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EDUCATION:

Post-graduate studies (2003 to 2010)

University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu, HI

- Master of Public Health (2010).
- Maternal & Child Health Leadership Program (2010).
- Advanced Certificate in Gerontology (2004).

Bachelor of Science (2002)

University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, WA

- Major in Occupational Therapy, minor in English.

**RELEVANT
EXPERIENCE:**

Public Health Educator, (May 2012 to present)

Hawaii State Department of Health, Chronic Disease Management Branch,
Honolulu, HI 96813

- Assist the Tobacco Prevention & Education Program (TPEP) with planning, implementation, & evaluation of a statewide strategic plan.
- Collaborate with stakeholders to deliver educational campaigns about the dangers of secondhand smoke (SHS) & the importance of smoke-free environments.
- Provide scientific information to community leaders, partners & the public.
- Track & respond to violations of the 2006 Statewide Smoke-free Workplace and Public Places law.
- Partner with the Coalition for a Tobacco-Free Hawaii (CTFH) & other organizations to promote compliance with existing smoke-free policies.
- Convene stakeholders to plan & coordinate smoke-free housing initiatives.

Program Specialist, (August 2011 to May 2012)

Hawaii State Department of Health, Chronic Disease Management & Control Branch,
Honolulu, HI 96813

- Assist with implementation of the Statewide Heart Disease & Stroke Prevention Plan.
- Create miscellaneous program reports & documentation.
- Develop an annual program communication plan including multi-media resources.
- Prepare meeting agendas & committee member communication.
- Research & present best practices & other state heart disease & stroke prevention strategies.

Early Intervention Programs Coordinator, (July 2005 to August 2011)

National Kidney Foundation of Hawaii (NKFH), Honolulu, HI 96814

- Coordinate & implement comprehensive kidney screenings as directed by strategic plan.
- Recruit, train & coordinate medical professionals, students & lay volunteers for screenings.
- Conduct presentations on chronic kidney disease (CKD) to community groups.
- Set up informational displays & free screenings for CKD risk factors at health fairs.
- Manage inventory of program supplies & equipment based on budgetary constraints.
- Establish & maintain partnerships with various community organizations to garner in-kind

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support, volunteers & donations.

- Identify & pursue grant funding opportunities for Early Intervention Programs.
- Directly oversee data entry & analysis to create reports & conduct program evaluation.

Education Specialist I, (March 2004 to May 2005)

Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center (WCCHC), Wai`anae, HI 96792

- Recruit high school & adult learners for non-traditional Kapi`olani Community College health career training programs including the Occupational Therapy Assistant (OTA) program.
- Screen prospective students for academic interest & readiness for OTA program.
- Conduct I:I & group information sessions regarding the KCC-OTA program & the OT profession.
- Provide student support services including counseling, academic advising, financial aid & family resource referral.
- Collaboratively plan & facilitate health career exploration programs & peer health education events for community youth.
- Assist department marketing & outreach efforts (i.e. articles, promotional videos & fliers).

Occupational Therapist, (December 2002 to February 2004)

Queen's Medical Center, Day Treatment Services, Honolulu, HI 96817

- Plan & facilitate group discussion & activities to improve cognitive, social & community reintegration skills for patients.
- Conduct interviews & assessments to gather psychosocial histories & recognize current goals of patients with psychiatric illnesses.
- Document findings & critically analyze information to determine treatment objectives.
- Present information to staff regarding patients' progress.
- Utilize time management strategies to assist the interdisciplinary team in providing efficient & effective care.

Occupational Therapist, (July 2002 to March 2005)

SunDance Rehabilitation, Kailua, HI 96734

- Assess functional abilities & deliver treatment for residents with misc. medical diagnoses at skilled nursing facilities around the island.
- Communicate with other staff & family members to coordinate resident care.

Occupational Therapy Intern, (January 2002 to March 2002)

Rehabilitation Hospital of the Pacific, Honolulu, HI 96817

- Evaluate & treat inpatients with recent SCI, orthopedic surgeries, or CVA under the close supervision of an OTR/L.
- Develop & adjust treatment plans according to patients' progress.
- Deliver an inservice on a student project, create & lead a "Falls prevention" group & fabricate a piece of functional adaptive equipment.

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- COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT: Member, West Oahu Subarea Health Planning Council, (September 2011 to present)
Volunteer, Lupus Hawaii, Honolulu, HI (January 2007 to December 2011)
Volunteer, The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society—Team in Training, Honolulu, HI (February 2005 to June 2005)
Case Aide, District Court Probation Office, Honolulu, HI (November 2002 to February 2004)
Intern/ Volunteer, Kokua Kalihi Valley Comp. Family Services (KKV), Honolulu, HI (September 2003 to December 2003)
Volunteer/Painter, Manoa Valley Theater, Honolulu, HI (June 2001 to July 2001)
- PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS: Hawaii Public Health Association, Board Secretary, (September 2014 to present)
Delta Omega Honorary Society in Public Health member, (April 2011 Induction)
American Public Health Association member, (2009 to 2011)
- CERTIFICATIONS: Registered Occupational Therapist,
National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy, (2002 to present)
- RECOGNITION: WICHE Scholarship recipient, (September 1999 to May 2002)
Graduate Division Achievement Scholarship, (Spring 2009 to Fall 2010)