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## Memorandum

TO: Senator Davis, Chair  
Health & Social Services Committee

FROM: Kirsten Waid *KW*  
Secretary of the Senate

DATE: March 28, 2011

SUBJECT: Withdrawn Governor's Appointment  
Jennifer "Robin" Allen - Board of Nursing

*Celeste,  
We know you are  
aware of this  
resignation, but for  
the record/your files...  
-Julianne*

The following appointee has resigned for personal reasons and should not be considered by your committee:

#### **Board of Nursing**

Jennifer "Robin" Allen - Palmer

Appointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

President Stevens referred the appointment to the Health & Social Services Committee on February 2, 2011.

Attachment: Governor's 3/26/11 Withdrawal Letter

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Governor Sean Parnell  
STATE OF ALASKA

March 26, 2011

The Honorable Gary Stevens  
President of the Senate  
Alaska State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 111  
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

Dear President Stevens,

I withdraw the appointments of Jennifer "Robin" Allen to the Board of Nursing and Jerrad "Shea" Hutchings to the State Commission for Human Rights. Since my letter dated February 1, 2011, both individuals have asked to resign from their respective boards for personal reasons.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sean Parnell".

Sean Parnell  
Governor

cc: Kirsten Waid, Senate Secretary, Alaska State Senate

**SENATE  
CONFIRMATION COMMITTEE REPORT**

Date: 3/21/11

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the Health and Social Services Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointments be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

**Commissioner – Department of Health and Social Services**  
William Streur

**Board of Dental Examiners**

Cheryl Fellenberg – Wasilla  
Dr. Thomas Kovaleski – Chugiak  
Dr. Paul Silveira – Valdez  
Dr. Robert Warren – Anchorage

**Board of Marital and Family Therapy**

Leon Webber – Anchorage  
JoAnn Young – Anchorage

**Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees**

- ✓ Mike Barton – Douglas
- ✓ Russell Webb – Anchorage

**Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives**

Dr. Peggy Downing – Wasilla

**Board of Nursing**

~~Jennifer "Robin" Allen – Palmer~~ *Resigned*  
Beth Farnstrom – Anchorage  
Julie Gillette – Wasilla  
Erin Pringle – Anchorage

**Board of Examiners in Optometry**

Dr. Paul Barney – Anchorage

**Board of Pharmacy**


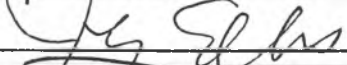

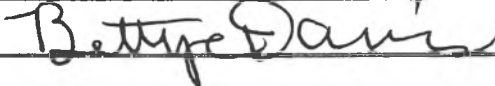
Lori DeVito – Soldotna  
Dirk White – Sitka

**State Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Board**  
Valerie Phelps – Anchorage

**Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners**  
Dr. John DeRuyter – Fairbanks

**Board of Social Work Examiners**  
Jen Syzdek – Anchorage

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individuals during any further sessions.

Signature:	Printed Last Name
	MEYER
	ELLIS
	EGAN
Chair: 	DAVIS

Please return to the Senate Secretary's Office (Room 211).

## Celeste Hodge

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**From:** robin allen [dave\_robin1@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2011 10:22 AM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** Fw: Resignation

--- On Fri, 3/11/11, robin allen <dave\_robin1@yahoo.com> wrote:

From: robin allen <dave\_robin1@yahoo.com>  
Subject: Resignation  
To: brandon.maitlen@alaska.gov, "Sanders Nancy" <nancy.sanders@alaska.gov>  
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011, 10:15 AM

To All Concerned,

I would like to thank-you for the honor and opportunity to serve on the Board of Nursing. However, due to family and financial hardships that serving on the Board will create for me, I feel that it is best for me to resign my appointment effective immediately, Friday March 11, 2011.

I hope that you will appreciate that this has been a difficult decision. I do feel that I would bring a value to the Board and hope that perhaps the future will bring this opportunity around again. My first responsibility is to my family. I feel that it would be a dis-service to all involved for me to try to continue to serve and that its best to sign now, rather than later.

I will return all the materials given to me at orientation last week.

Respectfully,  
J Robin Allen LPN.

*She  
Resigned*

# SENATE COMMITTEE

## HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES

### AGENDA

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1:30 PM

Butrovich Room #205

#### 1:30 PM – Call to Order

Time:

Members Present:

- SENATE CONFIRMATION COMMITTEE REPORT

#### **State Physical Therapy & Occupational Therapy Board**

Valerie Phelps – Anchorage (Valerie is catching a flight – moved her to top of agenda)

**Board of Dental Examiners:** Cheryl Fellenberg – Wasilla; Dr. Thomas Kovaleski – Chugiak; Dr. Paul Silveria – Valdez; Dr. Robert Warren – Anchorage.

**Board of Marital & Family Therapy** – Leon Webber – Anchorage; JoAnn Young – Anchorage

**Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees:** Mike Barton – Douglas; Russell Webb – Anchorage

**Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives** – Dr. Peggy Downing – Wasilla

**Board of Nursing** - Jennifer “Robin” Allen – Palmer; Beth Farnstrom – Anchorage; Julie Gillete – Wasilla; Erin Pringle – Anchorage;

**Board of Examiners in Optometry** – Dr. Paul Barney - Anchorage

**Board of Pharmacy** – Lori DeVito – Soldotna; Dirk White – Sitka

**Board of Psychologist & Psychological Associate Examiners** – Dr. John DeRuyter – Fairbanks;

**Board of Social Work Examiners** – Jen Syzdek - Anchorage

**Commissioner, Department of Health and Social Services** William Streur

#### ADJOURNMENT:

**H&SS Committee: Sen. Bettye Davis, Chair; Sen. Johnny Ellis, Sen. Fred Dyson, Sen. Kevin Meyer, Sen. Dennis Egan**

Board	F Name	L Name	Address	City	State	Zip	Phone	Email
<b>HSS</b>								
Dental Examiners	Thomas	Kovaleski	P.O. Box 671574	Chugiak	AK	99567	907-223-5396	<a href="mailto:tkovaleski@scf.cc">tkovaleski@scf.cc</a>
Dental Examiners	Paul	Silveira	P.O. Box 335	Valdez	AK	99686	907-835-4940	<a href="mailto:drpaul@cvinet.net">drpaul@cvinet.net</a>
Dental Examiners	Cheryl	Fellenberg	4520 W. Lakeside Drive	Wasilla	AK	99654	907-376-6530	n/a
Dental Examiners	Robert	Warren	1343 Bannister Drive	Anchorage	AK	99508	907-277-3402	<a href="mailto:drbob@alaska.net">drbob@alaska.net</a>
Marital and Family Therapy	Leon	Webber	1013 East Fireweed Lane	Anchorage	AK	99508	907-646-7600	<a href="mailto:ltw@alaska.net">ltw@alaska.net</a>
Marital and Family Therapy	JoAnn	Young	625 N Lane St	Anchorage	AK	99508	907-317-2402	<a href="mailto:JoAnn.Young@PREMERA.com">JoAnn.Young@PREMERA.com</a>
Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees	Mike	Barton	P.O. Box 240070	Douglas	AK	99824	907-364-3153	<a href="mailto:mikebarton@gci.net">mikebarton@gci.net</a>
Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees	Russell	Webb	1138 F Street	Anchorage	AK	99824	907-440-6098	<a href="mailto:russwebb@acsalaska.net">russwebb@acsalaska.net</a>
Midwives	Peggy	Downing	3223 E. Palmer-Wasilla Highway, Ste. 1	Wasilla	AK	99654	907-357-4963	n/a
Nursing	Erin	Pringle	6051 Spruce Meadows Loop	Anchorage	AK	99507	907-250-3963	<a href="mailto:epringle@gci.net">epringle@gci.net</a>
Nursing	Beth	Farnstrom	18751 Villages Scenic Parkway	Anchorage	AK	99516	907-349-6074	<a href="mailto:bkfarnstrom@gci.net">bkfarnstrom@gci.net</a>
Nursing	J. Robin	Allen	830 W Josh Drive	Palmer	AK	99645	907-745-1957	<a href="mailto:dave_robin1@yahoo.com">dave_robin1@yahoo.com</a>
Nursing	Julie	Gillette	4301 South Well Site Road	Wasilla	AK	99654	907-376-5455	<a href="mailto:loggiemonster@hotmail.com">loggiemonster@hotmail.com</a>
Optometry	Paul	Barney	1600 A Street, Suite 200	Anchorage	AK	99501	(907) 272-2423	<a href="mailto:paul.barney@pcli.com">paul.barney@pcli.com</a>
Pharmacy	Dirk	White	106 Lincoln St	Sitka	AK	99835	907-738-6337	<a href="mailto:dirkrph@ptialaska.net">dirkrph@ptialaska.net</a>
Pharmacy	Lori	Devito	P.O. Box 3943	Soldotna	AK	99669	907-262-2398	<a href="mailto:homeiv1@alaska.net">homeiv1@alaska.net</a>
Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Board	Valerie	Phelps	18000 Spain Drive	Anchorage	AK	99516	907-301-7594	<a href="mailto:valerie@aptak.com">valerie@aptak.com</a>
Psychologists and Psychological Associate Examiners	John	DeRuyter	3899 Murphy Dome Road	Fairbanks	AK	99709	907-452-4753	<a href="mailto:ideruyter@hopecounselingcenter.org">ideruyter@hopecounselingcenter.org</a>
Social Work Examiners	Jennifer	Syzdek	P.O. Box 200424	Anchorage	AK	99520	218-839-5366	<a href="mailto:ntaboutu@yahoo.com">ntaboutu@yahoo.com</a>



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## Memorandum

TO: Senator Davis, Chair  
Health and Social Services Committee

FROM: Kirsten Waid  
Secretary of the Senate

DATE: February 2, 2011

SUBJECT: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Pursuant to AS 39.05.080, the President has referred the following names for legislative confirmation to your committee for a hearing, recommendation and report:

### Board of Dental Examiners

Cheryl Fellenberg – Wasilla

Appointed: 3/1/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Dr. Thomas Kovaleski – Chugiak

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Dr. Paul Silveira – Valdez

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Dr. Robert Warren – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

### Board of Marital and Family Therapy

Leon Webber – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

JoAnn Young – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2014

**Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees**

Mike Barton – Douglas

Appointed: 12/9/2010 Term Expires: 3/1/2014

Russell Webb – Anchorage

Appointed: 12/9/2010 Term Expires: 3/1/2013

**Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives**

Dr. Peggy Downing – Wasilla

Appointed: 5/31/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**Board of Nursing**

Jennifer “Robin” Allen – Palmer

Appointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Beth Farnstrom – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Julie Gillette – Wasilla

Appointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Erin Pringle – Anchorage

Appointed: 8/26/2010 Term Expires: 3/1/2014

**Board of Examiners in Optometry**

Dr. Paul Barney – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**Board of Pharmacy**

Lori DeVito – Soldotna

Appointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2012

Dirk White – Sitka

Appointed: 3/1/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**State Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Board**

Valerie Phelps – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2013

**Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners**

Dr. John DeRuyter – Fairbanks

Appointed: 6/6/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**Board of Social Work Examiners**

Jen Syzdek – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Resume(s) will be transmitted electronically.

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Phelps, Valerie  
State Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Board

**Valerie Ann Phelps, PT, OCS, FAAOMPT**



**EXPERIENCE**

- 1981 to 1982 **Sr. Kinney Institute / Abbott-Northwestern Hospitals  
Minneapolis, Minnesota**  
Staff physical therapist; worked with neurologically impaired, post-surgical orthopedic and general orthopedic patients
- 1982 to 1983 **Arizona Health Sciences Center  
Tucson, Arizona**  
Staff physical therapist; worked with neurologically impaired, post-surgical orthopedic and general orthopedic patients.
- 1983 to 1985 **University of Minnesota  
Minneapolis, Minnesota**  
Staff physical therapist; worked with neurologically impaired, post-surgical orthopedic and general orthopedic patients.
- 1985 to 1989 **Two Rivers Physical Therapy Center  
Coon Rapids, Minnesota**  
Senior physical therapist, personnel director, worked with post-surgical orthopedic and general orthopedic patients, occupational health, and sports injuries.
- 1989  
To present **American Academy of Orthopedic Medicine  
Tucson, Arizona DBA: International Academy of Orthopedic  
Medicine—US**  
Director of Education, National and International Instructor
- 1990 to 1994 **International Academy of Orthopedic Medicine  
Bonaire, Netherlands Antilles  
Austrian Society for physical Medicine  
Vienna, Austria**  
Assistant instructor in nonoperative orthopedic medicine and manual therapy of the spine and Extremities.
- 1993 to 1994 **(Verband fur Physikalische Therapie, VPT)  
Association for Physical Therapy  
Stuttgart, Germany**  
Assistant instructor in nonoperative orthopedic medicine and manual therapy of the spin and extremities.

- 1994  
To present**      **International Academy of Orthopedic Medicine.**  
**Göettingen, Germany**  
**Austrian Society for Physical Medicine**  
**Vienna, Austria**  
**Association for Physical Therapy**  
**Stuttgart, Germany**  
 Instructor in nonoperative orthopedic medicine and manual therapy of the spine and extremities.
- July 1994 to  
June 1997**      **Tucson Physical Therapy**  
**Tucson, Arizona**  
 Staff physical therapist, worked with post-surgical orthopedic, general orthopedic and occupational medicine patients. Clinical instructor for physical therapy students from Northern Arizona University and from Southwest Baptist University. Clinical instructor for physical therapy tech students from Pima Community College.
- July 1997 to  
Jan. 1999**      **ProActive Physical Therapy**  
**Tucson, Arizona**  
 Clinical director: Supervised the clinical staff, worked with patients in an out-patient orthopedic setting. Clinical instructor for physical therapy students from Northern Arizona University and from Southwest Baptist University.
- October  
1999 to  
July 2000**      **University of Arizona**  
**Athletic Treatment Center**  
**Tucson, Arizona**  
 Consultant in evaluation and treatment of university and Olympic-caliber athletes with chronic orthopedic problems.
- October  
1999 to  
July 2000**      **University of Arizona**  
**Pain Center**  
**Tucson, Arizona**  
 Consulted with physicians in evaluation and treatment of patients with chronic pain syndromes.
- January  
1999 to  
June 2001**      **OrthomEd, LLC**  
**DBA: ProActive Physical Therapy**  
**DBA: International Academy of Orthopedic Medicine-U.S.**  
**Tucson, Arizona**  
 Partner, Clinical Director: Supervised the clinical staff, worked with patients in an orthopedic and chronic pain out-patient population. Director/Instructor in seminars on nonoperative orthopedic medicine and manual therapy. Presented approved courses to physical therapists, physicians, occupational therapists and athletic trainers.  
 Clinical instructor for physical therapy students from Northern Arizona University and from Southwest Baptist University.
- July 2000  
To present**      **Advanced Physical Therapy, Inc.**  
**Anchorage, Wasilla, and Fairbanks Alaska**  
 Majority Owner, Practice Director: Lead and guide executive team of clinical and administrative directors for a staff of 34 individuals working in 3 sites. Treat patients in an orthopedic out-patient population. Clinical Mentor for IAOM-US Fellowship Program in nonoperative orthopedic medicine and manual therapy.

