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Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Certification,  
Pediatric Nursing Certification Board

**ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION**

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8/2010	University of Virginia Charlottesville, VA	PhD in Nursing
<u>Dissertation</u>	The Meaning of Parent Feeding for Young, Low-Income Mothers: Using Video Enriches Understanding of the Relationship with Childhood Obesity	
1988	Boston College Chestnut Hill, MA Pediatric Ambulatory Care	MS in Nursing
1984	University of Vermont Burlington, VT	BS in Nursing

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

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Fall 2015 – Present	Assistant Professor	Coordinator, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program; PNP didactic courses and mentored students in Master's level Scholarly Projects. MGH Institute of Health Professions, School of Nursing
Academic year 2011-2012	Assistant Professor Tenure-track	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program William F. Connell School of Nursing Boston College
Academic year 2010-2011	Assistant Clinical Professor	Graduate Level Health Promotion, Pediatric Undergraduate Clinical, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program Department of Family, Community, and Mental Health University of Virginia, SON

Fall 2008	Adjunct Faculty	Current Issues in Nursing, Undergraduate course University of Virginia, SON
Fall 2006- Fall 2008	Graduate Teaching Assistant	Leadership and Management in Health Care Systems, Principles of Nutrition, Pathology and Clinical Management, Health Assessment, University of Virginia, SON
Fall 2005	Adjunct Clinical Faculty	Health Promotion and Risk Reduction of Families, Undergraduate clinical University of Massachusetts Lowell, Department of Nursing
1989 – 2004	Clinical Preceptor	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Students, Boston College, SON; MGH Institute of Health Professions

### Research Experience

10/2018- 9/2019	Principle Investigator	Focus Groups to Inform Design of a Mobile Health System to Support Transition-Age Youth with Epilepsy
7/2012 – 7/2015	Co-Investigator	Transitional Care for Adolescents with Epilepsy University of Virginia, Department of Pediatric Neurology
12/2009-8/2010	Researcher	Acupuncturist Focus Group Study University of Virginia, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
1/2009-7/2009	Project Manager	Uxoricide Research Project University of Virginia, SON

### **PROFESSIONAL/CLINICAL APPOINTMENTS**

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3/2017 – Present	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Atrius Health Pediatric Telecom Boston, MA
7/2012 – 7/2015	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Epilepsy and Pediatric Neurology University of Virginia Medical Center Charlottesville, VA
9/2009- 5/2010	Clinician Level III Clinical Care Coordinator	Comprehensive Epilepsy Program University of VA Health System Charlottesville, VA
10/2002–8/2006	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Main Street Pediatrics Hopkinton, MA

4/1994–10/2002	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Newton Wellesley Family Pediatrics Newton, MA
9/1992 -4/1994	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Comprehensive Care Program Boston City Hospital Boston, MA
9/1988 – 7/1992	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Dr. Toby Nathan, PC Bedford, MA

## **HONORS/AWARDS**

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1/2019	National League for Nursing LEAD Program A program to advance in nursing leadership
8/2018	External Faculty Nurse Scientist The Yvonne L. Munn Center for Nursing Research Massachusetts General Hospital
6/201	Research Mentoring Program (RaMP) MGH Institute of Health Professions
7/2011	Childhood Obesity SIG Best Practice Recognition Project Advisory Panel National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates
5/2011	Phyllis J. Verhonick Dissertation Award The University of Virginia, School of Nursing
2/2011	Clinical Expert: Advance Practice Role/Curriculum, Education (Patient and Family), Nutrition in Children (Obesity) National Association of Nurse Practitioners and Associate
9/2007–5/2009	Tomorrow's Professor Today, Teaching Resource Center University of Virginia Selected for a professional development program preparing graduate and postdoctoral students in teaching and academic career advancement.
9/2007	Sigma Theta Tau International

## **GRANT FUNDING**

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10/2018	Foundation Research Grant National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates <i>Focus Groups to Inform Design of a Mobile Health System to Support Transition-Age Youth with Epilepsy</i>
9/2007-9/2009	National Research Service Award, National Institute of Nursing Research <i>Video of Mothers' Feeding Activities</i> F31 NR010664-01

## **PUBLICATIONS**

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- Thompson, M. E., Langer, J. E., Knife, M. (2019). Seizure detection watch improves quality of life for adolescents with epilepsy and their families. *Epilepsy & Behavior*, 98(Part A), 188-194. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.yebeh.2019.07.028>
- Coyne, B. M., Hallowell, S., and Thompson, M. E. (2017). Measurable outcomes after transfer from pediatric to adult providers in youth with chronic illness. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 60(1), 3-16. doi: 10.1016/j.jadohealth.2016.07.006
- Thompson, M. E. (2012). Nurses' role in prevention of infant mortality in 1884 - 1925: Health disparities then and now. *Journal of Pediatric Nursing*, 27(5), 471-478.
- Thompson, M. E., Jenkins, J., Smucker, A., Smithwick, A., Groopman, C., & Pastore, L. M. (2012). Acupuncturist perceptions of serving as a clinical trial practitioner. *Complimentary Therapies in Medicine*, 20, 183-189.
- Steeves, R. H., Parker, B., Laughon, K., Knopp, A., & Thompson, M. E. (2011). Adolescents' experiences with uxoricide. *Journal of the American Psychiatric Nurses Association*, 17(2), 115-123.
- Thompson, M. E. (2010). Parental feeding and childhood obesity in preschool-age children: Recent findings from the literature. *Issues in Comprehensive Pediatric Nursing*, 33, 204-267.

