

### 3RD ANNUAL CONFERENCE

## Launching and Enhancing Your Postgraduate Training Programs

### **Kerry Bamrick, MBA**

#### **Director, Postgraduate Residency Training Programs; Community Health Center, Inc.**

Kerry Bamrick is the Executive Director for the National Nurse Practitioner Residency and Fellowship Training Consortium (NNPRFTC). In this role, she serves as the key management leader of the NNPRFTC. Bamrick is responsible for overseeing the administrative, fiscal, and technical, programs, and services of the NNPRFTC while carrying out the strategic plan of the organization. As the Executive, key responsibilities include oversight of the development, implementation, and operation of the Accreditation Commission of the organization in accord with the rules governing that Commission, supporting the business growth and development of accreditation business for the NNPRFTC, and achieving/maintaining USDE recognition as an accreditation organization. Over the last twelve years, she has been directly involved in the growth and development of the organization including moving it from an informal group of six organizations to becoming its own 501c3. In addition, Bamrick was a member of the accreditation planning committee and contributed to the development of consortium's accreditation standards. She served as both faculty and trainee in the online accreditation site visitor-training program, was directly involved in CHCI's Nurse Practitioner residency program accreditation application and participated on an NP residency accreditation site visit as an "observer" in 2018.

Bamrick is a recognized leader in the area of postgraduate nurse practitioner residency training. She has extensive experience in both managing postgraduate nurse practitioner residency training programs and serving as a content expert to organizations interested in implementing postgraduate residency and fellowship programs. Prior to becoming the Executive Director, she managed CHCI's remotely hosted nurse practitioner residency programs in the states of California, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts, New York, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Washington. Bamrick served as the Co-Principal Investigator for HRSA's National Cooperative Agreement (NCA) on Clinical Workforce Development focused on providing training and technical assistance to health centers interested in transforming teams and training the next generation. Her passion and interest in this field is reflected in her work nationally.

Bamrick has an undergraduate degree from Merrimack College and a Master's Degree in Business Administration from Western New England College.

### **Garrett Chan, PhD, RN, CNS-BC, ACNP-C, FAEN, FPCN, FCNS, FNAP, FAAN**

#### **Associate Adjunct Professor at the University of California, San Francisco; President and CEO of HealthImpact**

Dr. Garrett Chan is Associate Adjunct Professor at the University of California, San Francisco, and President and CEO of **HealthImpact**, the California designated nursing workforce and policy center. His scholarship and policy work has focused on palliative care and emergency nursing, advanced practice registered nursing scope of practice and education, and nursing workforce strategy and development. He was the Director of Advanced Practice at Stanford Health Care where he created the advanced practice provider fellowship in specialty practice.

Dr. Chan has practiced as a critical care/emergency/trauma and palliative care certified clinical nurse specialist and an emergency/critical care and urgent care certified nurse practitioner in community and academic medical centers. Dr. Chan has been working with academic institutions, healthcare systems, policy organizations, and governments in Norway, Japan, and Switzerland to create the role and educational standards for advanced practice nursing in those countries.

Dr. Chan earned his BSN from San Jose State University, his Master's and PhD at the University of California, San Francisco, completed the National Institute of Nursing Research Summer Genetics Institute as a postdoctoral fellow, and graduated from the Senior Executive Program of the American College of Healthcare Executives. He is an elected Fellow in the Academy of Emergency Nursing, Palliative Care Nursing, Clinical Nurse Specialist Institute, National Academies of Practice, and the American Academy of Nursing.

### **Charise Corsino, MA**

#### **Program Director, NP Residency Program; Community Health Center, Inc.**

Charise Corsino is the Program Director for Community Health Center, Inc.'s (CHCI's) Nurse Practitioner Residency Training Programs. In this role, she manages the operations and growth of CHCI's NP Residency Programs which includes training programs for Family, Adult-Gerontology, Pediatric, and Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioners. In addition, Corsino also serves as expert faculty and coach on the National Collaborative Agreement on Clinical Workforce Development funded through HRSA. In this role, she supports organizations in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of new postgraduate NP Residency Programs at FQHCs across the country. Corsino has developed expertise in the development, planning, implementation, and operation of postgraduate NP Residency Programs, particularly focused on the safety net setting. She also serves as a member on CHCI's Emerging Leadership Team as well as Weitzman's Education Programs Leadership Team.

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**Charise Corsino, MA; Program Director, NP Residency Program; Community Health Center, Inc. (continued):**

Corsino joined CHCI in 2010 as the Program Manager for the Statewide Mobile Program and Community Wellness Programs, overseeing the organization's in-school dental program, Community Health Corps program, and a portfolio of community wellness programs. In 2012, she became the Director of Middlesex County Sites, managing the daily operations of three of CHCI's primary care health center locations. In 2014, she joined the Weitzman Institute as a Program Manager for the NP Residency Programs. Corsino completed training at the Dartmouth Institute and is a certified Clinical Microsystems coach. She also completed a 10-month Health Leadership Fellowship through the Connecticut Health Foundation focused on system-based strategies for reducing racial and ethnic health disparities in Connecticut.