**EDUCATION**

- 1976 to 1979 **College of St. Benedict & St. John's University**  
**St. Joseph & Collegeville, Minnesota**  
Undergraduate study
- 1979 to 1981 **University of Minnesota**  
**Minneapolis, Minnesota**  
Bachelor of Science Degree in Physical Therapy
- 1989 **International Academy of Orthopaedic Medicine**  
**Glarus, Switzerland**  
Certification in orthopaedic medicine and manual therapy of the spine and extremities.
- 1993 **International Academy of Orthopaedic Medicine**  
**Schoten, Belgium**  
Certified instructor in the teaching and knowledge of the theory and practice of Orthopaedic Medicine based on the work of James Cyriax M.D., M.R.C.P., under the mentorship of Dos Winkel, physical therapist.
- 1994 **International Academy of Orthopaedic Medicine- Europe**  
**Goettingen, Germany**  
**( Verband fur Physikalische Therapie) Association for Physical Therapy,**  
**Stuttgart, Germany**  
Certified instructor in manual therapy of the spine and extremities.
- 2002**  
**to present** **Texas Tech University**  
**Lubbock, Texas**  
Doctor of Science program for Orthopedic Physical Therapy (will be graduating, ScD, in spring 2012)

**PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE**

- 1981-1994 State of Minnesota
- 1994-present State of Arizona #2905
- 2000-present State of Alaska #1255
- 2003 Board Certified Orthopedic Specialist, American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties (OCS)

**PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

- 1981 to Present American Physical Therapy Association  
Member of orthopedic medicine and private practice special sections.
- 1986-1989 Minneapolis Orthopedic Study Group
- 1988 to present International Academy of Orthopaedic Medicine US and EUR
- 2001 to present American Academy of Orthopedic Manual Therapists, Member  
October 2002 Fellow, American Academy of Orthopedic Manual Therapists (FAAOMPT)
- March 2002 to present Adjunct Faculty/Instructor  
ScD Program in Physical Therapy  
Texas Tech University Health Science Center, Lubbock TX  
School of Allied Health Sciences, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences

## **PROFESSIONAL AWARDS**

2002 Ball Dynamics Award for Excellence in a Published Case Study

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

Diagnosis and Treatment of the Spine, Nonoperative Orthopaedic Medicine and Manual Therapy. Dos Winkel, Geert Aufdemkampe, Omer Matthijs, Onno G. Meijer, **Valerie Phelps**; Gaithersburg, Maryland: Aspen, Publishers, 1996.

Diagnosis and Treatment of Upper Extremities: Nonoperative Orthopaedic Medicine and Manual Therapy. Dos Winkel, Omer Matthijs, and **Valerie Phelps**, Gaithersburg, Maryland: Aspen Publishers, 1997.

Diagnosis and Treatment of Lower Extremities: Nonoperative Orthopaedic Medicine and Manual Therapy. Dos Winkel, Omer Matthijs, and **Valerie Phelps**, Gaithersburg, Maryland: Aspen Publishers, 1997.

Stabilization and Functional Exercise. Peter Burke, **Valerie Phelps**, Omer Matthijs  
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### **Book Chapter**

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### **Peer Reviewed Journal Articles**

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Sizer P, **Phelps V**, Brismée J. Diagnosis and Management of Cervicogenic Headache and Local Cervical Syndrome with Multiple Pain Generators. *Journal of Manual & Manipulative Therapy*, 2002; 10(3):136-152.

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Sizer P, **Phelps V**, Gilbert K. Diagnosis and Management of the painful shoulder. Part 2: Examination and management. *Pain Practice* 2003; 3:39-57.

Sizer P, **Phelps V**, James R, Matthijs O. Diagnosis and Management of the Painful Ankle/Foot. Part 1: Clinical Anatomy and Pathomechanics. *Pain Practice*, 2003; 3:238-262.

Sizer P, **Phelps V**, Dedrick G, James R, Matthijs O. Diagnosis and Management of the Painful Ankle/Foot. Part 2: Examination, Interpretation, and Management *Pain Practice*, 2003; 3:343-374.

Brismée JM, Sizer PS, **Phelps V**. Differential Diagnosis and Treatment of Chronic Neck and Upper Trapezius Pain and Upper Extremity Paresthesia: A Case Study Involving the Management of an Elevated First Rib and Uncovertebral Joint Dysfunction. *Journal of Manual & Manipulative Therapy*, 2004.

Sizer PS, Poorbaugh K, **Phelps V**. Whiplash Associated Disorders: Pathomechanics, Diagnosis, and Management. *Pain Practice*. 2004;4(3):249-266.

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Sizer P, **Phelps V**, Azevedo E, Hay A, Vaught M. Diagnosis and management of cervicogenic headache. *Pain Practice* 2005.

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Brismée JM, Gipson D, Ivie D, Lopez A, Matthijs O, Moore M, **Phelps V**, Sawyer S, Sizer P. Interrater Reliability of a Passive Physiological Intervertebral Motion Test in the Mid-Thoracic Spine. *Journal of Manipulative and Physiological Therapeutics*, 2006 June;29(5):368-73.

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Sizer P, **Phelps V**, Hay A, Azevedo E. Upper cervical disorders part II: Differential Diagnosis and Management. *MD Consult* 2004

Hay A, Azevedo E, **Phelps V**, Sizer P. Lower cervical disorders: Differential diagnosis and management. *MD Consult* 2003

Sizer P, **Phelps V**, Vaught M. Lower cervical disorders: Differential diagnosis and management. *MD Consult* 2003.

## CHERYL FELLENBERG

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### OBJECTIVE

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To apply for a position on the Board of Dental Examiners

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### SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

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- Thirty years experience in the dental field.
- Three years experience in medical records management.
- Thorough knowledge of medical terminology, anatomy and physiology.
- Excellent clerical skills, word processing, typing 60 wpm, spreadsheet applications, basic accounting skills.
- Exceptional organizational and customer service skills.

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### RELEVANT SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE

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#### Data Management

- Entered data on over 5000 primates pertaining to medical research and health status. Compiled statistical data for daily, weekly and monthly reports.
- Composed Federal accountability reports using charts on a quarterly, semi-annual and annual basis. Also conducted technical assistance and needs assessment for medical and dental records review for State of Alaska licensure requirements.

#### Teaching /Training/Organization

- Organized, compiled and created training and educational materials for college level coursework and professional educational seminars.
- Served as an adjunct instructor for dental hygiene courses; lecture, lab and clinical skills instruction.

#### Administrative and Technical Support

- Drafted correspondence, medical transcription.
- Bookkeeping; managed accounts receivable and payable, payroll and account management.
- Ordering of medical office supplies.
- Operation of computers; MAC, IBM; use of Excel and Word programs.

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**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**


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Donald McLean, DDS <i>Dental Hygienist</i>	Wasilla, Alaska	8/2002 to present
Brett Bass, DDS <i>Dental Hygienist</i>	Kodiak, Alaska	9/2000 to 5/2002
Providence Kodiak Medical Center <i>Admitting</i>	Kodiak, Alaska	9/2000 to 5/2002
Paul Biederman, DDS <i>Dental Hygienist</i>	Anchorage, Alaska	9/1983 to 9/1999
Indian Public Health Service <i>Private Contractor, Dental Support Personnel</i>	Anchorage, Alaska	9/1989 to 9/1999
University of Alaska, Anchorage <i>Adjunct instructor, Dental Program</i>	Anchorage, Alaska	9/1981 to 9/1999

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**SUMMARY OF OTHER EMPLOYMENT**


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Dental Hygienist from 1976 to 1981, Medical records supervisor at University of Washington 1970 to 1973, Bookkeeper/Secretary for Caterpillar Company, Libby Montana 1968 to 1969.

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**PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT**


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Alaska State Dental Hygienists Association 1991 to 1999. *Association Continuing Education committee member and Chairman of State Employment committee. Various other officer and committee member positions.* Victims for Justice 1987 to 1992 *Treasurer and Board member.* Anchorage Community College Dental Programs 1985 to 1987 *Advisory Board member.* Alaska State Dental Hygiene Association 1982 to 1986 *Treasurer.*

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**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**


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University of Alaska, Juneau, Alaska *Master of Science, Vocational Education Administration*  
 Carroll College, Helena Montana *Bachelor of Arts, Dental Hygiene*  
*CPR Training and Certificate, expiration November 2008.*  
*Current Dental Hygiene license.*

THOMAS J. KOVALESKI D.D.S.

LICENSURE: Alaska 1991-present  
Wisconsin 1978-present

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

October 1,1999- Present: Dental Director Alaska Native Medical Center/Southcentral Foundation

- Expand program to fifty chairs and one hundred sixty- five staff.
- Responsible for Statewide referrals for trauma,infections,and pediatric full mouth reconstruction.
- Manage an 17.5 million dollar budget.
- Implement accredited Pediatric Dental Residency for Alaska Staewide shortages
- Build twenty seven chair "state of the art" dental facility Fireweed Dental Clinic
- Remodel and equip a full time dental operating room for Statewide services.
- Enhance dental assistant training program to thirty six students per year.
- Develop efficiency models that remarkably increase production in all clinics.
- Service Center Medical Director in Hospital for Dental responsible for all credentials and quality - assurance of professional staff.
- Co-authored white paper with solutions related to Alaska's dental manpower.
- Establish agreement with U of Washington School of Dentistry and Univrersity of Alaska for externships in dentistry and hygiene
- Provide general dentistry in hospital and villages.
- Supervise field program to 23 villages
- Western Regional Board Examiner 2006-present
- Adjunct Faculty member University of Washington School of Dentistry 2005-present

December 31,1997-Oct 1,1999: Director of Staff Development Southcentral Foundation

- Help transition IHS Direct program to Tribal program.
- Facilitate operations of the new twenty-three chair clinic.

July 91-December 31,1997: Dental Director/ Chief Service Unit Complex Billet#02HG066 Alaska Native Medical Center O-6 Anchorage, Alaska

- Leader in building the new Alaska Native Medical Center 23 chair dental clinic.
- Leader in facilitating the move from the old hospital to the new.
- Supervise an staff of twelve dentists and twenty dental assistants.
- Supervise ADA accredited two year Advanced General Practice Residency Program(AGPR).

- Manage 3.5 million dollar dental budget and 250K contract care budget.
- Provide general dentistry for the Alaska Native Medical Center hospital dental clinic.
- Provide itinerant dental care to five villages in the Iliamna Area,1984-present.
- Team Leader in technical assistance and planning for the new ANMC dental clinic(1996).
- Design and implement an in house dental assisting training program for volunteers.
- Acting Alaska Area Dental Officer
- Evaluator Emeritus for Clinical Research Associates(CRA), Dr. Gordon Christensen  
1981-present

April 89-July 91: Director, IHS Advanced General Practice Residency  
Billet#02HG501 Alaska Native Medical Center  
O-6 Anchorage, Alaska

- Supervise three AGPR dentists, two IHS, and one funded by NHSC.
- Co-ordinate all rotations and objectives to maintain accreditation for the two year program by the American Dental Association.
- Provide general dentistry for the Alaska Native Medical Center hospital dental clinic.
- Village dentist for five isolated villages in Iliamna,Alaska area.
- Anchorage Service Unit Fluoridation Dental team leader
- Acting for Chief Anchorage Service Unit Dental Chief Complex
- U.S. Public Health Service Associate Recruiter, University of Minnesota.
- COSTEP Program recruiter and clinical supervisor.
- University of Alaska Dental Programs clinical instructor for hygiene clinic and development of ANMC and village rotations.
- Co-developed prevention public service announcement videos for Rural Alaska Television Network(RATNET).
- Author of Dental Chapter of The Community Health Aide/Practitioner Manual.

1/86-4/89 Director Dental Staff Development Alaska Area  
Billet# HGO3788 Anchorage, Alaska  
O-6

- Co-ordinate all training activities in the Alaska Area.
- Develop CHALLENGES course agenda and courses for "rookie" dentists in the Alaska 1986-89.
- General dentistry for three isolated villages and the ANMC hospital dental clinic.
- Plan, manage, and coordinate Alaska Area Dental Officer annual meetings.
- Host Indian Health Service Area Dental Officers meeting 1988.
- Teach "Dental Problems" portion of Community Health Aide Program(CHAP).

- Radiology training and certification for dental assistants
- 1/84-1/86 Advanced General Practice Resident (IHS)  
Billet# Alaska Native Medical Center (ANMC)  
O-4 Anchorage, Alaska
- Successfully completed all criteria accredited by the A.D.A.
  - Nitrous oxide grant funded and project completed.
  - Paper presented at "Information Technology in Community Health" conference in Victoria, British Columbia on "Computer Direct Entry of Oral Examination Data in Rural Alaska". 1986
  - Conducted quality assurance program reviews of Kodiak Native Association and Tanana Chiefs Native Association dental programs.
  - Planned, organized, and conducted the annual Alaska Area Dental Officers meeting.

7/78-1/84 Chief Service Unit Basic  
Billet # Lac Courte Oreilles/St. Croix  
O-4 Hayward, & Hertel, Wisconsin

- Provided comprehensive dental care to two P.L. 638 tribes 40 miles apart.
- Instituted fluoridated water supplies to five community systems.
- Provided community prevention on the 100,000 watt Public Radio station.
- Developed treatment based puppet show for pre-school children.
- Provided 65 days of dental care in Manua Islands, American Samoa while on annual leave. 1979/80.

