and guidelines on Vaccine Preventable Diseases Drawing up vaccines immunizing all population safely and effectively Provided crisis management, client safety assessment of effectiveness of vaccines and management of side effects of vaccines.

Selected Accomplishments

1. The American Academy of Nurse Practitioners (AANP) invited me as a Podium Presenter on June 17, 2025. The AANP is the largest nurse practitioner national conference in the US.
2. I have been invited as a [conference speaker](#) and a simulation expert at the Iowa Nurse Practitioner Conference for several years. Topics taught in November 2024 include X-ray & ECG Interpretation for Nurse Practitioners and Skills & Procedures (Suture, Toenail removal, Splinting/Casting and Suturing).
3. Conference Speaker Texas Nurse Practitioner Conference 2023. Skills & Procedures: Joint Injection, Billing and Coding in Primary Care.
4. Conference Speaker Iowa Nurse Practitioner Conference 2023. Topic: Lab Interpretation for Nurse Practitioners Skills & Procedures: Joint Injection, Incision and Drainage and Suturing.
5. Conference Speaker Iowa Nurse Practitioner Conference 2022
Topic: Lab Interpretation for Nurse Practitioners, Skills & Procedures: Joint Injection, Incision and Drainage and Suturing.
6. Conference Speaker, Houston Area Nurse Practitioner, 2021. Topic: Lab Interpretation for Nurse Practitioners.

Publication (DNP Manuscript)

Oji, O., Blood-Siegfried, J., Hockenberry, M., & Abdelsayeed, M. (2016). Prevention of recurrent stroke. Duke University, North Carolina.

Publication (Author) Textbook

Oji, O. (2023). Advanced Practice Provider Skills Made Easy: A Practice Guideline. (1st ed.). Jones and Bartlett, Massachusetts.

I authored a skills workshop textbook- "Advanced Provider Skills Made Easy".

This textbook is used to train new nurse practitioners on clinical skills performed in primary/urgent care clinical settings. Additionally, five universities are currently using the textbook as well as countless practicing nurse practitioners who practice in clinical settings. This is a required textbook at Houston Christian University (HCU), Miami University, Bradley University, Post University, and UTMB.

Publication (Author) Textbook

Oji, O. (2025). Board Essentials Made Easy. (1st ed.). NP Skills Made Easy Workshops.

Selected Articles

Schub, T. & Oji, O. (2019). Acute Coronary Syndrome in Women. Evidence-based care sheets. Nursing Practice Council. Glendale Adventist Medical Center, Glendale, CA <https://www.ebsco.com/sites/default/files/acquiadam-assets/Nursing-Reference-Center-Plus-Quick-Lesson-Acute-Coronary-Syndrome-in-Women.pdf>

Smith, N., Spears, T & Oji, O. (Reviewer) (2018). Accountability in Nursing Practice. Evidence-based care sheet <https://www.scribd.com/document/433532663/NRCP-EBCS-Accountability-in-NursingPractice>

Richards, S., & Oji, O., (2020). Stroke: Treatment with oral antithrombotic. Evidence-based care sheets. Nursing Practice Council. Glendale Adventist Medical Center, Glendale, CA <https://www.ebsco.com/sites/g/files/nabnos191/files/acquiadam-assets/Nursing-Reference-Center-Plus-Care-Sheet-Stroke-Treatment-with-Oral-Antithrombotics.pdf>

Schub, T & Oji, O. (2021). Low Cardiac Output Syndrome. Evidence-based care sheets. Nursing Practice Council. Glendale Adventist Medical Center, Glendale, CA <https://www.ebsco.com/sites/g/files/nabnos191/files/acquiadam-assets/Nursing-Reference-Center-Plus-Quick-Lesson-Low-Cardiac-Output-Syndrome.pdf>

Volunteer Experience

Date

Memorial Hermann Southwest
Wellness Tune Up for Life

September 2011

Memorial Hermann / UPS Health Fair

October 2011

Memorial Hermann Southwest
Wellness Tune Up for Life

September 2012

Skills: *EMR Charting*

Operating Systems: Windows 7, XP & 2000, Mac OS *Miscellaneous:* Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Office Suite, Adobe Acrobat Professional

Lead Clinical Faculty NP Skills Workshop:

- Clinical Skills Faculty for FNP, PA, MDs & FNP Students.
- Expert teaching in suturing, incision & drainage, applying splints, cerumen lavage, foreign body.
- Expert in teaching removal and IUD insertion.
- Expert in teaching joint & trigger point injections.

Academic Awards

Member of the Beta Epsilon Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society (Duke University)

Member of the Dean's Honor Roll, York University Toronto Canada

Certifications

- American Nurses Credentialing Center, Certified Nurse Practitioner
- American Academy of Nurse Practitioner, Certified Family Nurse Practitioner
- Apple Teacher Certification
- Basic Life Support
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support

Membership in Scientific/Professional Organization

- National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculty
- Houston Area Nurse Practitioner, Member
- Texas Nurse Practitioners, Member

Professional Affiliation

Member of American Association of Nurse Practitioner (AANP)

Member Houston Area Nurse Practitioners (HANP)

Member American Nurses Credentialing Council (ANCC)

Member of Texas Nurse Practitioner

Member of Texas Board of Nursing

Mentoring

Formal & Informal Mentoring of New FNP Faculty

UTMB Accomplishments

Serving as a **Curriculum Committee Chair Elect** for the MSN program in the 2024-2025 cycle. As a committee member, I have engaged in both short- and long-term curricular planning, direct the implementation of curricular design, monitor and evaluate curricular effectiveness, and recommend to the School of Nursing upon all matters dealing with the curriculum of School of Nursing.

Additionally, I currently serve as an **Admissions Committee Chair** for the MSN Program in the 2024-2025 cycle. As an admissions Committee member, I am responsible for the admission of MSN students (all tracks). I review all applications and recommend to the committee for admission of the applicants deemed best qualified based on the SON criteria for admissions.

I have obtained an **Apple Teacher Certification**.

I maintain my **ANCC board certification** in FNP clinical specialty.

I maintain my **board certification in FNP** clinical specialty by completing 100 continuing education and 25 pharmacology hours.

I am a **CCNE mapping team** co-chair for the graduate MSN program.

I have completed several course objective revisions for DNP/FNP courses using the AACN 2021 standards essentials.

Mentoring

Formal & Informal Mentoring of Several New FNP Faculty