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EDUCATION

2001-present	Ph. D	University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing Major: Nursing Minor: Quality Management Dissertation Research: Preparation of Families for Death in Home Hospice
1986-1988	M.S.	Rush University, Chicago, IL Major: Medical Surgical Nursing
1980-1985	B.S.N.	University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing Major: Nursing

RESEARCH TRAINING AND FELLOWSHIPS

2002-2004	T-32 Pre-doctoral Research Fellow Patient-Centered Informational Interventions
1987-1988	Federal Nurse Traineeship

AWARDS

2005	Hospice and Palliative Nursing Reporter Award
2004-2005	Charles A. Eckburg Foundation Research Award University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2006, Spring 2007	Marquette University , Department of Nursing, Milwaukee, WI <i>Clinical instructor. Taught Community health clinical to senior students at Inpatient Hospice facility.</i>
Spring 2006	Marquette University , Department of Nursing, Milwaukee, WI <i>Clinical instructor. Taught acute medical clinical to junior students at Inpatient Hospice facility.</i>
Spring 2003, 2004	University of Wisconsin-Madison , School of Nursing <i>Co-creator of interdisciplinary course on end-of-life care with Dr. Karin Kirchhoff. Co-taught course as teaching assistant for two years.</i>
Spring 2002	University of Wisconsin-Madison , School of Nursing <i>Teaching assistant for N312 - Nursing Care of Persons Responding to Alterations in Body Systems.</i>

1989 **Dallas Baptist University**, Dallas, TX
Lecturer and clinical coordinator for Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing Course in RN-to-BSN program.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2004-present **Site Coordinator-Madison**
University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing
 Patient-centered Approach to Advanced Care Planning
 R01 HS013374-01A1
 Principal Investigator: Karin T. Kirchhoff, PhD, RN FAAN
 Funded by Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)

2001-2004 **Research Assistant**
University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing
 Family Perceptions of Care at the End of Life in an ICU and Hospice
 Facility - Pilot Study
 Principal Investigator: Karin T. Kirchhoff, PhD, RN, FAAN

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

1997- Present	HospiceCare Inc.	Madison and Janesville, WI
<i>1997-2001</i>	<i>Clinical Nurse Specialist</i>	
	<i>Quality Management Coordinator</i>	
	<i>Clinical Orientation and Education Coordinator</i>	
	<i>Infection Control Nurse</i>	
<i>2001-present</i>	<i>On-call Nurse</i>	

1993-1995 **Beloit Regional Hospice** Beloit, WI
Clinical Director

1989-1995	Beloit Memorial Hospital	Beloit, WI
1989-1991	<i>Clinical Nurse Specialist – Oncology and Medical/Surgical Nursing</i>	
1989-1993	<i>Nursing Quality Management Coordinator</i>	
1991-1993	<i>Clinical Nurse Manager – Oncology and Special Care (In-patient Hospice)</i>	
	<i>Nursing Supervisor</i>	
1993-1995	<i>Nursing Educator</i>	
	<i>Per-diem Nurse</i>	

1988-1989 **Methodist Hospitals of Dallas** Dallas, TX
Oncology Clinical Nurse Specialist
Float Nurse

1985-1988 **Rush University** Chicago, IL
Staff Nurse – Medical Nursing

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

1985-present State of Wisconsin- Registered Nurse/ Multi-State 103392-030

2006-2010 Advanced Practice Certified Hospice and Palliative Nurse

PUBLICATIONS

*Kirchhoff, K.T. & Kehl, K.A. Recruiting Participants in End-of-Life Research. *American Journal of Hospice & Palliative Medicine*. In press.

*Kehl, K.A. Moving towards peace: An analysis of the concept of a good death. *American Journal of Hospice & Palliative Medicine* 23(4):277-286, 2006.

*Kehl, K.A. Recognition and support of anticipatory mourning. *Journal of Hospice and Palliative Care Nursing*. 7(3):206-212, 2005.