6/77-10/77 COSTEP Alaska Native Medical Center  
O-1 Anchorage, Alaska

#### U.S. Public Health Service Duties

- Director of PHS wide residency program 1986-1991.
- Member IHS Dental national committees in Materials and Infection Control.
- Member IHS national supply and facility design committee.
- Associate Recruiter 1987-present.
- COSTEP recruiter and clinical supervisor.
- Publicity Chairman for the highly successful 25th Annual Commissioned Officer's (COA) meeting in Anchorage, Alaska in 1990.
- Alaska Area Training Co-ordinator (IHS wide) 1986-1991.
- Community Health Aide Program consultant (Alaska) 1986-present.

#### Awards: PHS

- Nominated Outstanding Service Medal 1993 (pending)
- Exceptional Capability Promotion to O-6 nomination 1993.
- IHS National Prevention Award 1991 PHS Citation

- Unit Citation 1991 Oral Health Status
- Unit Citation 1990 COA Meeting Publicity Chairman.
- Unit Citation 1990 Dental Fluoride Team leader.
- Achievement Medal 1988.
- Hazardous Duty Award 1986.

#### NON-PHS

- Nominated Alaska Federal Employee of the year 1991
- Eagle Award 1989-94 Combined Federal Campaign
- Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal 1970.
- National Defense Ribbon 1967.

#### Educational Experience

- Clinical Instructor University of Alaska Dental Programs 1986-1992
- Advanced General Practice Residency, Anchorage, Alaska 1984-1986
- University of Minnesota School of Dentistry 1974-1978. U.S. Public Health Service scholarship recipient 1977-78.
- University of Alaska Aviation School, Private Pilot, Single engine land/sea 1986.
- Hennepin Technical School, Biomedical Electronics 1973.
- Winona State University ,1971-72.
- U.S. Naval Aviation Electronics School, Memphis, Tennessee, 1967-68.

#### Professional Membership

- American Dental Association 1984-present.
- Commissioned Officers Association 1978-present.
- Alaska Airmens Association, 1986-present.
- Airplane Owners and Pilots Association,1986-present

#### Military

- United States Marine Corps 1967-1971, Meritorious Staff Sergeant(E-6).
- Qualified Crew Chief CH-53A Helicopter.
- Avionics training and expertise/attached HMX-1 Presidential Squadron 1970-71.
- Expert marksmanship M-14,M-1,.44,.38.
- Instructor CH-53A systems & .50 cal. machine gun 1970-71.
- Honorable Discharge 1973.

#### Interests

- Canoeing, worked as a guide for Charles L. Sommers Wilderness Canoe Base, Ely, Minnesota 1966-1972.
- Whitewater rafting and camping.
- Aviation, flying, and repairing aircraft.
- Native village culture, history, and lifestyles.

**Silveira, Paul**  
Board of Dental Examiners

Paul Silveira DMD

Education:

UAA Natural Sciences 1984-1988

Oregon Health Sciences University Portland OR 1988-1992 DMD awarded

Family:

Married 25 years 4 children

Public service:

Alaska Dental Society member since 1992 currently Member at Large

Valdez Rotary past president twice

Valdez Airmen's Assoc. Past president

Bayside Community Church; church council member 1998 to present

Mayor's hospital task force 2003

Valdez Fly-in Assoc committee member

Professional:

Private practice Valdez, AK 1995 to present

Associate 1992-1995 Anchorage, AK

## Curriculum Vitae

Robert E. Warren, DDS

Private Business: 1976-Present

Robert E. Warren, DDS, a professional corporation  
Dba Denali Dental Care

### 1. Education/Training

University of the Pacific, School of Dentistry	DDS	1969-1973
Womack Army Hospital, Fort Bragg (General Dental Residency)		1973-1974
Fort Richardson Dental Clinic (Post endodontist)		1974-1975
Fort Richardson Dental Clinic (Prosthodontic Mentorship)		1975-1976

### 2. Relevant Dental Board Experience/Appointments

Alaska Board of Dental Examiners 1984  
Appointed: Governor Sheffield

The Board restructured the clinical examination, insuring candidate anonymity and testing on procedures more relevant to current private clinical practice. The Board developed new regulations and procedures to process applications for licensure by credential. Warren appointed liaison between the State of Alaska and the American Association of Dental Examiners. In 1986-1988, Warren elected President by the Board. In 1987, Alaska invited to attend a Western Regional Examining Board exam and Board of Directors meeting at Loma Linda University. Warren attended the meeting and returned to convince the Alaska Board that joining a regional board would be in our best interest of the State. It would remove the burden of administering a clinical exam and put that function the hands of a professional third party that does nothing else but examine licensing candidates. With support from the State Legislature, Alaska became WREB's sixth member state in the spring of 1987. Warren was appointed to serve on the WREB Board of Directors.

Alaska Board of Dental Examiners (reappointment) 1988  
Appointed: Governor Cowper

From 1988-1992, Warren served a second term on the Board of Dental Examiners. Our Board members participated in giving multiple clinical examinations each year to dental and dental hygiene candidates for initial licensure. The exams were given at dental schools in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, and Omaha,

giving a much larger candidate pool an opportunity to take and pass the exam and become eligible for licensure in Alaska. With WREB now handling the clinical examination process, the Board was more able to focus its meeting time on its regulatory and disciplinary functions. The Board also continued its work to clarify its policies and regulations on licensure by credentials.

President of Western Regional Examining Board (WREB) 1989-1990

WREB expanded its membership to ten states: Oregon, Washington, Texas and Oklahoma became new members. These states joined Utah, Idaho, Montana, Arizona, New Mexico, and Alaska.

American Dental Association-Council on Dental Education and  
Commission on Dental Accreditation 1990-1994

Appointed: Am Association of Dental Examiners

The Commission accredits all U.S. dental schools, all dental hygiene programs, all dental graduate programs, and all dental assistant and dental laboratory technician training programs. The Commission writes the education curriculum standards for each discipline and conducts periodic institution site visits to award initial and continued accreditation. Recognized by the U.S. Department of Education as the official and only accrediting body. Warren chaired Committee C (dental hygiene). In second year, Warren chaired Committee D (dental laboratory technology). During his third and fourth year on the Commission, Warren served and chaired Committee A (dental school accreditation). Education and curriculum standards for each discipline were revised and rewritten. The commission also processed four applications of recognition for new specialty areas in dentistry.

Vice-Chairman-ADA Commission on Dental Accreditation 1991-1992

Third Vice-President-Am. Association of Dental Examiners 1993-1994

Alaska is required by statute to be a member of the AADE. All fifty States and U.S. possessions are members. Acts as a forum for regional and individual state boards to exchange ideas and procedures. Have two national meetings per year where formal programs are presented on a variety of current issues and topics.

Second Vice-President-Am. Association of Dental Examiners 1994-1995

First Vice-President-Am. Association of Dental Examiners 1995-1996

President-Elect-Am. Association of Dental Examiners 1996-1997

President of American Association of Dental Examiners 1997-1998

ADA national conferences on Dental Licensure 1998-1999

Appointed: by AADE

Met three times and developed the "Agenda For Change" in Chicago. The "Agenda" concentrated on standardizing the entry-level examination process for dentists on a national level. Developing calibration and examination guidelines for all regional and state testing agencies. Laying the ground work for recognition of multiple regional board examinations by licensing agencies.

Grading Examiner for WREB at various dental schools 1999-2010

### 3. Presentations/Papers

Lecturer and presenter at Western Conference of Dental Examiners  
And Dental School Deans-Denali National Park 1993  
Author and contributor to American Dental Association Publication  
"The Future of Dentistry" section on licensure 1999-2001

### 4. Awards

Omicron Kappa Upsilon (OKU)-Dental School Honors Society 1973  
United States Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service  
In U.S. Army Dental Corps-Ft. Richardson 1976  
Fellow of the International College of Dentists (FICD) 1991  
"President's Award"-Alaska Dental Society for "Outstanding  
Service to Dentistry in Alaska" 1998  
"Honorary Life Membership"-American Association of Dental  
Examiners 1999

### 5. Professional Affiliations

Anchorage Dental Society 1976-Present  
Alaska Dental Society 1976-Present  
American Dental Association 1973-Present  
American Association of Dental Examiners 1985-Life  
Crown Council 1998-Present  
American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry 2000-Present  
Dental Organization for Conscious Sedation 2000-Present

### 6. Community Service/Charitable Activities

"Doctors with a Heart" 1987  
Provided dentistry at no charge for those in need that could not afford dental  
treatment.  
Anchorage Opera "Board of Directors" 1997-Present  
"Smiles for Life Campaign" of the Crown Council-In partnership  
with Garth Brooks' "Touch'em All Foundation has raised  
over \$14 million for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital  
in Memphis and numerous other children's charities 1998-Present  
911 Harvest Fair-Together with Dr. Josh Wright, or offices raised  
\$10,000 for American Red Cross to help the families of  
victims of the September 11, 2001 tragedies October 2001

**LEON T. WEBBER, D.Mn., LMFT**  
Alaska Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist # 53  
Alaska Licensed Approved Supervisor

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

- Public Schools of Portland Maine
- 1964 B.A. in Psychology, Augusta College, Sioux Falls, S.D.
- 1968 -1973 D.Mn. (Doctorate of Ministry)  
Meadville/Lombard Theological School  
(Affiliated with University of Chicago)
- 1970 - 1971 Alfred Alder Institute of Chicago
- 1968 – 1970 2 year Clinical Internship in Marital and Family Therapy  
Robert MacGregor, Ph.D., Supervisor
- 1967 – 1973 Graduate Studies, University of Chicago

**PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND**

- 1974–current Private Practice, Marriage and Family Therapy  
Training, Consultation, Supervision, Direct Service  
Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist  
Licensed Approved Supervisor  
(Note: LMFT Licensing became law in Alaska in 1993.  
Prior to 1993, Dr. Webber was a Clinical Member and  
Approved Supervisor in AAMFT.)  
Anchorage, Alaska
- 2007-current Marriage and Family Therapist in Integrated Care,  
Providence Hospital Cancer Center

Anchorage, Alaska

- 1995 –current Publisher, Intuitive Eye Press, Inc.
- 2004 –current Team Coordinator  
APS/ BP Alaska Critical Incident Stress Management Team
- 1994 – 2006 Clinical Director, Adult Attention Deficit Disorder Clinic, Anchorage, Alaska.
- 1992 – current Co-Director/Senior Trainer  
International Institute for the Communication Arts
- 1995 – 2002 Family Therapy Consultant, Kenaitze Indian Tribe,  
Nakenu Family Therapy Center, Kenai, Alaska
- 1993 – 2000 Family Therapy Consultant & Supervisor  
Central Peninsula Mental Health Center, Kenai, Alaska
- 1989 – 1992 Manager/Clinical Supervisor  
Family Therapy Department, Charter North Hospital,  
Anchorage, Alaska
- 1989 – 1990 Family Therapy Consultant/Supervisor  
Fahrenkamp Center, Fairbanks, Alaska  
State of Alaska, Department Health and Social Services  
Division of Mental Health & Development Disabilities
- 1974 -1990 Director, Family Institute of Alaska and  
The Center for Family Studies  
(A non-profit corporation established in 1974 to provide  
training, education, consultation and research in marital  
and family therapy)
- 1986 – 1987 Director  
The Diabetic Retinopathy Program  
(A community based program for diabetic retinopathy)

- patients and their families.)
- 1985 – 1990      Faculty Member  
Hawaii Family Institute  
Maui, Hawaii
- 1976 – 1978      Director of Family Therapy  
The Alaska Clinic  
Department of Psychiatry and Family Therapy  
Anchorage, Alaska
- 1970 – 1974      Founder and Executive Director  
The Depot: Team Family Method Program  
Chicago, Illinois
- 1970 – 1972      Family Therapy Training Consultant  
Illinois Department of Mental Health  
MacFarland Zone Center, Springfield, Illinois  
Chicago State Hospital, Chicago Illinois  
Elgin State Hospital, Elgin, Illinois
- 1968 – 1969      Intern/ Principal Assistant to  
Robert MacGregor, Ph.D.  
Chief Family Studies  
Illinois Department of Health  
Chicago, Illinois
- 1968 – 1969      Youth Minister  
First Unitarian Church of Chicago  
Chicago, Illinois
- 1966 – 1967      Student Minister  
Cornish Federated Church  
Cornish, Maine

- 1965 – 1966      Director  
 United Presbyterian Camp and Conference Center  
 Wilmont, New Hampshire
- 1962 – 1963      Assistant Director  
 Camp Norge: Norwegian Community Services Welfare  
 Camp, New City, New York

**COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY LEVEL TEACHING**  
**Past and Current**

- 1976 – 2011      Supervisor, Family Therapy Practicum  
 Graduate School of Psychology,  
 University of Alaska, Anchorage
- 1974 -              Guest Lecturer, Department of Nursing  
 and Behavioral Science
- Guest Lecturer, Graduate School of Psychology  
 University of Alaska Anchorage
- Guest Lecturer, Graduate School of Psychology,  
 Alaska Pacific University, Anchorage
- 1985 – 1999      Annual Guest Lecturer  
 Philosophy Department  
 University of Hawaii
- 1974 – 1975      Visiting lecturer at Alaska Methodist University
- 1973 – 1974      Adjunct Faculty Member  
 Meadville/Lombard Theological School
- 1973 – 1974      Visiting lecturer  
 Kennedy King College  
 Malcolm X College  
 University of Illinois College of Nursing

Harper College

1972 – 1974

Family Therapy Field Supervisor  
University of Illinois College of Nursing,  
Kennedy King College

## **CONTINUING EDUCATION**

Complete list available on request.

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

Certified Emergency Service Specialist and Industry and Workplace Specialist, International Critical Incident Stress Foundation, Inc., 2007

EMDR Training, Level One and Level Two training. Barbara Parrett, R.N., Francine Shapiro, Ph.D., 1997, 1998.

