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Celebrating the Culmination of our 60th Anniversary &
10 Years of Leadership in our Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) Program
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The year was 1956. A refuse of temporary huts dotted the University of Florida campus. The quarters were ramshackle, the beginnings humble, and yet the promise of what was to come was there—the Quonset Hut dream—the philosophy of the College of Nursing, one of the first two colleges at the University's brand new J. Hillis Miller Health Center.

Sixty years later, and the legacy of the University of Florida College of Nursing is strong and growing. Thank you to all of our alumni, friends, faculty, staff and students who have helped us celebrate this milestone year. It has been a chance to reflect on our past successes and our very bright future. The College of Nursing at UF will continue to CARE, LEAD and INSPIRE.

The UF College of Nursing has always been a pioneer, and this extends to our leadership in the Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) program. UF was a national leader in the founding of our DNP program and since 2009 has produced 242 graduates. The DNP degree is a clinical focused doctorate that prepares advanced practice nurses to meet the changing demands of our nation’s complex health care environment.

Today we celebrate the culmination of our 60th anniversary and salute the many DNP graduates who are changing the face of health care.
KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Rose Rivers, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FNAP

Reclaiming the Joy in Leadership

Rose Rivers is the Founder, Principal and Primary Consultant for Restoring Joy to Leadership, a Christian spiritually-based organization dedicated to helping leaders maximize their potential to make a difference in the lives of others as well as their own.

Rivers has served as Vice President and Chief Nursing Officer for St. Vincent's Medical Center, Jacksonville, Florida and Shands Healthcare (now UF Health), Gainesville, Florida. She is an active American Nurses Credentialing Center Magnet™ appraiser.

Rivers received her BSN, MSN and PhD from the University of Florida. She has broken many barriers and received numerous accolades during her nursing and leadership career. An honorary Rose Rivers Scholarship was created to honor Rivers at UF Health Shands and the Rose Rivers Leadership Development Fellowship, a one-year fellowship for emerging leaders, was named in her honor.
PRECEPTOR OF THE YEAR

Betty Krause, ARNP
Azalea Health

Betty Krause has devoted 53 years to being a nurse and serving the people in the communities where she’s lived. Krause graduated from Presentation School of Nursing in Aberdeen, South Dakota, and attended classes at the University of Minnesota where she first served as a pediatric nurse at the University of Minnesota Hospital. Krause went on to earn her associate’s degree from St. Johns River Community College in Palatka, Fla., her BSN from University of North Florida and her MSN from the UF College of Nursing. Krause worked full-time through her education while raising five children with her husband.

She served as the head nurse of a Medical Surgical floor in Columbia, Missouri, and was also House Supervisor at Putnam Memorial Hospital. As a Public Health Nurse, Krause started a Migrant Clinic in Hastings, Fla., working with UF and the VA to have residents see patients. Krause worked as an ED Nurse Manager for 12 years at Putnam Community Medical Center. She has been a Nurse Practitioner for 18 years at Azalea Health and a preceptor for nurse practitioner students each year for the past 18 years. Krause identifies her role as a preceptor among the most rewarding experiences of her career, which challenges her to keep up with the latest research and literature alongside the bright students.
Robert Colyer joined the Carithers Pediatric Group in 1977. He was born in Jacksonville, Fla., and graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill before earning his medical degree from Emory University in Atlanta.

Colyer completed his pediatric residency at Vanderbilt University before returning home to practice. Board-Certified in Pediatrics since 1979, he has been actively involved as a pediatric leader in the community. Colyer is a past president of the Florida Pediatric Society, the Youth Crisis Center and the Ronald McDonald House of Jacksonville. He is also a past president of the Medical Staff at Wolfson Children’s Hospital and the Rotary Club of Jacksonville. Colyer is an Associate Clinical Professor of Pediatrics at UF and enjoys all aspects of pediatrics, including clinical teaching.

For the past 15 years, Colyer has been a preceptor for Gator Nurses and truly loves spending time with students to shape their learning. Colyer encourages a complete experience, including interaction with other physicians, nurse practitioners, medical students and residents. Four of The Carithers Pediatric Group’s five pediatric nurse practitioners are UF graduates.
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Schedule of Events

2:00 pm to 4:15 pm  DNP Project Fair  
HPNP First Floor

2:00 pm to 4:15 pm  DNP Poster Session  
HPNP Ground Floor

4:15 pm to 4:30 pm  Refreshment Break  
HPNP Reception Area

4:30 pm to 5:30 pm  Speaking Program  
HPNP Auditorium
  • Welcome and Celebration of 60th Anniversary & 10 Years of DNP Leadership | Dean Anna McDaniel  
    • Closing 60th Anniversary Video
  • Preceptor of the Year Awards | Dr. Sharon Bradley  
    • Keynote Speaker | Dr. Rose Rivers

5:30 pm  Reception  
HPNP Reception Area
POSTER PRESENTATIONS

1. Initial Evaluation of Acute Care for the Elderly (ACE) Unit on Inpatient Outcomes | Michael Adalia

2. Oral Contraceptive Prescribing Practices of Florida Pediatric Nurse Practitioners | Natalie Aguilar

3. Evaluating Provider Perspective of UF Health Jax LARC Clinic | Brittney Amador

4. A Chart Review Tool for Assessing Sexual and Reproductive Health (SRH) Education Provided to Female Adolescents and Young Adults | Sarah Anderson

