

Board of Directors Nominations : Entry # 1345**Name**

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Biography (1000 character limit)

I graduated with my MSN from Vanderbilt University in 2013 and began as a nurse practitioner in the CICU at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center. I currently remain active in clinical practice in the CICU, and I also serve as the APP Educator for the Heart Institute at CCHMC. My non-clinical time is focused on my interests in nursing education both for advanced practice providers and bedside nursing including onboarding processes, didactic learning, critical thinking and ongoing education. I completed a nursing research fellowship at Boston Children's Hospital in 2018 and completed a research study regarding hydrocortisone use and adrenal dysfunction in the CICU population. I received my Doctorate of Nursing Practice from the University of Alabama and I have served as faculty for the last four years in the Vanderbilt University College of Nursing Acute Care PNP program.

How Do You Envision Advancing PCICS as a Member of the Board of Directors?(1000 character limit)

PCICS has been formative in my growth and development as a provider. As a now seasoned member of PCICS I would like to use the experience gained from working on multiple committees to further the growth of PCICS toward a bright future focused on education, networking, and financial stability. I would plan to be an active member of the board seeking innovative ways to further reach our international colleagues and continue to grow connections between members through education and engagement . The amount of knowledge and expertise within the society is vast and I believe there are still many ways to increase our ability to share knowledge through networking and educational opportunities. Experience gained through work on both the annual meetings and the APP courses have given me an understanding of the importance of being financially responsible in the society and as a board member I would continue to look for opportunities to bring income to the society while serving the membership.

Previous Contributions to PCICS (1000 character limit)

As a member for 7 years initially I served on the education committee (2017-2021) with involvement in development and implementation of the PCICS CICU APP course curriculum. I am the co-lead for the didactic course steering committee, a contributor to content for the APP Curriculum textbook, coordinated and executed several of the APP courses, and assisted in the virtual transition. I began on the program committee in 2019 and serve as the co-chair for the 2021 and 2022 meetings. I have not only guided the development of the educational content for both virtual and in-person meetings, but have become familiar with the financial and logistical planning required for a successful meeting preparing me to become more integrally involved in society leadership. I am the co-creator of the PCICS APP mentorship program, an active member of the APP SIG, serve on the research white paper subcommittee, and joined the PCICS nursing retention taskforce collaborating with C4-MNP.

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Education

Date	Degree	Institution	Field of Study
2018	Doctorate of Nursing Practice	University of Alabama	Nursing
2013	Master of Nursing	Vanderbilt University	Pediatric Acute Care
2010	Bachelors of Science in Nursing	University of Kentucky	Nursing
2008	Bachelors of Science	Lee University	Health Sciences

Professional Experience

Date	Position	Institution
5/2021-Present	Heart Institute APP Educator	Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center
8/2018-Present	Instructor of Nursing, Clinical Faculty	Vanderbilt University
11/2013-Present	Cardiac Intensive Care Nurse Practitioner	Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center
9/2012-11/2013	Staff Nurse/Charge Nurse: PICU	Centennial Medical Center
12/2010-9/2012	Staff Nurse: PICU	Kentucky Children's Hospital
9/2008-12/2010	Nursing Care Tech	Kentucky Children's Hospital

Professional Licensure

11/2013-Present	Certified Nurse Practitioner Ohio
11/2013-Present	Registered Nurse Ohio
8/2018-Present	Certified Nurse Practitioner Tennessee

Additional Education and Training

2016/2018	Nurse Scientist Research Fellowship Boston Children's Hospital
2017	Simulation Facilitator Training
2017	PNCB Item Writer Workshop, focused on APP PCICS Exam
2012-Present	Advanced Cardiac Life Support
2010-Present	Pediatric Advanced Life Support

Awards and Honors

2012-2013	Dean's Honor Merit Scholarship
2010	3 rd Place Student Poster Southern Nursing Research Society Conference
2009-2013	Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society
2009-2010	Nurse Scholars University of Kentucky

Publications

Diller C, Hartwell L, Connor J. (2022). Steroid Use for Management of Vasoactive Resistant Shock in Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Patients. *Dimensions of Critical Care Nursing*, 41(3), 151-156.

Diller C. (2020). 7 year old with Migratory Joint Pain. In: Kline-Tilford, A and Haut, C. *Cases in Pediatric Acute Care: Strengthening Clinical Decision Making*. Hoboken:Wiley.

Iliopoulos I, **Huff C**, Graham E. (2019). Endocrine Function in Critical Heart Disease. R Ungerleider, K Nelson, D Cooper, J Meliones, J Jacobs (Eds.) *Critical Heart Disease in Infants and Children* (3rd Edition). Philadelphia, PA: Elsevier.