Diplomate and Certified Trauma Specialist. American Academy of Experts in Post-Traumatic Stress, 2006.

## **CRISIS DEBRIEFING**

Dr. Webber coordinates and manages confidential Critical Incident Response services for small and large businesses and agencies in Alaska.

## **PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANCIES AND TRAINING**

United States Court: Ninth Judicial Circuit

Central Peninsula Counseling Services

Kenai Department of Family and Youth Services

Co-Chief Clinical Consultant, Exxon Valdez Plaintiff Team

Anchorage Girl Scout Council: Community Crisis Intervention for Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Response in Valdez, Cordova, 1989

Han Ma Um Center: An Yang City, Republic of Korea

Alaska Men's Support Network

Department of the Air Force, Elmendorf Hospital, Department of Psychiatry

Anchorage Council on Drug Aid, Anchorage, Alaska

Narcotic Drug Treatment Center, Anchorage, Alaska

GAAB Alcoholism Program, Anchorage, Alaska

Atlantic Richfield Company, Contemporary Consumer Issues

Governor's Council on Child Abuse, Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska Youth Advocates, Anchorage, Alaska

Juvenile Probation Office, Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska Conference of Methodist Ministers

Providence Hospital: "Family Intervention in Hospital Settings",  
nine month training program for hospital staff.

National Education Association (Alaska)/University of Alaska,  
Rural Education: Consultant and trainer for teachers in Anchorage,  
Matanuska-Susitna Valley, Pribilof Islands, Copper River, Adak, Kenai,  
Valdez, and Chugach.

Catholic Diocese of Anchorage

Anchorage Police Department

United States Department of Adult Probation and Parole, Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska Native Hospital Psychiatric Unit, Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska Division of Social Services, Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska Children's Services, Long and Short House, Anchorage, Alaska

State of Hawaii, Maui Community Mental Health Center

Anchorage Community College Conference on Families and Work

Alaska Council on Prevention of Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Anchorage Mental Health Association, Board Member and Secretary

Alaska Mental Health Association, Board Member

**Chicago, Illinois 1968-1974**

National Training Center on Drug Abuse, Chicago, Illinois

Illinois Board of Education, Chicago, Illinois

Cook County Sheriff's Department, Chicago, Illinois

Chicago Police Department, Chicago, Illinois

Illinois Academy of Criminology

Illinois Department of Corrections, Chicago, Illinois

Illinois Department of Family and Children's Services, Chicago, Illinois

Chicago Board of Health, Chicago, Illinois

Youth-Family Multi-Service Community Center, Chicago, Illinois  
Past President and Board Member

## **CURRENT AND PAST ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS**

Six States Judges Conference 1980, Chairperson

Statewide Symposium on Family Psychotherapy,  
Chairperson 1975, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983

Continuing Education in Mental Health for Alaska, Steering Committee

Chairman, Professional Advisory Board for  
Alaska Court Status Offender LEAA Grant.

Youth and Family Multi-Service Community Center, Chicago, Illinois  
Past President and Board Member

Anchorage Council on Drug Aid, Past Chairperson of Board

Family Connection Agency

SPD Steering Committee Task Force on Deinstitutionalization, Chairperson

Family Life Committee, YMCA

Anchorage Rotary, Chairperson, Committee for Disabilities and Special  
Needs, 2003-2004.

## **MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

Past Memberships: Focusing Institute, World Federation for Mental Health,  
Illinois Group Psychotherapy Society, American Academy of Religion and  
Science, Illinois Academy of Criminology, American Association for the  
Advancement of Science

Team Family Methods Association, Past President and Board Member

American Family Therapy Association, Charter Member

American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Clinical Member  
and Approved Supervisor

Alaska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Past President.  
Board Member

International Group Therapy Association, and American Group  
Psychotherapy Association, Member.

Anchorage Downtown Rotary

General Semantics Institute

International Critical Incident Stress Management Foundation, Inc.

American Academy of Experts In Traumatic Stress

## **PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS**

**(Additional presentations available on request.)**

International Focusing Network: Yearly Training Workshops and retreats in  
Germany and Switzerland, 1983-1989, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Alaska Methodist Conference: Facilitator of Annual Retreats for Ministers  
and their spouses, 1987, 1989.

Ninth Circuit Court, Communication Seminar on Interactive Focusing for  
judges, staff and attorneys, 1992, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Integral Communication™, Speakeasy®, Focusing and Interactive Focusing.  
Training Groups for Health Care Professionals. Anchorage, Alaska, 1992-  
present, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Interactive Focusing and Integral Communication. Full day communication  
skills training for entire Family Advocacy Staff of United States Air Forces  
(South Seas), Anchorage, Alaska, 1992, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

"Interactive Focusing and Multiple Impact Therapy." One day training for staff of Philadelphia Child Guidance Center, Philadelphia, 1993, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Interactive Focusing Training. Focusing Zentrum, Three day trainings for mental health professionals, Karlsruhe, German, 1995-1998, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

"Communication issues for Couples with Adult Attention Deficit Disorder." Adult Attention Deficit Disorder Conferences, San Diego, California, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 1996-1998, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

"Handling Grief and Loss: Designed for the Clinician – Weekend Intensive", 1997, Friends for Continuing Medical Education, Anchorage, Alaska, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Institute for Integral Development: Training Institute on Addictions. Integral Communication™ and Speakeasy®. Santa Fe, New Mexico, 1999; Clearwater Beach, Florida, 2000; Colorado Springs, Colorado, 2000, Seattle, Washington, 2001, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

International Focusing Konferenz, Karlsruhe, Germany, 2000. Integral Communication™ and Speakeasy®. Opened conference with Speakeasy® Game, presented two workshops, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Integral Communication™/Speakeasy® Couples Retreat (5 days), Gresgen, Germany. Annual event, 1990-2000, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Communication in the Workplace The Libby Group. LLC, Anchorage, Alaska, presentations 1990-2000.

Integral Communication™/Speakeasy® Couples Retreat (5 days), LeHohwald, France. Annual event, 2002, 2003, ongoing, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

"Ethics in Rural Psychology." Homer Community Mental Health Center, Homer, Alaska, 2002. Full day workshop for all staff members, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

“Ethical Issues in Rural and Small Urban Settings.” Alaska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Anchorage, Alaska, 2002. Full day presentation, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

“Supervision of Marriage and Family Therapists: Models and Ethics.” Half day seminar for Alaska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Approved Supervisors, Anchorage, Alaska, 2002, with Linda Webber, Ph.D., LMFT.

Communication Training, Ethics, Couple and Family Issues. Alaska Pacific University graduate classes, Anchorage, Alaska, yearly presentations. 1998-ongoing.

Stress Management, Critical Incident Management/Debriefing. BP Alaska, Anchorage, Alaska, 2007-ongoing, as requested.

**JOINT CONFERENCE PRESENTATION EXPERIENCE:**

Summary: 30 years experience presenting individually and with Linda Webber, Ph.D., at state, national and international conferences

Ninth Circuit Court, Communication Seminar on Interactive Focusing for judges, staff and attorneys, Anchorage, Alaska, 1992.

Integral Communication™, Speakeasy®, Focusing and Interactive Focusing. Training Groups for Health Care Professionals. Anchorage, Alaska, 1992-present.

"Interactive Focusing and Multiple Impact Therapy." One day training for staff of Philadelphia Child Guidance Center, Philadelphia, 1993.

Interactive Focusing Training. Focusing Zentrum, Three day trainings for mental health professionals, Karlsruhe, German, 1995-1997.

"Communication issues for couples with Adult Attention Deficit Disorder." Adult Attention Deficit Disorder Conferences, San Diego, California, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 1996-1998.

"Handling Grief and Loss: Designed for the Clinician – Weekend Intensive". Friends for Continuing Medical Education, Anchorage, Alaska, 1997.

Institute for Integral Development: Training Institute on Addictions. Integral Communication™ and Speakeasy®. Two (2) two hour workshops at each conference. Santa Fe, New Mexico, 1999; Clearwater Beach, Florida, 2000; Colorado Springs, Colorado, 2000, Seattle, Washington, 2001.

International Focusing Konferenz, Karlsruhe, Germany, Integral Communication™ and Speakeasy®. Opened conference with Speakeasy® Game, presented two workshops, 2000.

Integral Communication™/Speakeasy® Couples Retreat (5 days), Gresgen, Germany. Annual event, 1990-2000.

Integral Communication™/Speakeasy® Couples Retreat (5 days), LeHohwald, France. Annual event, 2002, 2003, ongoing.

"Ethics in Rural Psychology." Full day workshop for all staff members. Homer Community Mental Health Center, Homer, Alaska, 2002.

"Ethics in Rural and Small Urban Settings." Full day presentation for Alaska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Anchorage, Alaska, 2002.

"Supervision of Marriage and Family Therapists: Models and Ethics." Half day seminar for Alaska Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Approved Supervisors, Anchorage, Alaska, 2002.

JoAnn Young RN CCM

### QUALIFICATIONS

Registered Nurse with more than 25 years nursing experience, working med/surgical as floor/charge nurse, and urgent care clinic. Team player dedicated to quality, continuous improvement and bottom line objectives utilizing resourcefulness and problem solving skills with clinical knowledge. Knowledgeable in writing/revising policies and procedures.

### CREDENTIALS

RN ALASKA #26688  
MANAGER  
RN ARIZONA #RNO49666

### CERTIFICATIONS

CERTIFIED CASE

### EDUCATION

Associate Degree in Nursing, Iowa Central Community College  
Storm Lake, Iowa 1999-1982

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Case Manager, Premera Blue Cross Blue Shield, Anchorage, AK 4/2007-Present  
Member advocate, assisting member with services within benefit guidelines.

Clinic Nurse, Bagdad Community Health Center, Bagdad, AZ 6/1998  
-3/2007  
Wrote nursing procedures, performed hearing and pulmonary tests, ordered medical supplies.

Staff Nurse, Boswell Hospital Sun City, AZ 1/2000  
-5/2000  
Assisted in pre-op and post-op patient, helped train new graduates.

Staff Nurse, Wickenburg Extended Care Unit, Wickenburg, AZ  
1/1999-9/1999  
Responsible for six to fifteen patients on the Medicare wing  
Qualified as a patient advocate in the absence of a social worker.

Staff/charge nurse, Yavapai Regional Medical Center, Prescott, AZ 6/1988-  
5/1998

Revised nursing policies and procedures as a member of the Policy/Procedure Committee.

Assisted in emergencies as a Trauma or Code Blue team member.

Responsible for glucose monitoring quality control for a medical surgical floor.

Relief Nurse, Nurse's Central Registry, Phoenix, AZ

5/1986-6/1988

Qualified as a staff relief nurse for various hospitals throughout the Phoenix area.

Provided private duty nursing in the hospital, home care for the terminally ill.

Staff/charge nurse, Phoenix General Hospital-

11/1984-5/1986

Organized and facilitated weekly ward conferences to discuss new procedures, policies, and concerns.

Staff/charge nurse, Whiteriver Indian Hospital, White River, AZ

11/1982-11/1984

Organized /prioritized patient care for up to 25 patients.

Staff nurse, St. Joseph's Hospital and Medical Center-

7/1982 -

11/1982

Assisted in patient care on the oncology floor being responsible for five to six patients.

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Case Management Society of America

AK Chapter Case Management Society of America

**Mike Barton**

*Relevant Experience*

**Executive- The Rise Group (08/07- present)**

Responsible for developing and maintaining relationships with public and private entities that utilize construction management services. Primary focus is the Alaska Natural Gas Pipeline as well as Federal construction activities. Position became half-time in 2009 because of the national economic situation.

**Commissioner of Transportation and Public Facilities - State of Alaska (7/94-12/94; 12/02-12/06)**

Provide executive leadership and direction for 3500 employees located throughout Alaska with a \$450 million annual operating budget and a capital construction program of a billion dollars per year. Responsible for determining and accomplishing objectives including budgeting and allocation of resources. Activities included construction and/or maintenance of over 6000 miles of state roads; operation of the eleven ships of the Alaska Marine Highway serving 33 ports of call and 3300 miles of routes; operation of Anchorage and Fairbanks International Airports; operation of 259 other airports throughout Alaska; maintenance of over 600 public buildings throughout Alaska. Served on the Boards of the Alaska Railroad, the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority, and the Alaska Energy Authority. Extensive dealings with members of the state legislature and staff, members of Congress and staff, federal agency officials, local officials, other state agencies, the public, special interest groups, and the media. Experience in legal matters including litigation and labor relations.

**Chairman of the Board- Juneau International Airport (8/95-12/02)**

Served as the first Board chairman. Worked with the City Assembly, other Board members, staff, tenants and airport users to coordinate the development of policies for the operation of the airport. Provided direction for the airport manager to ensure policies of the City Assembly and the Board were implemented and that the airport was operated in a safe, secure and cost-effective manner. Extensive dealings with airport tenants including airline representatives, local officials, FAA and the Transportation Security Administration. Non-paid position.

**Regional Forester - US Forest Service (8/84-4/94)**

Served as one of the nine Regional Foresters in the Forest Service. Provided executive leadership for 1000 employee organization with annual budgets ranging from \$70-120 million. Established and accomplished objectives that contributed to hundreds of private sector jobs. Included was the production of commodity outputs from the national forests in Alaska such as timber, fish, subsistence wildlife, and minerals as well as non-commodity outputs such as wilderness, recreation use, and aesthetics. Responsible for all support activities to accomplish objectives including budgeting and allocation of resources, procurement, road construction, wildfire prevention and suppression, aircraft and boat operations, computer operations, labor relations, equal employment opportunity and affirmative action programs, employee safety programs, law enforcement, and other administrative activities. Represented Secretary of Agriculture on the five member federal Subsistence Board. Served as Dept. of Agriculture trustee on the six member Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council which oversees the expenditure of the billion dollar Exxon settlement for the restoration of the spill impacted area. Extensive dealings, including Congressional testimony, with national and state legislators and staff, other federal, state, and local officials, the public, special interest groups, the media, users and permittees of the National Forests, and private landowners. Experience in legal matters including litigation. Served as lead negotiator with agency sign-off authority in the negotiation of national union contract for the Forest Service with 20,000 member employee union.