5. Survey Fundamentals: Steps to Designing an Instrument to Assess Sexual and Reproductive Health Information Dissemination | Hillary Bailey

6. Sensing a Change in Practice: An Integrative Literature Review and Gap Analysis of Sensory Processing Disorder in Advanced Nursing Practice | Sarah Bowermaster

7. Protocol Development for Cue-Based Feeds: Transitioning to a Better Feeding Practice | Angela Brandon

8. Dialysate Sodium Effects on Volume Status and Patient Outcomes | Laurie Buschini

9. Transition of Hospital to Home Care in the Pediatric Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplant Setting: The Development and Recommendation of Educational Materials for Hospital Discharge | Maria Cabello

10. Improving Cycling Time in the Family Clinic Setting | Yaniret Carmenate

11. What are the lactation success rates in VLBW infant during hospitalization and discharge? | Victoria Castellanos
POSTER PRESENTATIONS

12. Continuous glucose monitoring in the school setting: A review of current policies, barriers and recommendations for future practice | Kayla Clancy

13. Asthma Education in the Pediatric Emergency Room | Karen Colley

14. Implementing the Annual Wellness Visit in Practice | Lorena Cornwell

15. Anemia in Pregnancy | Mallory Crownover

16. Understanding and utilization of palliative care resources by APRNs in the care of chronically critically ill children | Theodore Dage

17. Assessing the Need for a Standardized Post-Procedural Patient Handoff | Kristina Darville

18. Development of a Clinical Pathway for Asymptomatic Bacteriuria in the Long Term Care Setting | Enitan Ekwotafia

19. Barriers to EPHR Use in a Rural Health Clinic | Abigail Eley

20. CCHD Screening Needs Assessment | Melissa Fogarty

21. Evaluation of Falls in Inpatient Rehabilitation Hospitals | Shama Gresseau

22. Neurodevelopmental Follow-Up: Are Infants Meeting Criteria Receiving Referrals Prior to Discharge from the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit | Monica Hendrickson

23. Perceptions of Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Practice: A Gap Analysis | Courtney Hogan

24. Educational Focus Group on Staying Safe in an Inpatient Psychiatric Hospital | Michaela Hogan
25. Formulation of an Evidence Based Gastrostomy Tube Education Program | Carrie Johnson

26. Cleft Lip and Palate Craniofacial Outreach Florida | Alyssa Karow

27. Do school staff feel adequately trained to provide care for children with diabetes in the school setting? | Michelle Kessler

28. Identifying the Educational Needs of Parents/Caregivers of Pediatric Cancer Patients | Robyn Kittleson

29. A Program Evaluation of the UF Health Jacksonville LARC Clinic: The Setting Perspective | Alyssa Larsen

30. Evaluation of the Efficacy of Nutraceutical Treatment in Pediatric Attention Hyperactivity Disorder | Sarah Lower

31. Improving Nursing Knowledge about the Importance of Midline Head Positioning for Premature Infants | Shannon Makovic

32. Evaluation of the Use of Thromboelastography in Adults with Severe Liver Failure | Rachelle Maracic

33. Coding for SRH Health Education: A Chart Review for ICD-10 | Katie Murphy

34. A Program Evaluation of the UF Health Jacksonville LARC Clinic | Amanda Nicholls

35. Nurse Practitioner protocols: Practicing within the scope | Sarah Oerther

36. Effects of Safe Sleep Practice Education on Infant Mortality | Yexica Perez

37. Improving the Parent Experience in the NICU | Jessica Peters
POSTER PRESENTATIONS

38. Implementation of a Skin Cancer Risk Assessment Tool in a Florida Primary Care Facility | Emma Pierce


40. Nurses’ Knowledge, Attitudes and Perceptions in the Acute Care of Geriatric Patients | Kathrine Polistina

41. Screening for Depression in Adolescents with Type 1 Diabetes | Sarah Sercombe

42. A Descriptive Analysis of the Geriatric Surgical Patient Population at an Academic Medical Center | Karah Cripe Sickler

43. An Evaluation of the Effectiveness of General Outpatient Oncology Education | Mallory Stewart

44. Are Cardiac Risk Factors Being Evaluated in Patients with a History of Coronary Artery Disease During Outpatient Cardiology Visits | Jeanne Tilley

45. The Impact of Enduring Media: Increasing Nursing Knowledge on Heart Failure | Deborah Torres

46. Clinical Outcomes of Postmastectomy Immediate Breast Reconstruction with and without Adjuvant Radiotherapy for Breast Cancer | Jodi Toskich

47. Evaluation of the Use of Thromboelastography in Adult Patients Post-Liver Transplantation | Colleen Ugliano

48. Pain Management during Pediatric Burn Dressing Changes | Emily Vitale

49. Strategies to reduce childhood obesity prevalence: A policy analysis | Deborah Walker
50. Effect of Post Myocardial Infarction Transitional Care Program and Advanced Practice Provider Transitional Care Clinic on Reducing 30 day Readmission Rates | Tanya Warner

51. Adherence to DM II Management Guidelines in a Rural Health Primary Care Practice | Charles Whiting

52. Reducing Unnecessary Pap Screening in Women Over 65 | Natasha Woodham

53. Improving Medication Access in the Free Clinic Environment: A Policy Analysis | Jessica Wooten

54. Vaccination Requirement to Live on Campus: A Policy Analysis | Katie Youngblood

55. Immunization Rates and Barriers in a Rural Primary Care Facility | Brett Thompson