Huff C, Mastropietro CW, Riley C, Byrnes J, Kwiatkowski DM, Ellis M, Schette J, Justice L.(2018). Comprehensive Management Considerations of Select Non-Cardiac Organ Systems in the Cardiac Intensive Care Unit. *World Journal for Pediatric and Congenital Heart Surgery*, 9(6), 685-695.

Moore E, **Huff C**, Peterson E, Justice L. (2017) Cardiac Medications. *Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum*, p 79-92

Huff C. (2017). TOF and Variants. L Callow & L Justice (Eds). *Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum*, p135-143

Huff C, Foreman C, Morgan T, Jones M. (2017). Pre- and Post-operative Care and Considerations. *Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum*. P199-206

Huff C. (2017). D-TGA. L Callow & L Justice (Eds). *Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum*. p144-147

Huff C. (2017). L-TGA. L Callow & L Justice (Eds). *Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum*. p148-151

Presentations

2021 **Diller C**, Chitalia R, Weghorst E, Sawyer J, Loomba R, Henry B, Cooper D. Retrospective Review of Hydrocortisone for Treatment of Vasoactive Resistant Shock in CICU Patients. Oral Poster Presentation, Congenital Cardiac Nurses Association Virtual Conference based in England

2021 Cardiac Intensive Care 2021 and Beyond. Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society 17th Annual International Meeting, Session Moderator

- 2020 Teaching and Skill Development in the CICU. Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society 16th Annual International Meeting, Session Moderator
- 2019 Strengthening the Glue of the Cardiac Care Team through Nursing Empowerment. Podium presentation delivered by local proxy, Collaboration in Cardiac Care Meeting Sydney Children's Hospital Network; Sydney, Australia
- 2019 **Diller C**, Chitalia R, Weghorst E, Sawyer J, Loomba R, Henry B, Cooper D. Retrospective Review of Hydrocortisone for Treatment of Vasoactive Resistant Shock in CICU Patients. Oral Poster Presentation, Joint Paediatric Critical Care International Meeting; London, England
- 2018 **Diller C**, Hartwell L, Connor J. State of Practice Assessment of Hydrocortisone Use for Management of Vasoactive Resistant Shock in Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Patients. Poster Presentation, 14th International Meeting of the Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society; Miami, FL
- 2018 Justice L, Callow L, **Diller C**, Florez A, Moellinger A, Ellis M, Staveski S. Development and Implementation of a Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum. Poster Presentation, 14th International Meeting of the Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society; Miami, FL
- 2018 Florez A, Ellis M, Dugan E, Toussaint M, **Diller C**, Moellinger A, Callow L, Justice L. Development and Implementation of the PCICS Advanced Practice Provider Simulation Curriculum. Poster Presentation. 14th International Meeting of the Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society; Miami, FL
- 2016 What a Downer! Adrenal Insufficiency in the CICU. Podium presentation, International Meeting of Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society, Miami, FL
- 2011 **Huff, C.**, Ashford, K., Westneat, S. McCubbin, A. Measuring prenatal C-reactive protein in relationship to birth outcomes across trimesters. Poster Presentation, 25th Southern Nursing Research Annual Conference, Southern Nursing Research. Jacksonville, FL
- 2010 **Huff, C.**, Ashford, K., McCubbin, A., Westneat, S. Measuring maternal stress and its effect on birth outcomes. Poster Presentation, UK eUreKa Student Showcase. Lexington, KY
- 2010 **Huff, C.**, Ashford, K., McCubbin, A., Westneat, S. Measuring maternal stress and its effect on birth outcomes. Poster Presentation, 24th Annual Southern Nursing Research Conference, Austin, TX

Quality Improvement Projects

- 2015 OR to CICU Handoff Development and Implementation
- 2014 CICU Handbook Content Development and Dissemination
- 2012/2013 Development of protocols and policies for new PICU at Centennial Medical Center

Unit Involvements

- 2019-present CICU APP Monthly Journal Club CCHMC, Lead

2018-present Organization and supervision of new NP orientation

2016-2021 CICU NP Scheduling

2014-present Evidence Based Practice CICU Handbook, content contributor and maintenance

Research

2018-Present Site Co-Investigator, Steroids to Reduce Systemic Inflammation after Neonatal Heart Surgery (STRESS Trial)

2017/2018 Primary Investigator, Retrospective Review of Hydrocortisone Use for Refractory Vasoactive Shock in Cardiac Intensive Care Patients