### Works in Progress

- Thompson, M. E., & Fairman, A. D. (expected 2019). User preferences for the design of a mobile health system to support transition-age youth with epilepsy. *Journal of Pediatric Health Care*. Manuscript in submission.
- Thompson, M. E. (expected 2019). Video perspectives on parental feeding of preschool-age children. *Journal of Pediatric Nursing*, Manuscript in revision.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

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| 7/2018  | Thompson, M. E. and Langer, J. E.<br>National Institute of Nursing Research<br>Precision Health: Smart Technologies, Smart Health Boot Camp<br>Bethesda, MD<br>Poster Presentation: Adolescents with Epilepsy and their Families'<br>Perceptions of using a Seizure Detection Device |
| 12/2017 | Langer, J. E., Thompson, M. E., and Knife, M.<br>American Epilepsy Society, Annual Meeting 2017<br>Washington, DC<br>Poster Presentation: Seizure Detection Device Impacts Quality of Life of<br>Adolescents with Epilepsy and their Families  |
| 5/2017  | Thompson, M. E., Coyne, B. M., and Hallowell, S.<br>Nursing Research Day 2017, Boston, MA<br>Poster Presentation: Nursing Implications for Improving Outcomes of Care<br>after Transition from Pediatric to Adult Providers in Youth with Special<br>Healthcare Needs                |

- 4/2017 Thompson, M. E.  
4<sup>th</sup> Annual Cultural Inclusion Institute Conference Theme: Linking Social Determinants of Health to Health Disparities and Cultural Inclusion  
San Antonio, TX  
Poster Presentation: The parent child feeding relationship: A social determinant of health for children
- 4/2017 Hallowell, S., Coyne, B. and Thompson, M. E.  
Virginia Council of Nurse Practitioners Annual Meeting  
Williamsburg, VA  
Abstract for Poster Accepted: Outcomes after Transfer of Care from Pediatric to Adult Providers in Youth with Chronic Illness: Implications for the Nurse Practitioner
- 10/2016 Coyne B. M., Hallowell, S., and Thompson, M. E.  
8th Annual Healthcare Transition Research Consortium Research Symposium  
Houston, Texas  
Poster Presentation: Measurable Outcomes in Youth with Chronic Illness after Transition from Pediatric to Adult Providers: A Review of the Literature
- 9/2016 Glauser, T., & Thompson, M. E.  
Diagnosing and managing pediatric epilepsy [Webinar]. *In cmecorner.com Webinar Series.*
- 6/2016 Coyne B. M., Hallowell, S., and Thompson, M. E.  
Pediatric Nursing Conference.  
Philadelphia, PA  
Podium Presentation: Measurable Outcomes after Transition of Care from Pediatric to Adult Providers in Youth with Special Health Care Needs
- 1/2015 Virginia Council of Nurse Practitioners "Pharmfest" University of Virginia, School of Nursing  
Charlottesville, Virginia  
Presentation: Treatment of Headaches in Children
- 3/2014 National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates 35th Annual Conference on Pediatric Health Care  
Boston, Massachusetts  
Poster Presentation: Transitional Care of Adolescents with Epilepsy
- 5/2012 Sigma Theta Tau, Alpha Chi  
Boston College Connell School of Nursing  
Poster Presentation: *Understanding parental disinhibited eating as a risk factor for childhood obesity using the Ecological Model of Growth and Childhood Obesity Risk*
- 10/2011 The Obesity Society: 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting  
Orlando, Florida  
Poster Presentation: *An Inside View of the Home Feeding Environment*
- 9/2010 25th Anniversary Scientific Symposium: Bringing Science to Life  
National Institute of Nursing Research  
Bethesda, Maryland  
Poster Presentation: *How Young, Low-Income Mothers Feed their Children*

