

# **PAMELA SHORT, MSN, RN**

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## **PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES**

Dedicated and patient-focused Registered Nurse with proven expertise in instruction, acute patient care, and management of client records. Communicates effectively with students, parents, administrators, faculty, and staff.

## **QUALIFICATIONS SUMMARY**

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### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Instruct and supervise students in the class, laboratory, and clinical settings.
- Organize and select materials to aid students in reaching their maximum potential.
- Assist in the development, evaluation, and revision of curriculum.
- Assess the skills of students in laboratory and clinical settings.
- Submit grading and performance reports promptly.
- Maintain a record of each student and compile reports.
- Provide orientation for new and returning students.
- Participate in seminars educating the community on healthcare issues.
- Supervise students in hospital and nursing home facilities.

### **HOME HEALTH CARE EXPERIENCE**

- Assist in the development and supervision of Patient Care Plans.
- Perform physical assessments, monitor medications, and work with physicians and other team members to manage pain and other care concerns.
- Evaluate the home environment and assess additional needs for holistic care.
- Educate patient and family members on patient condition and provide compassionate support.
- Provide and evaluate the status of wound care.
- Perform phlebotomy services.
- Supervise Aids and provide feedback for continued optimal care.

### **HOSPITAL EXPERIENCE**

- Care for patients with life-threatening illnesses in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU).
- Promote health education and support patients and families coping with illness.
- Initiate and maintained intravenous therapy.
- Obtain and document patient history and medication lists.
- Assist physicians during patient examinations and treatments.
- Monitor patient reactions to medications and treatments.
- Provide Ventilator Care, Telemetry, NG, and Peg tubes

## **CREDENTIALS: LICENSURE**

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**Registered Nurse (RN), Multistate Compact License**  
Expires: December 2021

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

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- First Aid & Basic Cardiac Life Support Instructor, American Heart Association (exp. Aug. 2021)
- Certified Online Instructor (July 2020-Present)
- Certified Blackboard Online Training Course (July 2019-Present)
- Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Program: Responsible Conduct of Research for Biomedical Sciences (RCR) (exp. 2022)
- Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Program: IRB #1 Health Science Emphasis (exp. 2020)
- Crisis Prevention Intervention (CPI) (exp. Aug 2019)
- End of Life Nursing Education Consortium Training (ELNEC)
- UAB Health System Nurse Refresher Course (Sept. 12-Oct. 12, 2011)

## **AREAS OF SPECIALTY**

Intensive Care Nursing (ICU), Medical-Surgical Nursing, Foundations in Nursing Practice, Community Health Nursing, Mental Health Nursing, Palliative Care Nursing

## **PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AND DEGREES**

### **Master of Science in Nursing, MSN Nurse Educator (May 2018)**

Auburn University/Auburn University Montgomery Joint MSN Program  
Auburn University School of Nursing - Auburn, AL

### **Bachelor of Science in Nursing, BSN (May 1993)**

Auburn University School of Nursing - Auburn, AL  
42 credit hours of Psychology Courses

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, Alabama, Nursing Instructor, Full-Time Faculty Position, BSN Program**

August 2019 - May 2020	Co-Instructor, Mental Health Nursing Course
May 2020 - July 2020	Co-Instructor, Practicum Nursing Course
August 2020 - Present	Co-Instructor, Foundations in Nursing Course
August 2020 - Present	Co-Instructor, Emergency/Disaster Management Course

### **Auburn University at Montgomery, Montgomery, Alabama, Adjunct Faculty BSN Program**

May 16, 2019 – August 2019 Course Coordinator, Mental Health Nursing Course

### **Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama, Adjunct Faculty BSN Program**

June 2018 – May 2019	Clinical Associate, Fundamentals Course Simulation Laboratory Instructor, Fundamentals Course
Jan 2018 - May 2018	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Adult Health Medical-Surgical Course
Jan 2018 - July 2018	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Mental Health Course

### **Tuskegee University, Tuskegee, Alabama, Adjunct Faculty BSN Program**

June 2018 – May 2019	Fundamentals Clinical and Laboratory (BSN) Instructor Adult Health Medical-Surgical (BSN) Instructor, Clinical/Laboratory Associate and Lecturer Course Coordinator, Gerontology/Palliative Care Independent Study Course Coordinator, Evidence-Based Practice Course Auburn University/Tuskegee University Graduate Teaching Assistant, Mental Health Course
Jan 2018- May 2018	

### **Concordia College, Selma, Alabama**

Jan 2018 – May 2018 Auburn University/Tuskegee University Graduate Teaching Assistant, Community Health Nursing Course

### **Wallace Community College, Selma, Alabama**

Aug. 2016 – June 2018	Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) Clinical and Laboratory Instructor Adult Health Medical-Surgical Nursing Course Mental Health Nursing Course Kid-Check Clinical Instructor Licensed Practical Nursing (LPN) Laboratory and Clinical Instructor, Fundamentals Nursing Course Auburn University Graduate Teaching Assistant, Medical-Surgical Nursing Course
Sept 1998 – May 1999	Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) Clinical Instructor and Guest Lecturer, Adult Health Medical-Surgical Nursing Fundamentals Nursing Course
Sept 1996 – Dec. 1996	Licensed Practical Nursing (LPN) Instructor, Fundamentals Nursing Course

June 1994 – Aug. 1996

Course Coordinator (Full-Time Faculty Position), Nursing Assistant Instructor

**Caregivers Home Health Agency, Camden, Alabama**

Dec 1993 – June 1994

Registered Nurse Case Manager (Full-Time Position)

**Four Rivers Medical Center (Vaughan Hospital), Selma, AL**

July 1993 - Dec. 1993

Intensive Care Staff Nurse

**PRESENTATIONS:**

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Jacksonville State University School of Health Professions and Wellness Media Appearance (2020, September).