2016/2017 State of Practice Assessment of Hydrocortisone Use for Management of Vasoactive Resistant Shock through Consortium for Congenital Cardiac Care

2016/2018 Co-Investigator, Pediatric Acute Delirium Study

2015 Co-Investigator, Nurse Residency Program India

2008/2010 Nursing Research Intern

Professional Activities

2021-present PCICS APP Mentorship Program, Co-Creator and current Co-Chair

2019-Present Program Committee Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society Conferences, Co-Chair for 2021/2022

2019-Present Acute Care Tower Planning Workgroup Cincinnati Childrens Hospital

2019-Present Neonatal Heart Society, member

2018-Present Advanced Cardiac Therapies Improving Outcomes Network (ACTION), member

2018-Present Simulation facilitator for PCICS APP simulations through various host sites

2017-Present Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society (PCICS) Research White Paper Sub-Committee

2017-Present Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society (PCICS) Education Committee

2017-Present Pediatric Nursing Certification Board (PNCB) Exam Item Writer

2016-Present Consortium for Congenital Cardiac Care Measurement of Nursing Practice

2015-Present Pediatric Cardiac Intensive Care Society (PCICS) Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum Sub-committee

- Lead for Didactic Course Steering Committee
- Development and implementation of both didactic and simulation content

- Course coordinator for multiple courses

2015-2021 Cincinnati Childrens Hospital Medical Center CICU/OR Collaborative Committee

Teaching Opportunities

1/2021	Cardiomyopathies, University of Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, OH. Guest Lecturer
3/2020	Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum Course, Atlanta, GA. Single Ventricle Physiology, Tetralogy of Fallot, Cardiopulmonary Interactions, ECHO, Unfolding Cases, Course coordinator, Facilitator for simulations
4/2019	Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum Course, Cincinnati, OH. Tetralogy of Fallot, Single Ventricle Physiology, Cardiopulmonary Interactions, Unfolding Cases, Course coordinator, Facilitator for simulation
12/2018	Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum Course, Miami, FL. Single Ventricle Physiology, Tetralogy of Fallot, and Low Cardiac Output Lectures
6/2018	Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum Course, TCH Houston, TX. Single Ventricle Physiology, TOF Anatomy and Physiology, Procedures, Low Cardiac Output Syndrome, Cardiopulmonary Interactions Lectures, Facilitator for simulation
12/2017	Advanced Practice Provider Curriculum Course Washington, DC. Single Ventricle Physiology, TOF/MAPCAs Anatomy and Physiology Lectures
11/2017	Truncus Arteriosus, CICU/CV Surgery Grand Rounds Lecture
3/2016	Pulmonary Hypertension, CICU/CV Surgery Grand Rounds Lecture
2016	CCHMC/UK Joint Collaborative Cardiac Curriculum, Multiple cardiac lectures
2016/2017	Single Ventricle Physiology, Cardiac Core Curriculum Course, CCHMC
2015/2016/2017	Tetralogy of Fallot and Multiple Aortopulmonary Collaterals, Cardiac Core Curriculum Course, CCHMC
2015/2016	Complications in the CICU, Cardiac Core Curriculum Course, CCHMC
2015	Double Outlet Right Ventricle and Transposition of the Great Arteries, Cardiac Core Curriculum Course, CCHMC
9/2015	ALCAPA Case Presentation, CICU/CV Surgery Grand Rounds Lecture
3/2015	Shones Complex Presentation, CICU/CV Surgery Grand Rounds Lecture
2013	Development and implementation of diabetes teaching for new diagnosis patients for patients, and families in the PICU at Centennial Medical Center

Academic Courses and Involvement

2021	7055 Clinical Application PNP-AC, Faculty
2021,2020,2019,2018	7014 Advanced Health Assessment Clinical Lab, Faculty
2020,2019,2018	7022 Advanced Practice Pediatric Acute Care 1, Faculty
2021,2020,2019,2018	7045 Advanced Practice Pediatric Acute Care Practicum 1, Faculty
2021,2020,2019,2018	7095 Advanced Practice Pediatric Acute Care Practicum 2, Faculty
2021	DNP Project Committee Member

International Involvement

- February 2019 Content development for international CICU APP Course in Malaysia (Collaboration with Children's Heartlink)
Institut Jantung Negara in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- June 2016 Cardiac Surgery Trip with International Children's Heart Foundation
Georgetown, Guyana for 2 weeks
- July 2016 Nurse Residency Program Course Development and Educator for Research Study
with Children's Heartlink
Bangalore, India at Narayna Hospital

Manuscript Review

- 2019- Journal reviewer Cardiology in the Young
Present