### *Skills*

- executive leadership
- program development and administration
- budgeting and allocation of resources
- dealing with government processes and officials
- dealing with the legal system
- public involvement and public relations including the news media
- negotiations

### *Awards*

- US Dept of Agriculture Superior Service Award, 1969- "Extraordinary action in the preservation of water quality in wilderness"
- US Dept of Agriculture Superior Service Award, 1989- "Efforts to improve the Forest Service national fisheries program"
- Numerous performance bonus awards

### *Community Service*

- Juneau International Airport Board, elected chair 1995-2002
- Gastineau Channel Little League Board; elected Treasurer twice, President twice
- Rotary
- Golden North Salmon Derby Co-chair, 5 years
- Mayor's Task Force on the Diamond Park Aquatic Center 2008-present
- Other individual projects

### *Education*

- Bachelor of Science, University of Michigan, 1961
- Master of Forestry, University of Michigan, 1965

### *Military*

- Officer, US Army, 1961-1963

### EXPERIENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- ▣ Thirty-two years experience in government service, 30 in Alaska.
- ▣ Twenty-five years experience developing, analyzing and executing state government agency operating and capital budgets providing health and social services to Alaskans.
- ▣ Twenty-five years experience representing executive agencies in all aspects of state legislative processes including: policy development and drafting of legislation, analyzing program and fiscal impact of proposed legislation, testifying in legislative hearings, preparing and presenting formal position papers and other informational materials, informal work with legislators and staff.
- ▣ Twenty years experience managing and directing state agencies and statewide service systems providing behavioral health, public health, child and adult protection, juvenile justice, developmental disabilities, and senior services.
- ▣ Twenty-five years experience managing and implementing statewide and community-specific planning efforts involving state public health, child protection, juvenile justice, behavioral health, developmental disabilities, and senior program services.
- ▣ Twenty-five years experience designing, writing, awarding, and managing grant programs and contract services provided by local government agencies, tribes, community non-profit organizations, private citizens, and for-profit organizations.
- ▣ Twenty-five years experience managing development and implementation of capital projects.
- ▣ Twenty-five years experience managing and performing program and fiscal analysis of statewide health and social service programs - translating service objectives into resource requirements, forecasting outcomes, preparing and presenting analysis.
- ▣ Twenty-five years experience developing and implementing quality control processes, analyzing program functioning, measuring outcomes, developing and projecting impacts of alternative action plans and implementing necessary improvements.
- ▣ Twenty years experience managing design, development, implementation, and operation of information systems including one of the first microcomputer-based management information systems and one of the first web-based systems in Alaska state government.
- ▣ Managed combined program planning efforts and capital project planning for replacement of Alaska Psychiatric Institute (Anchorage) and facilitated new facility providing integrated behavioral health treatment (Fairbanks) involving state and local government agencies, the Trust, non-profit and tribal organizations, and Trust beneficiaries.
- ▣ Faculty member National Judicial College teaching mental health system structure and financing to judges from throughout the nation.

**EDUCATION**

B.S. Psychology, 1972 - University of Tulsa  
Tulsa, Oklahoma.

**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

Private Consultant	Anchorage, Alaska	Jul 2005 – May 2007
Program Officer	Alaska, Mental Health Trust Authority Anchorage, Alaska	Dec 2002 – Jul 2005
Deputy Commissioner	Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Jan 1997 – Dec 2002
Deputy Director	Division of Public Health, Department of Health and Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Mar 1994 – Jan 1997
Health Planner	Division of Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Nov 1991 – Mar 1994
Health Planner	Division of Public Health, Department of Health and Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Mar 1991 – Nov 1991
Director	Division of Family & Youth Services Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Dec 1989 – Mar 1991
Deputy Director	Division of Family & Youth Services Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Aug 1988 – Aug 1989
Social Services Program Coordinator	Division of Family & Youth Services Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Apr 1984 – Aug 1988

**Russell E. Webb**

Social Worker IV	Division of Family & Youth Services Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Feb 1981 – Apr 1984
Probation Officer II	Division of Corrections Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Mar 1977 – Feb 1981
Social Worker II/III	Division of Social Services Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Nov 1975 – Mar 1977
Juvenile Probation Officer	Department of Institutions, Social, & Rehabilitative Services Tulsa, Oklahoma	Oct 1973 – Jul 1975

**REFERENCES**

Available on request.



Peggy Downing, MD,  
FACOG

Board-Certified, American Board of  
Obstetrics and Gynecology

Fellow: American College of Obstetricians  
and Gynecologists

MD: University of Texas Medical Branch,  
Galveston, TX

Ellen Faulstich, DO,  
FACOG

Board-Certified: American Osteopathic  
Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Fellow: American College of Osteopathic  
Obstetricians and Gynecologists

DO: College of Osteopathic Medicine and  
Surgery, Des Moines, IA

#### Complete well-woman care.

- Annual exams & Pap smears
- Colposcopy
- Contraception
- 3D & 4D ultrasound
- Care for heavy bleeding  
dyspareunia
- Menopausal care
- Diagnose & treatment of endometriosis

#### Dedicated obstetric care:

- Prenatal care
- Individualized birthing options
- Birthing at Mat-Su Regional Medical Center
- Low- & high-risk pregnancy care
- Diabetic pregnancy care
- Amniocentesis
- In-office stress testing
- Cesarean section
- Vaginal births after C-section
- Certified midwife care
- Infertility solutions

#### Surgical solutions:

- Tubal ligation
- Fibroid removal
- Incontinence correction, bladder repair
- Laparoscopy
- Pelvic or uterine prolapse correction
- Hysterectomy – vaginal, abdominal &  
laparoscopic
- Laser surgery with CO<sub>2</sub> laser

#### Comforts & conveniences:

- Summer & winter gowns in various sizes
- Warm blankets
- No stirrups
- Cold water, candy & snacks
- Individual appointments
- Insist on accepted & Med  
insurance available
- Milk Jugs in reception
- Educational books & tapes

Downing, Peggy  
Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives

Peggy A. Downing, M.D.

#### Education

OB/GYN Residency, University of Texas Medical School, 7-84 to  
7-87  
Internship, University of Texas Medical School, 7-87 to 7-84  
Medical School, University of Texas Medical School, 9-79 to 5-83  
BS Chemistry Magna Cum Laude, Southwestern University, 9-75 to  
5-79

#### Employment

1987 – 1988 Employed as Physician, Susan Lemagic, M.D. (private  
practice)

1988 – Current Physician/Practice Owner, Center For Women's  
Health Care (private practice)

#### Licenses

Texas, G4999 1983 – current  
Alaska 2234 1987- current

#### Board Certification

ACOG 12-7-90 to 4-30-2008  
FACOG 9-30-91

#### Current Affiliations

Mat-Su Regional Medical Center/Valley Hospital, Palmer, AK –  
Active Staff since 1987  
Providence Hospital Anchorage, AK – Courtesy Staff since 1988  
Alaska Regional Hospital, Anchorage, AK – Courtesy Staff since  
1994  
University of Washington Seattle, WA – Clinical Instructor since  
1992

#### Advanced Coursework, Conferences and Seminars

American Board of Gynecology Recertification Exam, Medical  
Ethics and Professionalism, Neonatal Resuscitation, Clinical Quality  
Improvement, Maternal Fetal Medicine and Nursing, New Treatment  
for Type II Diabetics, Special Needs of Women Over 40, Conference  
on Women's Health Care, Premature Labor and Preeclampsia  
Management.  
Medical Staff Directory 12/03-12/04  
Maternal Child Health Section Chair 05/06-9/06

*Withdrew*

Allen, Jennifer  
Board of Nursing

**Jennifer "Robin" Allen**

**WORK EXPERIENCE:**

**09/2007 to  
Present**

**ALASKA REGIONAL HOSPITAL-HCA, Anchorage, Alaska  
ORTHO TECH/ LPN/ ER TECH responsible for all duties expected  
Emergency Department team member, including all previous duties,  
And Orthopedic duties hospital wide.**

07/2004 to  
9/2007

ALASKA REGIONAL HOSPITAL - HCA, Anchorage, Alaska.  
LPN/EMERGENCY ROOM TECHNICIAN responsible for all duties  
expected of Emergency Department team member, including phlebotomy,  
EKGs, triage assistance, and assisting RN's with tasks as requested.

12/2001 to  
04/2004

GULF COAST MEDICAL CENTER - HCA, Panama City, Florida.  
LPN - EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT STAFF NURSE responsible for  
all duties expected of Emergency Department team member, including  
dispensing of medication, ambulance patient receiving and triage,  
conscious sedation, and assist physicians with minor surgical procedures,  
including set-up.  
NURSE TECHNICIAN/GRADUATE NURSE - Orthopedic Floor from  
December 2001 through March 2002.

09/2000 to  
05/2001

CHEMICAL ADDICTIONS AND RECOVERY EFFORT, Panama  
City, Florida.  
MEDICAL SERVICES AID responsible for admitting, orientation, and  
monitoring of clients in Detox Unit, including taking and recording vital  
signs, intake & output, conducting group sessions, and assisting nurses as  
required.

07/1995 to  
12/1998

NORTH POLE OPTICAL, North Pole, Alaska.  
OPTICIAN responsible for all facets of Opticianry, including assessment  
of client eyewear needs, dispensing and fabrication of eyewear, office  
management, inventory control, purchasing, accounts payable/receivable,  
insurance billing, and display advertising.

02/1987 to  
07/1995

ROTHMEYER OPTICAL & SUNLAND OPTICAL, Fairbanks,  
Alaska.  
OPTICIAN/REGIONAL MANAGER responsible for management and  
maintenance of contract optical concessions on four major military  
installations in the State of Alaska.

**EDUCATION:**

- 2003 - 2004 GULF COAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE, Panama City, Florida.  
Pre-Requisites for RN Program.
- 12/2001 TOM P. HANEY TECHNICAL CENTER, Panama City, Florida.  
Practical Nurse graduate.
- 1971 - 1973 UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA, Anchorage, Alaska.  
Liberal Arts.
- 1970 - 1974 STATE OF ALASKA DISPENSING OPTICIAN APPRENTICESHIP  
PROGRAM, Anchorage, Alaska. Optician graduate.
- 1968 - 1971 WEST ANCHORAGE HIGH SCHOOL, Anchorage, Alaska.  
H.S. graduate.

**LICENSES & CERTIFICATES:**

- ◆ **Licensed Practical Nurse: Alaska No. 5894**
- ◆ **Licensed Practical Nurse: Florida No. PN5152810**
- ◆ **BLS**
- ◆ **ACLS**
- ◆ **IV Therapy**
- ◆ **Registered Orthopedic Technologist**

**VOLUNTEER WORK:**

Board Member for State of Alaska Dispensing Opticians Licensing Board, 1980's  
Executive Board Member of Opticians Association of Alaska. 1980's March of Dimes  
LPN of the year 2010. Member of Alaska Nurses Association.

**REFERENCES:**

Furnished upon request.

Beth Gartner Farnstrom, BSN, RN

Objective: A position on the Alaska Board of Nursing.

Employment:

1999 to present	Providence Alaska Medical Center, Anchorage, AK Staff RN and Charge Nurse in Post Anesthesia Care Unit
1985 to 1999	The Ohio State Medical Center, Columbus, OH Staff RN in Post Anesthesia Care Unit
1981 to 1985	The Ohio State Medical Center, Columbus, OH Assistant Head Nurse in Cardiovascular and Thoracic Unit
1980 to 1981	The Ohio State Medical Center, Columbus, OH Staff Nurse in Cardiovascular and Thoracic Unit

Professional Organizations:

1980 to present	American Nurses Association
1986 to present	American Society of Peri-Anesthesia Nurses (ASPAN) Member 1991 National Conference Committee Hostess 1998 National Convention
2000 to present	Northwest Component of ASPAN

Current License: Alaska RN License

Current Certification: CPR-BLS  
PALS  
ACLS

Awards and Recognitions: 1991 Recipient of the Ohio State Medical  
Center Clinical Excellence in Nursing Award  
1990-1991 President of Ohio Post Anesthesia  
Nurses Association

Education: Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Capital University, Columbus, OH  
December 1979

# Julie A. Gillette

## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Health Information Technology Specialist trained in health information functions such as content and format of records, retention and storage requirements, indexes and registries, and forms design. Special interest in quality systems as they apply to information technologies for data search and access. Familiar with laws and regulations addressing release of information and retention of records, as well as the legal and regulatory issues surrounding confidentiality of information. Detail-oriented with technical expertise yielding streamline operations to benefit patient care and regulatory compliance.

### HIT SKILL AREAS

- |                                 |                    |         |        |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------|--------|
| <b>Policy &amp; Regulations</b> | • HIPPA            | • CPT   | • ICD9 |
| <b>Medical Office</b>           | • Patient Accounts | • LYTEC | • EHRs |

## EDUCATION

A.A.S. Health Information Technology	DeVry University	June, 2008
A.A.S. Logistics	Community College of the Air Force	August, 2001
A.A.S. Electronic Systems	Community College of the Air Force	June, 1997

## EXPERIENCE

### HEALTH INFORMATION TECH (TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE)

- June 2008-February 2010 Medical Records Manager, Valley Neuroscience Center, Jeffrey Sponsler, MD.
- Primary duties: Proofreading reports, coordinating diagnostic testing, referrals to other specialties, and ensuring patient records were received from third parties as requested. Ensuring patients complete pre-diagnostic requirements for new patient visits. Tracking referrals and reports.
- Managed electronic records for over 2,800 patients, maintained continuity & consistency
- Streamlined referring physician program resulted in 25% reduction of pending referrals & overdue reports.
- Chosen by practicum director to compare EHRs to data in LYTEC for monitoring patients on seizure medications. Captured data on 132 patients' last appointments, diagnoses, and lab results.
- Developed an Excel sheet to capture a list of 375 potential Video Electroencephalogram candidates out of 2089 patients using epilepsy diagnostic codes.
- Coordinated contact with 900 doctors statewide in the clinic's first major marketing campaign.