Corsino earned a Bachelor of Science in Health Care Management from the University of Connecticut's School of Business and a Masters of Arts degree in Health Communication from Emerson College in collaboration with Tufts University School of Medicine.

### **Christi DeLamos, MSN, CNRN, ACNP-BC** **Chief of Advanced Practice; UC Davis Health Medical Center**

Christi DeLamos is the Chief of Advanced Practice at UC Davis Health in Sacramento, California. In that role, she oversees more than 200 advanced practice providers and five fellowship programs. She has been a nurse for 23 years with a wide range of experience in investigator and industry supported clinical research, medical surgical care, cardiology and neurological surgery. Her license/certifications include: RN/NP, NP furnishing, CNRN, BLS, ACLS, ENLS, ENLS instructor, ANCC Board certification in acute care.

DeLamos has served in leadership positions nationally and internationally for the American Association of Neuroscience Nurses and is the current president of the World Federation of Neuroscience Nurses. She has played an active role in professional governance for the Advanced Practice Nurses Council and was the recent recipient of Magnet Nurse of the Year for 2016. Other career awards include: The Daisy Award; UCD Clinical Excellence Award; Mercy Health McAuley Award for Outstanding Achievement; Excellence in Care Award Kaiser Permanente. DeLamos is a member of the Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society. She has authored book chapters and developed multilingual educational resources including a mobile application to enhance bedside skills for nurses who care for patients with neurological disease.

### **Radha Denmark, MSN, FNP-C** **Co-Director UNM APP Hospital Medicine Fellowship; University of New Mexico**

Radha Denmark is Director of Inpatient APPs and a nurse practitioner hospitalist at the University of New Mexico. She co-founded and co-directs the Hospital Medicine and General Surgery APP Fellowships and hopes to establish a department of postgraduate APP education at UNM Hospital. She completed her Master's degree as a family nurse practitioner at Frontier Nursing University in Kentucky in 2012 and her undergraduate nursing degree at the University of New Mexico in 2006. Her professional interests include substance use disorders and postgraduate APP education and transition to practice. Denmark has lectured on postgraduate APPs topics at the national APGAP and NNPRFTC conferences. She grew up an Army brat and loves to travel, garden, and listen to podcasts.

### **Patricia M. Dennehy, DNP, NP-C, FAAN** **Owner and Principal; Dennehy & Associates LLC**

Dr. Patricia Dennehy is the Owner and Principal of Dennehy & Associates LLC, a NP owned consulting firm.

Dr. Dennehy has worked with the leadership of LA County Department of Health Services (LACDHS) on projects examining the roles of advanced practice providers throughout the system. She has also led projects focusing on improving team-based care involving the use of quality improvement projects to engage staff and improve care outcomes, patient safety, and the care environment. She was the Project Director for LACDHS on a 3-year 1.5M grant from HRSA for Inter-professional Collaborative Practice which includes educational and practice outcomes. Currently she leads a team establishing an organizational approach to Nurse Practitioners within this large public system of care.

Prior to her work in LA, Dr. Dennehy was a Principal Consultant for Health Management Associates. She lead many projects including a 3-year grant with the State of Idaho taking 55 primary care practices through Primary Care Medical Home (PCMH) recognition/certification a year (total 165 practices over project period).

While at UCSF she was an Assistant Professor of Nursing and Director of Glide Health Services in San Francisco. Glide Health Services was a collaboration between the School of Nursing, Glide Foundation, Catholic Healthcare West-Saint Francis Memorial Hospital, and the San Francisco Department of Health Services. Her work there was funded by multiple sources including HRSA Division of Nursing and Public Health and many private foundations. She was the lead of the first HRSA grants for NP Residencies granted to UCSF/Glide and included UCLA as a sub-recipient.

Dr. Dennehy is a healthcare leader and strong spokesperson for nursing's contribution to healthcare access and quality. She has served on the Board of Directors for the following organizations: National Nurse Practitioner Residency & Fellowship Training Consortium, National Nursing Centers Consortium, and the San Francisco Community Clinic Consortium. She has provided testimony to the California Senate and has been invited to a White House Meeting for nurse leaders to discuss implementation of the ACA. She was appointed to an advisory panel at NIH on Genomics and practice.

Dr. Dennehy received her BSN and FNP from Sonoma State University, MSN from the University of California San Francisco and DNP from Rush University. In 2012, she was the recipient of the James Irvine Leadership Award for her "creative and inspirational leadership benefiting the people of California" for increasing the access to primary care through the use of nurse practitioner providers in expanded roles. In 2014, she received the Dr. Francis Curry Award for promoting the role of nurses in primary care.

### **Mitchel Erickson, BSN, MSN, ACNP**

#### **Associate Chief of Advanced Practice; UCSF Health**

Mitchel Erickson graduated from the University of British Columbia in 1981 in Food Science and Human Nutrition and again from the School of Nursing in 1989. Between those degrees he engaged in bench research at UBC in both Nutritional Sciences and in Psychiatry. The psychiatric genetics research took him to Columbia University doing site research in Prince Edward Island in a joint effort with UBC. He has engaged in nursing student advocacy and lobbying in Canada and in California. In 1990, he immigrated to the United States and completed his graduate education at the University of California San Francisco in 1997 and has held several clinical and administrative positions. He was the first nurse practitioner hospitalist at UCSF Health to bring more advanced practice providers to inpatient management and then moved to Emergency Medicine to practice as the first advanced practice provider to pioneer the broad management of all clinical presentations.