- 9/2010 2010 State of the Science: Congress in Nursing Research  
The Council of Advancement in Nursing Science  
Washington, DC  
Poster Presentation: *How Young, Low-Income Mothers Feed their Children*
- 3/2009 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Huskey Graduate Research Exhibition  
University of Virginia  
Graduate School of Arts and Sciences  
Poster Presentation Title: *Young Mothers' Feeding Practices*
- 11/2008 University of Virginia School of Nursing  
*Difficult Classroom Situations:*  
Teaching skills presentation to faculty and graduate students.
- 10/2008 Universitas 21  
Doctoral Student Research Forum  
Hosted by the University of Virginia  
Presented dissertation research to international PhD students in an  
international collaborative research program.
- 8/2008 August Teaching Workshop  
Teaching Resource Center, University of Virginia  
*Difficult Classroom Situations*  
Presentation for UVA faculty and graduate teaching assistants.
- 4/2008 Coahoma Community College Health Care Conference 2008  
"Exercising minds today for a healthier tomorrow: Combating obesity in  
the Mississippi Delta"  
Clarksdale, Mississippi  
Podium Presentation: *Parental Feeding and Childhood Overweight*
- 3/2008 Southern Nursing Research Society  
Health Disparities: Evidence into Action  
Birmingham, Alabama  
Poster presentation: *Teen Mothers' Feeding Practices and Childhood  
Overweight*

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

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- 7/2018 National Institute of Nursing Research  
Precision Health: Smart Technologies, Smart Health Boot Camp  
Bethesda, MD
- 1/2018 Mixed Methods Research  
Harvard Catalyst, Online Program
- 4/2013 National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates, 34<sup>th</sup>  
Annual Conference on Pediatric Healthcare, Orlando, FL
- 4/2012 Binge Eating Disorder: The Next Generation of Research.  
Uniform Services University of Health Sciences, Bethesda, MD

- 10/2011            Conceptualizing Gene-Environment Interactions in Obesity Research: Complex Pathways to Health Disparities  
Harvard/MGH Center on Genomics, Vulnerable Populations, and Health Disparities, Boston, MA
- 6/2011            Let's Move Mid-Atlantic Summit: Sharing Strategies and Building Coalitions to End Childhood Obesity  
Baltimore, MD
- 3/2009            Genetics and genomics: What we need to know into the future for nursing education and practice  
University of Virginia School of Nursing, Charlottesville, VA
- 3/2009            The Obesity Challenge in Public Health: Integrating Best Practices into Culturally Competent, Family-Centered, Community Solutions  
University of Tennessee, Boling Center for Developmental Disabilities
- 12/2008           NVivo 8 for Intermediate Users  
Queri Qualitative Research and Training  
Baltimore, MD
- 7/2008            Qualitative Analysis 2: Phenomenological & Narrative/Discourse Methods  
Margaret Sandelowski PhD, RN, FAAN  
School of Nursing, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
- 4/2006            Motivational Interviewing for Overweight Children and Families  
The Pediatric Physician's Organization  
at Children's Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts
- 6/2005            Obesity Prevention and Primary Care Intervention  
National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality  
Healthy Care for Healthy Kids, Online Program
- 5/2004            Reaching Adolescents: Building on the Strengths of Youth  
Contemporary Forums  
Adolescent Health Care, Preconference Session  
Boston, MA

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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- 1988 – Present            National Association of Pediatric Nurse Associates and Practitioners
- 2019 – Present            Eastern Nursing Research Society
- 2012 - Present            Association of Child Neurology Nurses
- 2009 - Present            The Council for Advancement in Nursing Science
- 2007 - Present            Sigma Theta Tau International  
Honor Society of Nursing
- 2007 - 2013            Southern Nursing Research Society
- 2007 – 2013            American Association for the History of Nursing

**JOURNAL REVIEWER**

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4/2011 – Present      Journal for Specialists in Pediatric Nursing  
 10/2013 – Present     Journal of Pediatric Nursing  
 4/2017 – Present      Social Science and Medicine  
 6/2019 – Present      Western Journal of Nursing  
 6/2019 – Present      Journal for Nurse Practitioners

**SERVICE**

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Professional Service

9/2019- Present      Food is Medicine Massachusetts (FIMMA)  
 Provider Nutrition Education & Referral Task Force  
 8/2012 – Present     Work group member: Revising the Identifying and Preventing Overweight  
 in Childhood Clinical Practice Guidelines  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates  
 10/2018 – 6/2019    Item Writer for Primary Care, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Certification  
 Boards: Pediatric Nurse Certification Board  
 6/2011 – 6/2012     Pilot tester: Be Our Voice Online Advocacy Training course.  
 Advocacy training program for policy changes impacting overweight and  
 obesity in children in their communities  
 National Initiative for Children’s Healthcare Quality partner with the  
 American Academy of Pediatrics & the California Medical  
 Association Foundation

Community Service

3/2013                    Ready, Set, Grow (Spring/Summer Issue)  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Associates  
 Healthy Meals to Go: How to ditch those fast-food temptations  
 1/2008 – 2011        Childhood Obesity Task Force  
 Thomas Jefferson Health District  
 Charlottesville, Virginia  
 Assist with coordination of nutrition and physical fitness education  
 materials for training elementary school teachers in prevention of  
 childhood obesity. Participate in preparation and application of grants.