

Resume

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Education

Bachelor of Science of Nursing. Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel. June, 1982.
Masters of Traditional Oriental Medicine; Magna Cum Laude. Pacific College of
Oriental Medicine, San Diego, CA. April 1992

Continuing Education

The Emotional and Spiritual Functions of Herbs. (Two-year course) Academy for Five
Element Acupuncture Fort Lauderdale Fla. 8/99-10/01.

Nursing Employment

Health Educator, Rechov Stern. Jerusalem Israel: Interviewed residents, planned and
executed educational programs in preventative medicine for children and adults.
February , 1982-1983.

Home Health Nurse, Pilot Program, Ir Ganim, Jerusalem Israel: Assessed and
treated clients with various ailments. Provided in home instruction re: self care, safety,
med management, diabetic management. February, 1983-Dec 1984

Home Health Nurse AMI Hospital, El Cajon, San Diego CA: Assessed client conditions,
provided in home instruction in med management, understanding and managing
disease process, wound care instruction and management, diabetic management. March
1985-January 1986

Home Health Nurse, Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, CA: Assessed client conditions,
provided in home instruction in med management, understanding disease process,
wound care management, diabetic management and instruction 1986-1987

Post Partum and Gynecology, Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa CA: Received and cared for
women in pre- and post-operative states as well as post-partum and well baby care.

Instructed women regarding personal and infant care PRN. Charge RN PRN. 1988-1992
Post Partum, Sharp Hospital, San Diego, CA: Received and cared for women and their
infants in a dyad format. Assessed status of post Partum women, instructed in self care
and in infant care. 1992-1994

Home Health Sharp Hospital, San Diego, CA: Assessed client conditions, provided in
home instruction in med management. understanding disease process, wound care and
management, diabetic management and instruction 1994-1995

Home Health Sharp/Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, CA: Assessed client conditions,
provided in home instruction in med management. understanding disease process,
wound care and management, diabetic management and instruction 1995-1996

Chinese Medical Practitioner Employment

Mile High Council For Alcoholism and Drug Abuse: Participation at a clinic
administering auricular acupuncture to up to 20 participants in one sitting, as well as

offering lifestyle and dietary counseling. Participation in staff meetings and planning.
1993-1995

Healthmark Integrative Medical Clinic, Denver, CO: Acupuncturist and Herbalist;
Offered treatment to individuals, participated in inter-disciplinary training and
planning sessions. 1996-1997

Private practice, Lakewood, Colorado: treating approximately 24 people per week. Using
acupuncture, herbs, qi gong, dietary and lifestyle counseling to facilitate health.
March, 1993 - May, 2004 ; May 2005-present.

Education Employment

Instructor Colorado School of Traditional Chinese Medicine; 40 hour class introduction
to point function 1993-1999. Auricular therapy, clinic forum, and internal medicine 90 +
hours/ trimester. April, 2002- May, 2004

Instructor , Clinic Supervisor, Herbal Section , Academy for Five Element Acupuncture,
Ft. Lauderdale Fla.; April, 2001 to May 2004

Instructor On Line, Academy for Five Element Acupuncture; supplemental herbal
instruction for students participating in the academy's Herb course 2001-August, 2004

Associate Professor, Clinic Supervisor Southwest Acupuncture College of Chinese
Medicine; Basic Chinese Medical Theory, Diagnosis and Differentiation of TCM
Pathology based on Western Medical Diagnosis, Chinese Dietary Therapy, Single herb
study based on Bensky materia medica, Clinical Supervision . Duties include
presentation of material, testing, evaluation, and student counseling May 2003- May
2004; August 2005- present

Instructor, Clinic Supervisor Atlantic University of Chinese Medicine, Mars Hill North
Carolina; Single Herbs, Herbal Formulas, Diagnosis, Basic TCM theory, Auricular and
Scalp Therapies, Clinical Supervision. May 2004-April, 2005. Instructor Taoist
Meditation Various locations in the Denver metro and Boulder area. Offering
instruction in heart centered meditation in 1.5 hour long classes for 4- 12 week sessions.
Assisting individuals to contact their heart center, experience and move through
blockages obstructing contact with the authentic self and energy work to facilitate this
process. September 2005 – present.

Groups and Associations

Acupuncture Association of Colorado

Vice President: 1996-1997

President: 1997-1999

Personal Interests

Hiking, Biking, Meditation, Cooking, Dog Training

References

Available upon request.