### UNITED STATES AIRFORCE

**APRIL 1998 – APRIL 2006**

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|--|-------------------|-----------|
| • <b>Superintendent, Contingency Plans</b>           | Minot AFB, ND     | 2004-2006 |
| • <b>Chief, Logistics Plans</b>                      | Elmendorf AFB, AK | 2002-2004 |
| • <b>Superintendent, 3rd Wing Support Agreements</b> | Elmendorf AFB, AK | 2000-2002 |
| • <b>Unit Deployment Manager</b>                     | Elmendorf AFB, AK | 1998-2000 |

### LEADERSHIP/MANAGEMENT

- Innovative support agreement manager, developed a template that slashed reviews by 30 days and converted program from paper to electronic.
- Analyzed monthly deployment taskings and developed a program matching personnel exactly to positions reducing the error rate 80% in 120 days.
- Led, directed, and supervised one Non-Commissioned Officer and two airmen supporting Minot AFB installation logistics planning efforts. Orchestrated installation support and deployment of 3,712 personnel and 2,269 tons of cargo.
- Supervised the development and completion of the Base Support Plans for the Pacific Air Command and NORAD contingency taskings for two main bases, one air station, two forward operating locations, and 18 remote radar sites.

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# Julie A. Gillette

- Led two individuals in the management of a \$5 million support agreements program consisting of 87 interservice and intraservice support agreements, memorandums of agreement, and memorandums of understanding. Won Logistic Planner of the Year.
- Trained 117 unit deployment managers to meet demands of two major regional conflicts and rotations of ten Air Expeditionary Teams.

## COMMUNICATION

- Created user friendly data sheets for operational war plans reducing deployment planning time by 20%.
- Benchmarked as an Air Force instruction and training materials author; wrote local supplements and base training programs adopted command-wide.
- Wrote detailed performance evaluations for five Air Force personnel; leadership earned major command level awards for subordinates.

## TEAM BUILDING

- Motivated high-performance teams while cultivating productive relationships
- Led and supervised eleven personnel fostering a positive work environment producing consecutive outstanding quality inspection results

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

- July 2010-Present Home schooling a second grader enrolled in Raven Correspondence Course
- June 2010-Present-Weekly Church Bulletin Coordinator and Administrator
- August 2008-May 2010 Secretary for the church women's group serving 145 families in need. Performed administrative duties and assisted monthly with various church and community outreach programs.

## Curriculum Vita

**Name:** Erin Pringle, RN, MS Assistant Professor, UAA School of Nursing

### Education:

- 2008 Master of Nursing Education, University of Alaska, Anchorage.
- 2001 Master of Science, Exercise Physiology, University of Nebraska, Omaha, Nebraska  
Master's Thesis: The Relationship Between Running Performance and Lung Functions and Capacities
- 2001 Squadron Officer School, Air University  
A 6-week graduate level military course for Captains in the U.S. Air Force. Topics of study include military history, leadership, management, and military affairs
- 2003 Air Command & Staff College, Air University  
A 16-month graduate-level study for officers with the rank of Major in the U.S. military. Students have an option to obtain a Master's of Military Science through this program. Topics of study include advanced military history and leadership, war planning, and combat strategy
- 1994 Bachelor of Science, Nursing, University of Wyoming, Laramie Wyoming

### License:

Registered Nurse - State of Alaska

### Certifications:

Basic Life Support, current  
Neonatal Resuscitation, current  
Advanced Life Support, current  
Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics  
AWHONN Fetal Heart Monitoring Instructor  
Trauma Nurse Care Course

### Continuing Education

- InCITE (Interprofessional Collaboration for Integrative Technologies in Education) Annual Faculty Development Workshop, 2009
- Association of Women's Health, Obstetric & Neonatal Nurses Annual Convention, 2009
- Rebuilding Your Nursing Curriculum: Integrating the Evidence into Nursing Education, 2010
- Technology Fellows – Intensive Training, Univ of Alaska, Anchorage
- CAFÉ: Center for Advancing Faculty Excellence, University of Alaska, ongoing
- Neonatal Resuscitation Program
- Trauma Nursing Medical Effects of Ionizing Radiation, Omaha Nebraska
- Maternity Center Skills Day, Providence Hospital
- Executive Team Management Training Conference, Wright-Patterson AFB
- Mass Casualty Incident Management, Lincoln Nebraska
- Being An Effective Preceptor, Providence Hospital
- AWHONN Fetal Heart Monitoring Instructor Course, Elmendorf AFB
- Combat Medicine, Offutt AFB, Nebraska

### Professional Experience

## **Medical/Surgical Nursing, AK Regional Hospital, 2007 - present**

Currently working part-time in busy pre-operative unit averaging 40 surgeries/day. Previous med surg experience includes two years full-time floor nursing on medical surgical unit in 30-bed hospital. Provided pre and post-operative care to pediatrics and adults as well as long-term care for a variety of medical conditions. Also completed 6-month Air Force Internship in Medical/Surgical Nursing with rotations through the emergency room, surgery, and inpatient units.

## **Assistant Professor (UAA School of Nursing) 2004 - present**

### Courses Taught:

Sem/Year:	Course #:	Course Title:
Fall 04,05,06,07,08,09	NURS 220	Perinatal Nursing Course Coordinator
Fall 04,05,06,07,08,09	NURS 221	Adv. Parenteral Lab Course Coordinator
Fall 04,05,06,07,08,09	NURS 220L	OB Clinicals
Sp 05,06,07,08,09,10	NURS 220	Perinatal Nursing Course Coordinator (web-based course)
Sp 05,06,07,08,09,10	NURS 220L	OB Clinicals
Sp 07,08,09	NURS 295	Advanced Practicum in Nursing

## **Outreach Coordinator (UAA School of Nursing) 2008-present**

Work with the Chair, AAS Nursing Program, to coordinate the twelve site Outreach (distant) delivery of an NLNAC-accredited associate degree nursing program in Alaska. Responsible for mentoring/guiding outreach faculty in teaching & planning for local community student experiences. Duties include traveling to Outreach sites for the purpose of site evaluation, ensuring distant sites are assessed for essential resources used in course delivery, coordinating video/audio conference schedules, intensive clinical rotation schedules & instructional technology and instructional design initiatives for Outreach delivery.

## **Clinical Nurse, Obstetric/Gynecologic (Inpatient)**

Seven Years of full-time inpatient floor nursing in Labor & Delivery, Postpartum, Newborn Nursery, and High-risk Perinatal units. Facilities included small rural hospitals and high risk tertiary maternity centers. Functioned as charge nurse of 8-12 staff members per shift and in-house nursing night supervisor of 50-bed hospital. Have also functioned as a nurse preceptor orienting new nurses to inpatient OB nursing.

## **Traveling Nurse**

Worked three travel nurse assignments at busy Labor and Delivery units with 200+ deliveries per month. Able to function independently with very little orientation.

## **Obstetric/Gynecologic (Outpatient)**

One year full-time in busy OB/GYN clinic, seeing 300 patients per day. Duties included telephone triage for a variety of women's health situations, patient education, and assistance with minor procedures.

## **Childbirth Educator**

Director of Childbirth Education at Offutt Air Force Base Hospital. Duties included coordinating classes for 250 couples per year, education and scheduling childbirth instructors, teaching class, advertising, and ordering of supplies and materials.

## **Military**

Twelve years military service: 5 years active duty, 7 years reserve. Member of Air Force Reserve Nurse Corps, rank of Major, having completed extensive training in combat medicine and readiness, trauma, leadership, and deployment capability. Served as assistant Chief Nurse Executive of 50-member nursing flight. Duties included coordination of training for military medics and yearly performance evaluations for every nurse in the flight. Performed tour of duty at Prince Sultan Air Base, Saudi Arabia, in December of 2000, and Misawa Air Base, Japan in 2002. These were peacetime deployments in forward locations with varied duties including night shift supervisor of the inpatient medical facility.

### **College of Nursing Committees**

2004-current: AAS (Associate of Applied Science) Program Committee  
2004-current: AAS Curriculum Committee  
2004-current: SON (School of Nursing) Faculty Association  
2005-current: SON Scholarship Committee  
2008-current: SON Scholarship Committee, **Chair**  
2009: SON Dispute Resolution Committee, **Chair**  
2007-current: UAA Technology Fellows Selection Committee  
2007: UAA Search Committee: Associate Professor of Medical Lab Technology  
2007: UAA Advisory Committee for the Chancellor's Awards for Excellence

### **Professional Organizations/Professional Development**

AWHONN: Association for Women's Health, Obstetrical, and Newborn Nursing, current member  
UAA MENTORING: Participant in the SON formal mentoring program  
CAFÉ: Center for Advancing Faculty Excellence, Best Practices in Teaching & Learning  
ROA: Reserve Officer's Association  
OCF: Officer's Christian Fellowship  
Sigma Theta Tau, Honor Society for Nursing  
ANA: Alaska Nurses Association

### **Publications**

Pringle, E.M., Latin, R.W., & Berg, K. (2005). The relationship between 10 Km running performance and pulmonary function. *Journal of Exercise Physiology*, 8(5), 22-28.

### **Honors, Awards, Grants, Fellowships**

2005 University of Alaska Technology Fellowship: One of 12 faculty selected university-wide to participate in the first annual technology fellows training  
2009 – current: Alaska delegate to the WWAMI (Washington, Wyoming, Alaska, Montana, Idaho) Nursing Technology Collaborative

### **Service**

School of Nursing Mentorship Program: provides new nursing faculty with mentorship to the University

Air Force ROTC: Mentoring/Career Counseling – serve as a resource for cadets interested in a military nursing career

Health Fair: Member of the Alaska Health Fair Organization, regularly volunteering at local Health fairs

Church: Volunteer as medical officer for busy children's ministry of approximately 1000 kids/week

# Paul M. Barney, OD

## Curriculum Vitae

### Current Position

Specialty                      Optometric Physician, Medical Consultation

### Education

Optometry School	1980 to 1984	Doctor of Optometry Southern California College of Optometry Fullerton, California
Undergraduate	1976 to 1980	Bachelor of Science Degree North Dakota State University Fargo, North Dakota

### Clinical Experience

1990 to Present	Pacific Cataract and Laser Institute Chehalis, Washington and Anchorage, Alaska Staff Optometric Physician
1985 to 1990	Inland Eye Institute Colton, California Director of Contact Lenses and Optometric Services

### Professional Organizations

1980 to Present	American Optometric Association
1990 to Present	Washington Association of Optometric Physicians
1991 to Present	Adjunct Professor, Pacific University College of Optometry
1996 to Present	Board of Advisors, Canvasback Missions, Inc.
1999 to Present	Board of Directors, Canvasback Missions, Inc
1999 to Present	Alaska Optometric Association

### Professional Licenses

1985	California
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1990  
1999

Washington  
Alaska

### Interests

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Hiking, backpacking, mountain biking, rock and ice climbing,  
skiing, and photography.

### Personal

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Born in McVille, North Dakota

Devito, Lori  
Board of Pharmacy

## LORI A. DEVITO, RPH

Sr

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### OBJECTIVE

To be a leader and positive role model in the Profession of Pharmacy. To organize, direct, own and operate a home infusion pharmacy as well as maintain an ongoing liaison to the governing body, professional advisory committee and staff. To employ qualified skilled personnel and ensure staff is updated on education and evaluations. To implement an effective budgeting and accounting system which will allow for the pharmacy to operate in the most efficient and cost effective manner possible.

### QUALIFICATIONS

Registered Pharmacist for 24 years in Soldotna, Alaska  
Hospital and Retail Pharmacist -24 years  
Long Term Care Facility Pharmacy Consultant- 24 years  
Home Infusion Pharmacist Manager, President/CEO/Owner – 19 years  
Home Health Care Administrator, President/CEO/Owner-15 years  
Trained in I.V. Admixtures, Sterile Compounding, Home Health Care Fittings, Ostomy Supplies, TENS units, Oxygen Usage, Wound Care, Clinical / Retail Pharmacy, DME  
Prescription Compounding Certified  
In-service Teacher- Diabetic/Pharmacy  
In-service Teacher-Ambulatory IV equipment, Enteral Equipment  
CPR Certified  
Main Speaker at National Home Infusion Association  
Attended Several Home Health Care Educational Seminars regarding administration/Cost Reporting/Clinical Care  
Preceptor for Students of Pharmacy

### EDUCATION

1983-1986 Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy, University of Colorado-Boulder, Colorado  
1981-1983 Undergraduate Pharmacy, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado  
1986-1995 Small Business Administration, Kenai Peninsula Community College, Kenai, AK  
1981 High School Graduate, Kenai Central High School, Kenai, Ak

### AWARDS/OTHER INFORMATION

1993-Present	Member National Home Infusion Association
1996-Present	Member National Association of Home Care
1988-1995	Member National Association Retail Druggist's
1986-Present	Member Alaska Pharmaceutical Association
1992-1993	President Alaska Pharmaceutical Association
1991-1992	America Pharmacy Association Alaskan Delegate (Washington, D.C.)
1997-2003	APHA-Alaska Legislative Affairs Representative
1992	Pharmacy Leadership Award-AKPHA
1993	President's Award in Pharmacy-AKPHA
1995	Distinguished Young Pharmacist Award-AKPHA
1985	Bowden Pharmaceutical Scholarship-Recipient
1986	Member Alaska Home Care Association-Secretary
1988-1995	Member Peninsula Home Health Care-Board
1995-2005	Soroptimist Twin Cities Member
1997-1998	Soroptimist Twin Cities President
1998	Founder-Soroptimist Cancer Fund

### WORK HISTORY

1993-Present	Professional Home I.V., Inc. Owner/CEO/Pharmacy Manager
1996-Present	1 <sup>st</sup> Choice Home Health Care, Inc. Owner/CEO
1986-1996	Soldotna Professional Pharmacy-Retail Pharmacist
1991-1995	Central Peninsula General Hospital- Hospital Pharmacist
1984-1986	Soldotna Professional Pharmacy-Pharmacy Intern
1985-1986	Pharmacy Externships: Pharmacy Financial Management—Yuma, Colorado Hospital & Clinical Pharmacy- Shiprock, N.M. Chain/Retail Pharmacy-Denver, Colorado Nursing Home Pharmacy Consultant-Denver, Colorado
1979-1983	DeVito Co-Nook Lure Company-Partner in Manufacturing Business
1975-1984	Soldotna Drug Store-Pharmacy Tech, Inventory, etc.