Kehl, K.A. Practical issues in the use of methadone. *Hospice and Palliative Care Reporter*. 1(3):9-12, 2005 - Written as part of HPNA Reporter Award

Kehl, K.A. An introduction to EPEC-Oncology Training. *Hospice and Palliative Care Reporter*. 1(3):24-26, 2005 - Written as part of HPNA Reporter Award

Kirchhoff, K.T., Song M.K. & Kehl K. Caring for the family of the critically ill patient. *Critical Care Clinics*. 20(3):453-66, ix-x, 2004 Jul. - Invited publication

*Kehl, K.A. Treatment of terminal restlessness: a review of the evidence. *Journal of Pain & Palliative Care Pharmacotherapy*. 18(1):5-30, 2004.

Kehl, K.A. Action-oriented report forms. *Nursing Quality Connection*. 2(2):6-7, 1992 Sep-Oct.

Kehl, K.A. Quality education: the Beloit Memorial Hospital experience. *Nursing Quality Connection*. 2(1):2, 1992 Jul-Aug.

* indicates peer reviewed publication

PAPERS PRESENTED AT CONFERENCES

Kehl, K.A. Materials to prepare families for hospice death in the home. Paper in symposium "Improving the end-of-life experience for patients and families". *State of the Science in Nursing Research Congress*. Washington, D.C. Sponsored by CANS. October 12, 2006

Kehl, K.A. ICU and end-of-life care: Opportunities for quality care. Breakout session. *Opening Doors: Building Bridges, 1st National Conference on Access to Hospice and Palliative Care*. St. Louis, MO. Sponsored by the National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization. August 1, 2005.

Kehl, K.A. & Kirchhoff, K.T. Family perceptions of care at the end of life in an ICU and hospice facility. Paper in symposium "Patient-centered interventions to improve end-of-life care". *State of the Science in Nursing Research Congress*. Washington, D.C. Sponsored by CANS. October 6, 2004

Kehl, K.A. Symposium organizer "Patient centered interventions". *Advancing Nursing Practice Excellence: State of the Science*. Washington, D.C. Sponsored by Sigma Theta Tau International (STTI). September 27, 2002.

Kehl, K.A. The family as the patient in end-of-life care. Paper in symposium "Patient centered interventions". *Advancing Nursing Practice Excellence: State of the Science*. Washington, D.C. Sponsored by STTI. September 27, 2002.

Kehl, K.A. & Kirchhoff, K.T. Issues in Recruiting Bereaved Family Members. Paper in symposium, "Improving information for end-of-life care". *Advancing Nursing Practice Excellence: State of the Science*. Washington, D.C. Sponsored by STTI. September 27, 2002.

SELECTED PROEFESSONAL PRESENTATIONS

Kehl, K.A. Managing the Death. Plenary session at ELNEC training. Sponsored by Rock County HospiceCare Inc. & Mercy Healthcare System, Janesville, WI. November 2, 2006

Kehl, K.A. Achieving Quality Care at the End of Life – Using Evidenced Based Practice. Plenary session at ELNEC training. Sponsored by HospiceCare Inc & University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing. Madison, WI. September 24, 2004.

Kehl, K.A. Preparation and care for the time of death. Plenary session at ELNEC training. Sponsored by HospiceCare Inc. & University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Nursing. Madison, WI. September 24, 2004.

Kehl, K.A. Nutritional issues at the end of life. Breakout session at the 10th Annual Conference of Current Concepts of Nutrition and Aging. Sponsored by the University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of Nutrition & Institute on Aging, University of Wisconsin-Madison. Madison, WI. September 23, 2004.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association	1999-present
Oncology Nursing Society	1988-present
1995-2003 CEU Approval Committee	
Sigma Theta Tau	1988-present
Gamma Phi Chapter	
2003-2005 Newsletter Chair Beta-Eta Chapter-at-Large	

VOLUNTEER SERVICE

4H Woodworking Leader and Advisory Board Member 2000-present
Badger Club, Rock County, WI

Artist in Residence - Quilter
Kennedy Elementary 2005, 2001, 1999
Van Buren Elementary 1998
Harrison Elementary 1996
Janesville, WI

Camp Nurse, Spencer Lake Bible Camp 2000, 1994, 1993, 1991, 1990
Waupaca, WI

REVIEW BOARDS

2003-present Journal of Hospice and Palliative Nursing

2004-2005 Reviewer for *Core Curriculum for the Generalist Hospice and Palliative Nurse*,
second edition.