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Program Coordinator
Arizona Center for Fertility Studies

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY:

Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner with 32 years of experience, 29 years in perioperative nursing. Additional expertise includes 25 years as an RNFA, and 8 years as program coordinator in reproductive endocrinology and infertility. Job responsibilities include surgical assisting as an RNFA in major abdominal and laparoscopic procedures; conducting physical examinations and providing patient education and follow up care; performing ultra sounds and intra uterine inseminations; conducting daily educational classes for patients and medical staff; development of competencies, protocols, policies and procedures, and FDA manual; coordinating perioperative office-based surgical services, providing management, training, and supervision of medical health team, as well as coordination of all IVF cycles and Donor Oocyte/Recipient/Gestational Carrier/ Donor Embryo Cycles. I have a strong desire to continue to focus on providing total patient centered care, and to participate in opportunities that foster quality and improvement processes in all areas of my practice, as well as to continue patient, staff and self-education. In the near future, I hope to complete my Ofirmev study for journal submission.

LICENSES:

Registered Nurse Licensure State of New York, 1979

Registered Nurse Licensure State of California, 1983

Nurse Licensure State of Virginia, 1986

Registered Nurse Licensure State of Arizona, 1995

CERTIFICATIONS:

Certified Nurse of the Operating Room (CNOR),
1995 - expired 2010

Certificate Programs Registered Nurse First Assistant
(RNFA) 1987 and 1995

ACLS and BLS Certification, Current through 2015

**ASSOCIATION
MEMBERSHIPS:**

American Nurses Association,
1979-present

The Association of Operating Room Nurses, Inc.
(AORN) 1991-present

AORN Specialty Assembly Member: RN First
Assistant, 1991-present

Arizona Society of Reproductive Health Professionals,
1998-Present

Pacific Coast Fertility Society,
1995-present

Resolve, 1995-present

**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE:**

Program Coordinator and ART-IVF Nurse Coordinator
Arizona Center for Fertility Studies- Scottsdale, AZ
Nov 2005 to Current

*Perioperative Coordinator, Standards of Practice and
Quality Improvement Committee Officer*
Arizona Center for Fertility Studies- Scottsdale, AZ
Jan 1996 to Current

Infertility Coordinator Operating Room
SHC Piper Center- Scottsdale, AZ
Sep 1995 to Feb 2007

*Gynecology Coordinator Operating Room, RNFA,
Laser Nurse*
SHC Piper Center- Scottsdale, AZ
Sep 1995 to Dec 1996

*OR staff Nurse, Laser Nurse, RNFA, Standards of
Practice and Quality Improvement Committee Officer*
Fairfax Hospital- Falls Church, VAMar
Aug 1986 to Sep 1995

Medical/Legal Consultant
Gilbert and Current Law Office- Washington, D.C.
Mar 1993 to Aug 1995

Staff Nurse L&D OR, Newborn Nursery
Reston Hospital Center- Reston, VA
Aug 1994 to May 1995

RNFA Cesarean Sections
Fair Oaks Hospital- Fairfax, VA
Dec 1993 to Apr 1995

Multi-specialty/Trauma/Burn OR Staff Nurse
Valley Medical Center- Fresno, CA
Sep 1982 to Apr 1985

Staff Nurse Pre/Post-Surgical Floor, MICU, SICU
Beth Israel Medical Center- New York, NY
Jun 1979 to May 1980

**EDUCATION AND
TRAINING:**

Certificate, RNFA Program, 1995
Perioperative Plus Associates / Gateway Community
College - Phoenix, AZ

Certificate, RNFA Program, 1987
Fairfax Hospita l- Falls Church, VA

Diploma, Nursing, 1979
Beth Israel School of Nursing - New York, NY, USA

David L. Podell Award, Consideration of Patient
Welfare, 1979

Hannah B. Silver Award, Proficiency in Medical
Surgical Nursing, 1979

Honors Diploma, Valedictorian, 1976
Miller Place High School- Miller Place, NY

Credits earned towards B.S., Nursing
Hunter College- New York, NY, USA