### LICENSES

Pharmacist	Alaska	License #837
Pharmacist	Colorado	License #18657
Pharmacist	South Carolina	License #12854

**Dirk Thomas White**

**Professional Experience:**

White's Inc. dba White's 106 Lincoln Street Sitka, Alaska 99835  
Pharmacy, Harry Race Pharmacy  
Season's Card/Gift Shop

**Pharmacist & Corp. President**  
1985 to Present

**Awards:**

Alaskan Young Pharmacist of the Year	1987
Sitka Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year	1999
Willard B. Simmons Independent Pharmacist of the Year	2006
Bowl of Hygeia	2007
2010 Alumnus of the Year - South Dakota State University Pharmacy School	

**Community and Professional Service:**

- ◆ Phi Delta Chi Professional Fraternity-Theta Chapter  
V.P., Life member
- ◆ Rotary International  
Secretary of the Sitka Club
- ◆ Alaska Raptor Rehabilitation Center  
1985 to present, Original Board member,  
Board President-3 years, moved center to  
current site, conducted a national ED  
search, budget went from \$0 to  
over \$1 million in 12 years.
- ◆ St. Peter's by the Sea Episcopal Church  
Serving on the Vestry, Deanery, and as Stewardship  
Director
- ◆ KCAW-FM "Raven Radio" Community Public Radio  
On air host, fundraising, and program development
- ◆ Junior Achievement -Classroom Presenter
- ◆ Alaska Communications System-Local Advisory Board
- ◆ Baranof Barracudas Swim Club  
Board of Directors, Past President, USA Swimming  
Stroke and Turn Judge
- AmerisourceBergen West Region Advisory Board
- ◆ Alaska Pharmacists Association-member since 1985  
Board of Directors, Past President, Legislative Committee  
Co-Chair currently, and Past Committee Chairman
- Alaska State Board of Pharmacy Current Board Secretary
- ALPS Credit Union-Supervisory Committee
- NCPA

Steering Committees (Legislative, 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Payment and Home Health Care) Nominations Committee, Convention session moderator, Session Panel member/presenter, House of Delegates representing Alaska for the last 15 years or more, NCPA Foundation Fundraising committee.

- Retail Management Solutions  
Advisory Board

**Affiliations:** St. Peter's By the Sea Episcopal Church  
NCPA Since 1988  
PCCA Since 1986  
IACP Since inception  
APhA Since 1989  
AKPhA Since 1985  
AADE Since 1989  
Photo Marketing Assoc. International (PMA)  
National Ice Cream Retailers Assoc. (NICRA)  
Natural Products Assoc. (NPA) formerly NNFA  
Association of Natural Medicine Pharmacists (ANMP)  
American Botanical Council  
Phi Delta Chi  
Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts  
USA Swimming  
Ducks Unlimited  
NRA  
Alaska Tourism Industry Association (ATIA)  
Sitka Chamber of Commerce  
Sitka Convention and Visitors Bureau  
Alaska Diabetes Association

**Publications:** *Computer Talk*  
July 2003 pp.16-18  
*America's Pharmacist*  
February 2005 pp. 22-25  
*NCPA-Pfizer Digest*  
2005

**Education:** University of Mississippi Oxford, MS  
**APhA Apple Management Program** 1990  
South Dakota State University Brookings, SD  
**Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy** 1985  
University of Minnesota Morris, MN  
**Bachelor of Science in Biology** 1979

DeRuyter, John  
Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners

Curriculum Vitae  
John DeRuyter Psy D.

**Education**

Psy.D. Wheaton College, Graduated 2003 (final GPA 3.82)  
(Specialization: Clinical Psychology)  
M.A. in Clinical Psychology, Wheaton College, 2000  
B.A. in Psychology, University of Alaska Fairbanks, 1998,

**Licensing**

Psychologist, Alaska license #547, Effective 07/12/2005 Expires  
06/30/2006

**Research Interests**

Effective group interventions for blended families;  
Role of peer and parental support in adolescent attachment stability and  
friend selection;  
Factors that limit or enhance couple's participation in marital enrichment  
programs;

**Clinical Experience and Employment History**

Clinical Director/Psychologist, Hope Counseling Center, 03/2004 to  
present  
Counselor/Psychologist, Hope Counseling Center, 06/2003 to 03/2004  
Onsite Evaluator for the Sitka Tribe of Alaska Safe Start Program 2002 –  
2004  
Adjunct Professor University of Alaska Fairbanks 08/2002 to 07/2003  
Predoctoral Internship, Hope Counseling Center, 05/2002 to 05/2003  
Clinical Clerkship, Conley Outreach, 09/2001 – 05/2002  
Clinical Clerkship, Hope Counseling Center, 05/10/2002 - 08/03/2002  
Clinical Externship, Conley Outreach, 09/01/2000 - 05/05/2001  
Clinical Externship, American Indian Health Service, Chicago, 09/01/1999  
- 07/31/2000  
Group coordinator and night monitor, Life Givers residential treatment

program, Fairbanks Alaska, 1997 - 1998  
Part time pastoral counselor, Fairhill Community Church, Fairbanks  
Alaska, 09/15/94 - 07/26/98  
Owner, Flower Shop Downtown, Fairbanks Alaska 1995-1998  
Pilot and Director of Flight Operations, Alaska Central Express, Fairbanks  
Alaska, 1989-1996

#### **Professional Memberships**

Alaska Psychological Association 2004 - present  
National Association for Rural Mental Health 1999- present  
American Psychological Association 1998- present

#### **Research Experience**

Onsite Evaluator for the Sitka Tribe of Alaska Safe Start Program 2002 –  
2004

Efficacy study of blended family educational workshops to increase  
remarried couples marital satisfaction, Wheaton College, 2001 - 2003

Adolescent stress and peer group friend selection, University of Alaska  
Fairbanks, 1997-1998

#### **Teaching Experience**

Adjunct Professor University of Alaska Fairbanks 08/2002 to 07/2003  
Hope Counseling Center, Blended Family Workshop, 2001  
Conley Outreach Community Services, Community Care Team training,  
2001  
Wheaton College, Teaching Assistant, 1999 - present

#### **Administrative Experience**

Small business owner and manager of The Flower Shop Downtown,  
Fairbanks Alaska, 1992 - 1998

Director of Operations for Alaska Central Express, Fairbanks Alaska, 1989  
- 1998

#### **Academic/Professional Awards:**

1998, selected as "Student of the Year" by University of Alaska Fairbanks  
psychology faculty

**Conference Presentations:**

DeRuyter, J. (2000, August). *Training Mental Health Workers for Rural Practice*. Paper presented as part of a training symposium presented at the annual conference of the National Association for Rural Mental Health (NARMH), Portland Oregon.

Participated in a panel discussion concerning innovative training protocols for developing rural mental health professionals, annual conference of the National Association for Rural Mental Health, August 2000, Portland Oregon.

**Continuing Education and Training:**

Alaska Native Cross Cultural Studies and Substance Abuse Issues, Rural Providers Conference, June 7 -11, 2004 Seward Alaska. Rural Alaska Community Action Program Inc. 40 hours

Behavioral Health Conference, Providence Alaska Learning Institute, October 29, 2004. 7.2 hours

Imagery & Hypnosis, John Carpenter, PESI HealthCare April 8, 2005. 6.25 hours

Counseling Victims of Sexual Trauma, Jean Shinnors. Cross Country University, June 6, 2005. 6 hours.

Incorporating Spirituality into Psychological Treatment: Themes, Principles, and Interventions. Co-occurring Disorders Institute, October 14, 2005. 7 hours

Supporting Return: Options for Military and Their Families, Co-occurring Disorders institute. February 27 – 28, 2006, 11 hours.

Supervisory Relationships: Exploring the Human Element, CE-credit.com. June 14, 2008, 7 hours.

Psychopharmacology, PESI HealthCare, August 23, 2008. 6.25 hours

Legal Issues in Behavioral Health, MEDS-PDN, November 3, 2008. 6 hours.

Ethics in Healthcare, National Association of Social Workers, April 3, 2007. 3 hours

**References available upon request:**

## *Jennifer N. Syzdek*

Objective: To affect positive change in our world, through education, community involvement, and social justice.

### Work Experience

<u>Director of Operations</u>	Hearts & Hands Adult Day Care · Anchorage, AK	2009- present
	Program and policy development to meet SDS standards. Overseeing program operation and staffing.	
<u>Activity Director and Dispatcher</u>	Hearts & Hands Adult Day Care · Anchorage, AK	2008- 2009
	Scheduling and preparing activities for clients. Supervising, training and hiring direct service.	
<u>Activity Facilitator</u>	Hearts & Hands Adult Day Care · Anchorage, AK	summer 2008
	Planning and facilitating well-rounded activities for clients who are elderly or experiencing disabilities	
	Transporting clients on a daily basis and assisting with personal cares as needed	
<u>AmeriCorps VISTA member</u>	Southeast Alaska Independent Living · Ketchikan, AK	2007- 2008
	Developing a fundraising plan, recruiting volunteers, organizing and carrying out a fundraising event	
	Assisting with ORCA (Outdoor Recreation and Community Access) as needed	
<u>Live-in Caregiver</u>	Create-Ability, Inc · Madison, WI	2006- 2007
	Sought to provide care and recreation for a high quality of life for three men with disabilities	
	Oversaw and directed six part-time staff	
<u>Youth and Education Director</u>	St. Agnes Church · Walker, MN	2003- 2005
	Lead, instructed, and coordinated religious education and youth programs	
	Took the initiative to develop an adult education program and create a working web of active volunteers	
	Reformatted programs to meet the needs of students and to provide enjoyable learning environments	
	Developed a weekly education program for grades one through adult	
<u>Substitute Paraprofessional</u>	Walker-Hackensack-Akeley Elementary School · MN	2005
<u>Environmental Educator</u>	Deep Portage Conservation Reserve · Hackensack, MN	2002- 2003
	Provided outdoor instruction in a variety of environmental sciences and outdoor activities	

### Volunteer Positions

<u>Theology and Brew Coordinator</u>	Diocese of Anchorage · Anchorage, AK	2010- present
<u>Project Homeless Connect Volunteer</u>	Coalition on Homelessness · Anchorage, AK	2009- present
<u>High School Retreat Volunteer</u>	Holy Family and St. Benedict's · Anchorage, AK	2009- present
<u>Young Adult Activity Coordinator</u>	Holy Family Cathedral · Anchorage, AK	2009- present
<u>Just Faith Facilitator</u>	Diocese of Anchorage · Anchorage, AK	2009- 2010
<u>Soup Kitchen Cook/ Coordinator</u>	Holy Name/ Salvation Army · Ketchikan, AK	2007- 2008
<u>Adult Faith Formation Director</u>	Holy Name Church · Ketchikan, AK	2007- 2008
<u>Activities Volunteer</u>	Pioneer Home · Ketchikan, AK	Summer 2007
<u>Cabin Maintenance Volunteer</u>	Forest Service · Ketchikan, AK	Summer 2007
<u>English as a Second Language Teacher</u>	Catholic Multi-Cultural Center · Madison, WI	2006- 2007
<u>Principal's Assistant</u>	St. Ambrose Academy · Madison, WI	2006- 2007

### Education

<u>Juniata College</u>	Huntingdon, PA	1998- 2002
	Bachelor of Science · Environmental Science, emphasizing Mathematics	
<u>Leeds University</u> · school year abroad	Leeds, England	2000- 2001

# William J. Streur

Streur, William  
Commissioner - Department of Health and Social Services

## PERSONAL

A highly motivated and confident manager, a strong communicator, a quick thinker, and excellent strategist, with strengths in startup, acquisitions, fundraising, contract negotiation and turnaround and change. Perceived as charismatic, an articulate speaker with a thorough knowledge of managed care strategies, the health insurance market, claims systems, the Medicaid market, indigent and uninsured needs issues and all health delivery operations.

## WORK HISTORY

### State of Alaska

#### Anchorage/Juneau, Alaska

#### Deputy Commissioner, Medicaid and Health Care Policy.

2007-Present

Responsible for all aspects of the \$1.2B Medicaid, SCHIP and CAMA programs for the State including all policy development and implementation, claims benefit packages and payment for services and oversight of the fiscal agent contract. Responsible to coordinate the five year plan for the Legislature, interface with the legislature on budget, policy and regulation development, benefit coverage and provider/enrollee satisfaction. Implements all federally mandated changes to programs, promulgate regulations and develops state plan amendments to satisfy requirements. The position coordinates all activities of the Deputy position including interfaces with other divisions, departments of state government and the legislature. Oversee the development of the new MMIS development (DDI) and all other IT improvements for the Medicaid and SCHIP programs. Directly manage the Department health planning and systems development, rate review and facility survey sections. Analyze and review all financial performance to coordinate budget, spending and project needs throughout the fiscal year. Serve as primary liaison for the department with Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

### First Health Services Corporation

#### Anchorage Alaska

#### Senior Director, Alaska Operations

2003-2007

Lead position administering over 90 employees in the fulfillment of the State of Alaska MMIS Medicaid contract for all operations including MMIS, SURS, claims/correspondence scanning and OCR, claims adjudication, Pharmacy (POS, PDL, Profiling and Reporting, etc.), and mental health inpatient/residential utilization review and care coordination. Directed and oversaw the operations and beginning of the transition to a new MMIS system for the State, the State's first since 1987.

- ◆ Maintained an open communicative relationship regarding the fiscal agent services with the State while facing significant legal and contractual challenges regarding the new MMIS development.
- ◆ Redesigned the contract with the State for Claims review and SURS functions and preserved its continuation into 2010.

### Upper Peninsula Health Plan

1998-2003

#### Marquette, Michigan

#### President and Chief Executive Officer

Founding officer for the Plan and its first employee. Plan's ownership consists of 13 of the Upper Peninsula's 14 hospitals and nearly 200 physician investors with over 800 total providers serving Medicaid and CHIP populations. Plan is recognized as a leader in innovative involvement with the provider community. State Medicaid leadership points to the Plan as a model of quality and customer satisfaction for others to follow. Led the plan to successful NCQA accreditation in 2003.

- ◆ Guided the concept development, raised funds from investors, employed staff and prepared the Plan for its initial service population and brought the Plan to profitability in 26 months with an enrollment of approximately 20,000 Medicaid members.