Jacksonville State University Encouraging Words to Students Media Appearance (2020, April).

Watts, S., and Short, P. (2019, April). *Implementation of Nutritional Screening Tools in the Care of Geriatric Patients in the Acute Care Setting*. Abstract. Alabama State Nurses Association: Elizabeth A. Morris Clinical Educational Sessions – FACES '19, Montgomery, AL.

Hendricks, C. S., Love, A., Popoola, S., Reese, A., Fox, O., & ...Pamela Short. (2018, March). *Neither Rain, Sleet, or Snow: Using Technology in Nursing Education*. Abstract. The Alabama League for Nursing 2018 Annual Meeting, Tuscaloosa, AL.

Watts, S., and Short, P. (2018, March). *Implementation of Nutritional Screening Tools in the Care of Geriatric Patients in the Acute Care Setting*. Abstract. Auburn University Research Symposium, Auburn, AL.

Reese, A., Popoola, S., Harris, A., Ashley, K., & Pamela Short. (2018, October). Behavioral Health Panel: *Bullying in Nursing*. Podium Presentation. Alabama State Nurses Convention, Opelika, AL.

**PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS/HONORS**

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- **Jacksonville State University Covid-19 Taskforce (Epi Team)** (2020 – Present)
- **Jacksonville State University Curriculum Committee** (2019 – Present)
- **American Association of Colleges of Nursing** – Member (2019 – Present)
- **American Nurses Association** – Member (2018-Present)
- **Alabama Nurses Association/Alabama State Nursing Association**  
Member (2018-Present)  
Scholarship Committee - Member (2018)
- **Chi Eta Phi Sorority**  
**Auburn University Chapter, 1993- 1995**  
**Rho Eta Chapter, 2017– Present**  
Bylaws Committee – Member (2017-Present)  
Membership Intake Committee – Member (2017- Present)  
Nominating Committee – Co-Chair (2017- Present)  
Programs/Project Committee – Member (2017- Present)  
Scholarship Committee – Co-Chair (2017- Present)  
Sisterly Response – Chair (2017- Present)
- **Golden Key International Honor Society, Auburn University Chapter** - Member(2018)
- **National Black Nurses Association** – Member (2018)
- **National League of Nursing** – Member (2018)
- **Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing**  
Theta Delta Chapter – Member (2018)  
Zeta Zi – Member (2020)

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

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- Kenny's Kouncil, organization to provide resources to individuals and their families seeking mental health services and their families.
- Tuskegee University Nursing Scholarship used to promote nursing education to students who are actively engaged in the community and excelling in their endeavors to attain their nursing degree. May 2019
- Chasity's Champions, volunteer services to promote education on cancer prevention, screening, and treatment of various forms of the disease, May 2017, 2018, 2019.

- Kid Check (Sight Savers of America) Health screenings for elementary school students, Selma, AL, informing parents present on the importance of annual health screenings, May 2017.
- COPE – Canine Outreach Promoting Engagement Workshop, CAREing Paws, a workshop on the benefits of animal-assisted therapy for geriatric patients and others, Birmingham, AL, April 2018
- HATELESS Foundation Mentoring Program. Mentoring adolescent at-risk girls regarding health promotion, maintenance, and improvement, Montgomery, AL, April 2018
- Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Gamma Alpha Zeta Chapter, promoting telehealth in rural counties, Dallas County, AL April 2018
- Tiger Chat. Educating middle school students on the Prevention of Bullying and its long-term effects, Auburn, AL, April 2018
- Auburn University Disaster Day, promoting disaster relief services college-wide, Auburn, AL, April 2018
- SEQUEL Youth and Family Services, Career Day, instructed at-risk adolescent girls on general health maintenance and health promotion, March 2018.
- Chi Eta Phi, volunteer services for Bell Ringer, Salvation Army, Selma, AL, December 2018
- Young Life Foundation. Mentoring adolescent at-risk youth in underprivileged communities regarding education opportunities and health promotion. Summer Camps, Monthly Meetings to counsel and provide support to students and leaders, service on the executive board to help maintain the program's stability in this region, 2017- Present.
  - Board Member for Urban Young Life Montgomery
  - Administrative Assistant to the President of Urban League
  - Leader Care (Mentor to teenage volunteers)
  - Donor Care (Process contributions from donors)
- Prattville High School STAR Program, Parent Representative, Mentor to At-Risk Students, 2015 – 2016