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# BARBARA J. WRIGHT

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## Summary

Experienced Registered Nurse eager to mentor students and develop expertise in nursing education within a growing nursing program. Offering 23 years of expertise in many aspects of patient care and education. Recent MSN-NE graduate provides compassionate, family-centered, and evidence-based care and uses knowledge and experience to help educate medical professionals and families within the community.

## Skills

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- Reliable & Trustworthy
- Good Work Ethic
- Relationship Building
- Career Development
- Presentation Skills
- Leadership and Mentoring Abilities
- Diversity and Inclusion

## Education

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- 2022      **MASTER OF SCIENCE: NURSING – NURSE EDUCATOR**  
University of North Carolina Wilmington, Wilmington, NC
- 2000      **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE: NURSING**  
University of Florida, Gainesville, FL  
Cum Laude
- 1996      **HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA**  
Lake Mary High School, Lake Mary, FL  
Cum Laude

## Professional Experience

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- 2023 – Present      **University of North Carolina Greensboro – Greensboro, NC**  
**MSN-NE, RN**
- Educate traditional BSN students in didactic, clinical, simulation, and skills lab settings.
- 2019 - 2023      **Triad Pediatrics - High Point, NC**  
**BSN, RN**
- Care for well and sick children ages birth to 18
  - Triage patients in person, by phone, by telemed, or through the patient portal
  - Perform patient assessments and gather patient history and pertinent medical information.
  - Facilitate communication between fellow nurses, providers, families, pharmacies, referral facilities, and other professionals takes place each workday.

- Educate parents and their children is continuous and is necessary for providing compassionate, evidence-based care.

2006 - 2021

**High Point Regional Medical Center** - High Point, NC  
BSN, RN

- Now Atrium Health Wake Forest Baptist
- Cared for newborns and mothers in the L&D, level 2 NICU, postpartum, and antepartum units.
- Taught an Expectant Parenting Class to prepare parents about delivery, newborn care/feeding, and car seat safety.
- Taught education class to families prior to going home.
- Provided information and comfort for families having newborns with special needs.

2004 - 2006

**Baptist Hospital East** - Louisville, KY  
BSN, RN

- Cared for newborns and mothers in the L&D, level 2 NICU, and postpartum units.
- Educated new parents in breastfeeding, infant care, and postpartum care.
- Provided information and comfort for families having newborns with special needs.

2001 - 2004

**CJW Medical Center** - Richmond, VA  
BSN, RN

- Cared for newborns and mothers in the L&D, level 2 NICU, and postpartum units.
- Nursery charge nurse
- EMAR "Superuser" to aid employees throughout the entire hospital during the transition to a new documentation system.

2000

**PICU Kosair Children's Hospital** - Louisville, KY  
BSN, RN

- Holistically cared for children ages birth to 21 years of age with a variety of diagnoses in an intensive care setting.

## Education Experience

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2009 - 2019

**High Point Regional Medical Center** - High Point, NC

- Expectant Parenting Class Educator
- Prepared expectant parents about delivery, newborn care/feeding, and car seat safety.

2006 - 2021

- Taught education classes to families prior to going home.
- Clinical Staff Preceptor (New employees and nursing students)

## Certifications

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Neonatal Resuscitation Program Certification (NRP)  
BLS Certification

## Professional Organizations

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- Sigma Theta Tau International - Nu Omega Chapter
- Nominated for Phi Kappa Phi Honorary Society
- Golden Key National Honor Society
- National Student Nurses Association
- Nominated for Mortar Board National College Senior Honor Society
- Nursing College Council – Vice President
  - Organized Junior Orientation 1999 for 150 incoming UF nursing students

## Presentations and Articles

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- Wright, B. (2022). Nurse burnout education innovation: Awareness, prevention, and intervention. [Master's capstone project, University of North Carolina Wilmington].
- Wright, B. (2022). Nurse burnout awareness, prevention, and intervention [Master's capstone project, University of North Carolina Wilmington]. [Microsoft PowerPoint](#).

## Community Service

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- International mission trips to Wales, Zambia, Malawi, and Brazil
- Coordinator for Buddy Walk for Down Syndrome Association of Greater Winston Salem
- Educated elementary students and teachers for 5 years about intellectual disabilities, most specifically Down syndrome
- Participated in multiple Feed the Hunger packathons
- Team Mom for East Forsyth High School cheerleading squad
- Serves in local church on video production team and as a small group leader
- Music coordinator for vacation bible school and leader in church praise band

## Awards and Honors

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- National Dean's List
- Cum Laude Graduate

## References

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Available upon request