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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Public health practice, workforce development and research, instructional design, community engagement, competency development, performance improvement, policy and advocacy, systems thinking, maternal and child health, public health leadership, and group facilitation.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Learning Manager, Maternal Health Learning and Innovation Center, UNC Gillings School of Global Public Health, Sept 2022-Present

Oversee capacity building events/resources for HRSA Maternal Health Innovation Grantee across the US. Also coordinate technical assistance.

Director of Practice and Workforce Development and Senior Instructor, Arnold School of Public Health, University of South Carolina, March 1, 2014-August 2022

- Led the Arnold School side of the Public Health Consortium collaboration with the SC Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC), an academic-practice initiative to aid DHEC capacity building and develop more collaborative projects for faculty, staff, and students.
- Provided leadership and systems thinking for public health practice and workforce development, capacity building programs and community engagement initiatives within the Arnold School.
- Facilitated competency-based professional development for current students and strengthen the student pipeline.
- Collaborated with health systems and not for profit organizations on population health, workforce capacity building, community engagement, and performance improvement.
- Facilitated community engagement around community health, disparities, and environmental justice.
- Enhanced public health practice content, experiential learning, and the application of core public health competencies in academic courses
- Developed foundational and specialized training, including the online continuing education Certificate in Public Health Practice, and the curriculum for the SC Community Health Worker Institute.

Public Health Continuing Education Specialist, NC Institute for Public Health, UNC Gillings School of Public Health, 1996 – 2013

Co P.I./Director, Southeast Public Health Training Center 2000-2013

- Directed activities of HRSA-funded public health workforce development project designed to:
 - assess core training needs
 - respond to training needs through training development and/or dissemination
 - provide technical assistance

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Theodore E. Ervin Award for Outstanding Leadership, Public Health Foundation, Washington, DC, 2010

Southeast Public Health Leadership Institute Scholar, UNC Gillings School of Global Public Health 2008-2009

- **Best Leadership Project Award:** *“The National Core Competencies for Entry Level Public Health Workers and the Completion of the Core Competency Continuum.”*

ACADEMIC TEACHING

Co-Instructor, **UofSC Arnold School of Public Health** **2019-2022**
PUBH 730: Public Health Systems, Policy, and Leadership (Core Course)

Senior Instructor, UofSC Arnold School of Public Health **2017-2022**
PUBH 700: Perspectives in Public Health

Senior Instructor, UofSC Arnold School of Public Health **2017-2022**
HSPM715: Community Assessment and the Delivery of
Health Care Services

Lecturer, UofSC Carolina School of Medicine **2017-2022**
Lecturer on public health for Physician Assistant Program

Adjunct Assistant Professor, UNC School of Nursing **2003-2013**
Lecturer on public health for 14-month BSN program

SELECTED MEMBERSHIPS or PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Health and Safety Committee, Edventure Children’s Museum, Columbia, SC 2020
- Co-Chair, Core Competency Committee, Council on Linkages Between Academia and Practice, Public Health Foundation 2011-Present
- Academic Practice Section, Association of Schools and Programs in Public Health 2019-2022
- Workforce for Health Taskforce, SC Institute of Medicine and Public Health, 2108
- Advisor, DHEC Workforce Development Planning Committee, 2014-2022
- Taskforce on Rural Health Action Plan, 2018
- CEPH Accreditation Committee, Arnold School of Public Health 2015
- ASTHO/de Beaumont Expert Panel on Workforce Development, 2012-2013
- CDC Public Health Law Core Competencies Committee, 2012-2013
- Chatham County (NC) Community Assessment Taskforce, 2012-2013
- Taskforce on Training Impact, Council on Linkages Between Academia and Practice, Public Health Foundation 2011
- Chair, Competency to Practice Toolkit Committee, Council on Linkages Between Academia and Practice, Public Health Foundation 2010-Present
- Chair, Tier I Core Competency Development Committee, The Council on Linkages between Academia and Practice, Public Health Foundation, 2009-2011

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS, PAPERS, AND PRESENTATIONS

Place, Janet L. and LuAnne Ellison, "Assessing the Competency-Based Training needs of a Combined State Health and Environmental Agency: Making it Relevant Agency-wide", National Network for Public Health Institutes Annual Conference, New Orleans, May 2018.

Radcliffe, Elizabeth; Crouch, Elizabeth; Browder, Jennifer; and Janet Place, "Job satisfaction and skills of a home visiting workforce in South Carolina", Journal of Home Visiting, Vol. 5, Issue 11, November 2017.

Kyle, Joe and Janet L. Place, Overview of the DHEC Workforce Assessment Process, SC Public Health Association Conference, May 2017.

Place, Janet L. and Ron Bialek, "The Competency to Practice Toolkit", APHA Annual Conference, Washington, DC November 2011

Place, Janet L., "The Core Competency Continuum: New Tools for Practical Application", APHA Annual Conference, Denver, CO, December 2010.

Place, Janet L., "So You Want to Be a Health Director: What You Need to Know", NACCHO Annual Conference, Columbus, OH, July 2007.

Place, Janet L., Adrienne Joines and Paula Dickson, "Responding to Local Public Health Training Needs", The National AHEC Bulletin, Vol. XXV, Number 1, Spring/Summer 2009.

Place, Janet L., "Workforce Development and Competency Enhancement", Bridging the Health Divide: The Rural Public Health Research Agenda, Center for Rural Health Practice, University of Pittsburgh (for the HRSA Office of Rural Health Policy, April 2004.)

Place, Janet L and Mary Davis, "Creating a Region out of Individual Health Departments in Rural West Virginia", American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, November 2006.

Place, Janet, "Putting the Public Back in Rural Health in the U.S: the Rural Public Health Research Agenda, International Rural Network Conference, Abingdon, VA, June 2005.

Place, Janet, MPH and Mary Davis, DrPH, "A Fundamental Necessity: The Central Role of Academic-Practice Linkages, American Public Health Association Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA, November 2002.

Place, Janet, MPH, "Flexible Learning at the University of North Carolina School of Public Health: Linking Academia and Practice for Local, National and Global Public Health", Closing Keynote Address: Asia Pacific Public Health Consortium, Seoul, Korea, April 2001.

SKILLS

Curriculum development
Technology of Participation Facilitation
Distance learning (Blackboard, Moodle, Canvas)
Course development (Articulate 360)
Adobe Creative Suite
Video and audio editing
Mentoring