- ◆ Led the Plan to a rating as one of the top five health plans in Michigan (Benchmark Plan) for quality and customer satisfaction (member and provider) in its second full year of operation. This achievement was repeated in the third and fourth years of operation. Awarded quality bonus each year.

**Consultant-Self Employed** 1997-1998  
**Marquette, Michigan**  
**Medicaid and Managed Care Strategy**

Consultant and trainer to a variety of organizations and corporations on managed care issues including strategic planning, business process management, alliances, acquisitions and mergers, implementation strategies, benefit design systems development, network development and contracting, administrative structures, gate keeping approaches, and training. Trained over 1000 persons on managed healthcare strategies, transition issues, structure acceptance and courtesies. Contracts include state government, universities, mental health organizations, hospital systems, county government and private health plans. Consistently rated as outstanding instructor and presenter.

**PeaceHealth** 1987 - 1997  
**Eugene, Oregon**

**Corporate Director (Vice President) of Behavioral Health**

Responsible for overseeing the development of a nonprofit coordinated and comprehensive behavioral health system supporting the corporation's overall strategic plan. The position objectives were to develop and ensure consistent standards throughout the PeaceHealth system and to ensure the long-term viability of a behavioral health service line fully integrated with other health care services corporately and in each region. One member of a four person team addressing the strategy of the corporation.

- ◆ Acquired a large, privately owned, and freestanding behavioral health case management and delivery system. Recovered acquisition costs in first five months of operation. Realized over a 17% net corporate gain per annum for first three years of operation. Emerged as the largest behavioral health provider in the state of Washington, Oregon and Alaska.

**Recovery Northwest (PeaceHealth)** 1984 - 1987  
**Vancouver, Washington**  
**CEO**

Hired as a turnaround CEO. Brought the company to profitability and sold to PeaceHealth, which expanded and grew the business line with me as the product line manager.

**Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services** 1978 - 1984  
**Gaylord, Michigan**

Executive Director, building the agency from one representing 12 counties in Northern Michigan to one representing 23 counties. Seen as one of the premier agencies in the state system and operating continuously through 2009.

**United States Air Force** 1970 - 1976  
**United States Air Force Reserve** 1980 - 1995

Served in a variety of officer duties including aircrew, maintenance officer, race relations, equal opportunity and drug and alcohol control and rehabilitation. Opened first formal chemical dependency treatment unit for Armed Forces in Europe. Vietnam and Desert Storm (Kuwait liberation) veteran. Numerous deployments representing the United States. Bronze Star and Meritorious Service Medal recipient. Highest decorated officer in the unit upon retirement in November 1995.

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

- ◆ Managed Care Consultant to design team of Oregon Health Plan, the state's Medicaid Managed Care effort.

- ◆ Board member and volunteer to numerous human services organizations, active in my church.
- ◆ Seventeen year Rotarian, Paul Harris Fellow (x3), Club President 2000-2001.

## **EDUCATION**

Graduate study toward concurrent Master's degrees in Business and Sociology  
Ball State University and Troy State University

Bachelor of Arts, (Pre Medicine/Liberal Arts)  
Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Michigan

## Celeste Hodge

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**From:** Alida Bus  
**Sent:** Monday, March 21, 2011 9:02 AM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** RE: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Hi Celeste,

I apologize for not getting back to you earlier. Sen. Egan doesn't have any issues with any of the recommended appointments.

Thanks,  
Alida

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**From:** Celeste Hodge  
**Sent:** Monday, March 21, 2011 8:59 AM  
**To:** Alida Bus  
**Subject:** FW: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Alida,  
Your senator is the only one I'm still waiting on a response from regarding the governor's recommended appointees. Does he have any issues with any of those recommended for appointment? Thanks.

**Celeste Graham-Hodge, Committee Aide**  
Senate Health & Social Services Committee  
Office of Senator Bettye Davis  
716 W. 4th Avenue #400  
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**From:** Christine Marasigan  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 4:42 PM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** RE: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Celeste,

Our office has no issues at this time with the appointments.

Christine

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**From:** Celeste Hodge

**nt:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 1:21 PM

**To:** Alida Bus; Amory Lelake; Christine Marasigan; Gayle Keller; Katherine Ellis; Sen. Bettye Davis; Sen. Dennis Egan; Sen. Fred Dyson; Sen. Johnny Ellis; Sen. Kevin Meyer

**Subject:** Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

**Importance:** High

Senate HSS Members,

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**From:** Amory Lelake  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 2:00 PM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Cc:** Sen. Johnny Ellis  
**Subject:** RE: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Senator Ellis has no concerns.

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**Sent:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 1:21 PM  
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*Sen Meyer*

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## Celeste Hodge

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**From:** Gayle Keller  
**Sent:** Monday, March 21, 2011 8:18 AM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** RE: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Good morning Celeste, thank you for doing a good job of keeping the appointees before us. Sen. Dyson had no comments ( I would of told you Friday as requested if he had). As a reminder, the senator had an excused absence for today.

Gayle

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**From:** Celeste Hodge  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 20, 2011 8:59 PM  
**To:** Alida Bus; Amory Lelake; Christine Marasigan; Gayle Keller; Katherine Ellis; Sen. Bettye Davis; Sen. Dennis Egan; Sen. Fred Dyson; Sen. Johnny Ellis; Sen. Kevin Meyer  
**Subject:** RE: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Senate HSS Members,

As shared last week, we will process the report of the governor's recommended appointees during Monday's Senate HSS meeting. Resumes of those recommended were delivered months ago to you. Please feel free to bring your copies with you to the meeting. Thanks.

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**Celeste Hodge**

*Physical Therapy  
& Occupational Therapy*

**From:** Valerie Phelps [Valerie@Aptak.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2011 8:59 AM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** RE: CONFIRMATION HEARINGS FOR BOARD APPOINTMENTS AND COMMISSIONER OF DHSS

Dear Celeste,

I will be boarding a plane at about 2pm Alaska time on Monday the 21<sup>st</sup>, but will call in at 1:30 and stay on as long as I am able to. Would it be possible to move my name toward the beginning of the list in case anyone has questions for me?

I was selected to be on the PT/OT Board.

I hope you are having a great day!

valerie



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**From:** Celeste Hodge [mailto:Celeste\_Hodge@legis.state.ak.us]

**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2011 6:04 AM

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**Subject:** CONFIRMATION HEARINGS FOR BOARD APPOINTMENTS AND COMMISSIONER OF DHSS

In accordance with AS39.05.080, the Health and Social Services Committee will be considering your recommendation from the governor for an appointed position on Monday, March 21, 2011 at 1:30 PM in the Butrovich Room #205 of the Capitol in Juneau, Alaska. Please feel free to attend or teleconference into the meeting in case members have questions by calling the toll free conference number at 1-855-463-5009. If you have questions, please contact me. Thanks.

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**From:** robin allen [dave\_robin1@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2011 10:20 AM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** Re: CONFIRMATION HEARINGS FOR BOARD APPOINTMENTS AND COMMISSIONER OF DHSS

I, Jennifer Robin Allen, resigned my appointment to the Board of Nursing, Friday March 11, 2011. I will forward the email to you. Thanks you for your time.

--- On Fri, 3/18/11, Celeste Hodge <[Celeste\\_Hodge@legis.state.ak.us](mailto:Celeste_Hodge@legis.state.ak.us)> wrote:

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Subject: CONFIRMATION HEARINGS FOR BOARD APPOINTMENTS AND COMMISSIONER OF DHSS  
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Date: Friday, March 18, 2011, 6:03 AM

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**From:** Sanders, Nancy L (CED) [nancy.sanders@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 21, 2011 9:07 AM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** FW: Resignation by Board of Nursing appointee

**Importance:** High

Good morning. I understand that the confirmation hearing for Board appointees is scheduled for this afternoon at 1:30 p.m. I am forwarding a copy of a resignation letter for a new appointee to the Board of Nursing so that you have the up to date information. Can she be withdrawn from consideration?

Thank you, Nancy Sanders

Nancy Sanders, PhD, RN  
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"choose respect"

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**From:** robin allen [mailto:dave\_robin1@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 11, 2011 10:16 AM  
**To:** Maitlen, Brandon R (GOV); Sanders, Nancy L (CED)  
**Subject:** Resignation

To All Concerned,

I would like to thank-you for the honor and opportunity to serve on the Board of Nursing. However, due to family and financial hardships that serving on the Board will create for me, I feel that it is best for me to resign my appointment effective immediately, Friday March 11, 2011.

I hope that you will appreciate that this has been a difficult decision. I do feel that I would bring a value to the Board and hope that perhaps the future will bring this opportunity around again. My first responsibility is to my family. I feel that it would be a dis-service to all involved for me to try to continue to serve and that its best to resign now, rather than later.

I will return all the materials given to me at orientation last week.

Respectfully,  
J Robin Allen LPN.

## Celeste Hodge

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**From:** beth gartner [b\_gartner@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 20, 2011 3:23 PM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Subject:** Confirmation Hearing for Board of Nursing

Dear Celeste,

Thank you for the information about the confirmation hearings scheduled for the Board of Nursing on Monday, March 21st. I am in the East Coast time zone for the week and am scheduled for an event that coincides with the hearing time. I sincerely apologize for not being available.

I am truly interested to be reappointed for my second 4 year term. I have served this past term as secretary, vice chair and as chair. I continue to work as an RN in a Post Anesthesia Care Unit and am able to balance my work schedule with the commitment to the Board of Nursing.

Thank you for conveying my willingness to serve. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,  
Beth Farnstrom, RN

Not Available  
But very  
interested in being  
Reappointed for  
2nd 4th term.



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## Memorandum

TO: Senator Davis, Chair  
Health and Social Services Committee

FROM: Kirsten Waid  
Secretary of the Senate

DATE: February 2, 2011

SUBJECT: Confirmation of Governor's Appointment

Pursuant to AS 39.05.080, the President has referred the following name for legislative confirmation to your committee for a hearing, recommendation and report:

**Commissioner – Department of Health and Social Services**

√ William Streur

Appointed: 2/1/2011

Resume(s) will be transmitted electronically.

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## Memorandum

TO: Senator Davis, Chair  
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FROM: Kirsten Waid *KW*  
Secretary of the Senate

DATE: February 2, 2011

SUBJECT: Confirmation of Governor's Appointments

Pursuant to AS 39.05.080, the President has referred the following names for legislative confirmation to your committee for a hearing, recommendation and report:

### **Board of Dental Examiners**

Cheryl Fellenberg – Wasilla

Appointed: 3/1/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Dr. Thomas Kovaleski – Chugiak

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Dr. Paul Silveira – Valdez

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Dr. Robert Warren – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

### **Board of Marital and Family Therapy**

Leon Webber – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

JoAnn Young – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2014

**Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees**

Mike Barton – Douglas

Appointed: 12/9/2010 Term Expires: 3/1/2014

Russell Webb – Anchorage

Appointed: 12/9/2010 Term Expires: 3/1/2013

**Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives**

Dr. Peggy Downing – Wasilla

Appointed: 5/31/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**Board of Nursing**

Jennifer “Robin” Allen – Palmer

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Beth Farnstrom – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Julie Gillette – Wasilla

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

Erin Pringle – Anchorage

Appointed: 8/26/2010

Term Expires: 3/1/2014

**Board of Examiners in Optometry**

Dr. Paul Barney – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**Board of Pharmacy**

Lori DeVito – Soldotna

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2012

Dirk White – Sitka

Appointed: 3/1/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**State Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Board**

Valerie Phelps – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2013

**Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners**

Dr. John DeRuyter – Fairbanks

Appointed: 6/6/2007

Reappointed: 3/1/2011 Term Expires: 3/1/2015

**Board of Social Work Examiners**

Jen Syzdek – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2011

Term Expires: 3/1/2015

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## Celeste Hodge

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**From:** Ben Robinson  
**Sent:** Monday, February 07, 2011 9:15 AM  
**To:** Celeste Hodge  
**Cc:** Julianna Singh  
**Subject:** Governor's Appointments - Legislative Confirmation Reports & Resumes Attached  
**Attachments:** hss commissioner 2.2.11 #2.doc; hss.2.2.11.#2.doc; hss #2.doc; Commissioner, HSS - Streur#2.pdf; Dental Examiners - Fellenberg#2.pdf; Dental Examiners - Kovaleski#2.docx; Dental Examiners - Silveira#2.doc; Dental Examiners - Warren#2.pdf; Marital and Family Therapy - Webber#2.doc; Marital and Family Therapy - Young#2.rtf; Mental Health Trust - Barton#2.pdf; Mental Health Trust - Webb#2.pdf; Midwives - Downing#2.pdf; Nursing - Allen#2.doc; Nursing - Farnstrom#2.pdf; Nursing - Gillette#2.doc; Nursing - Pringle#2.docx

Pursuant to AS 39.05.080, Governor's Appointment(s) were referred to your committee for a committee hearing, recommendation and report. You should have received a memo listing the appointees referred to your committee. For your convenience, a copy of the memo is attached.

Also, attached are:

- 1) Senate Confirmation Committee Report - If you have more than one appointee, use this Report document as a template. Cut and paste appointees into the Report to correlate with your hearings.
- 2) Appointee Resume(s) - If your committee received an abundance of referrals, you may receive more than one email containing resumes (the file size may be too large to send all resumes in one email attachment).

Contact Julianna or Ben in the Senate Secretary's Office at 465-3701 if you have questions about the attachments.

Good luck with your hearings.

-Ben

**SENATE  
CONFIRMATION COMMITTEE REPORT**

Date: 3/21/11

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the Health and Social Services Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointments be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

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**Board of Nursing**

~~Jennifer “Robin” Allen – Palmer~~ *Resigned*  
Beth Farnstrom – Anchorage  
Julie Gillette – Wasilla  
Erin Pringle – Anchorage

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**Board of Pharmacy**

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Dirk White – Sitka *AD*

*Senior Market Planning*

**State Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Board**  
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**Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners**  
Dr. John DeRuyter – Fairbanks

**Board of Social Work Examiners**  
Jen Syzdek – Anchorage

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individuals during any further sessions.

<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Printed Last Name</b>
<b>Chair:</b>	

**Please return to the Senate Secretary's Office (Room 211).**