Erickson filled the first Associate Chief of Advanced Practice role for UCSF Health in 2016 overseeing the practice of more than 600 advanced practice providers. He worked to foster the growth of an ANCC accreditation for the NP Fellowship Program and has holds a joint appointment as an associate clinical professor at the UCSF School of Nursing. He is the current elected Chair of the California Board of Registered Nursing's Advanced Practice Advisory Committee and initiated the University of California APP Strategy Committee for all the UC Health Systems in California. He has held several board positions with Doctors for Global Health (DGH), a non-profit organization partnering with communities around the globe supporting their efforts to create a healthy community through accompaniment and liberation medicine.

### **Margaret M. Flinter, APRN, PhD, FAAN, FAANP, c-FNP**

#### **Senior Vice President and Clinical Director, Community Health Center, Inc.; Founder Emeritus, Weitzman Institute**

Dr. Margaret Flinter is the Senior VP and Clinical Director of the Community Health Center, Inc. (CHCI), a statewide federally qualified health center serving 150,000 patients from its primary care centers across Connecticut, while leading practice transformation initiatives across the country. A family nurse practitioner since 1980, she has held progressive roles in the organization as both primary care provider and executive leader. She founded the Weitzman Institute, CHCI's research, innovation, and education arm in 2005.

Flinter served as the national co-director of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Primary Care Teams: Learning from Effective Ambulatory Practices (LEAP) project, which studied exemplar primary care practices across the country. She has led the national development of a model of postgraduate residency training programs for new nurse practitioners and established the National Nurse Practitioner Residency & Fellowship Training Consortium. Flinter is the Principal Investigator for HRSA's National Cooperative Agreement on Clinical Workforce Development and for the past ten years, has been the co-host of a weekly radio show, "Conversations on Health Care", which connects people with issues of health policy, reform, and innovation. She speaks widely on topics related to leadership and primary care transformation.

Flinter received her BSN from the University of Connecticut, her MSN from Yale University, and her PhD at the University of Connecticut. She is a fellow of the American Academy of Nursing and the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners.

### **Angela Forbes, ARNP**

#### **Inpatient Chief Clinical Officer, APP Fellowship Supervisor, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner; Seattle Children's Hospital**

Angela Forbes is a pediatric nurse practitioner in the cancer care unit at Seattle Children's Hospital. She began her career at Seattle Children's Hospital as a cancer care unit coordinator, and having been inspired by the nurses in her unit, she went on to pursue a career in nursing. Since 2017, Forbes has been a member of the leadership team for the Advanced Practice Provider (APP) Fellowship and is currently the Interim Fellowship Director.

Forbes received her undergraduate degree from Seattle Pacific University and then went on to work as a pediatric oncology nurse at Seattle Children's Hospital. She earned her master's degree from New York University, where she was honored as the Distinguished Graduate and received the Division of Nursing Alumni Association Master's Achievement Award. After graduation, she worked at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, specializing in caring for critically ill children with cancer and other immunological diseases. Forbes returned to Seattle Children's Hospital in 2011 to continue her career. She has spoken internationally, nationally, and locally about the care of pediatric patients.

Originally from Belfast, Northern Ireland, Forbes lives in Seattle with her daughter, Chloe, and their dog, Cookie. Her interests include traveling, watching bad British television, and reading.

### **DoQuyen Huynh, DNP, FNP**

#### **Principal Consultant at Bridgestone Consulting; Accreditation Commission Chair, NNPRFTC**

As the principal of Bridgestone Consulting, Dr. DoQuyen (Quyen) Huynh is an innovative leader with a decade of primary care experience, programmatic development, business strategies, and public speaking. She specializes in postgraduate residencies and fellowships for advanced practice clinicians, with expertise in adult learning and clinical education.

In her previous work at International Community Health Services (ICHS), Dr. Huynh provided primary care to diverse populations in the greater Seattle area from 2010–2020. She created and directed one of the most successful Nurse Practitioner Residency programs in the country which has served as the benchmark for many to follow. As Chair of Clinical Education and Research, she ensured collaboration and quality of interprofessional education and practice between the NP, dental, and medical residencies, along with other clinical internships and externships at ICHS. Dr. Huynh is dedicated to social justice, through providing healthcare to underserved populations and building the next generation of clinicians to serve those most vulnerable in our society.

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**DoQuyen Huynh, DNP, FNP**; Principal Consultant at Bridgestone Consulting; Accreditation Commission Chair, NNPRFTC (continued):

In 2014, she founded the Northwest Consortium of Advanced Practice & Education (NW CAPE) which is a platform for 14 organizations to collaborate and grow their postgraduate training programs in the Pacific Northwest. In 2015, Dr. Huynh was appointed to the board of the National Nurse Practitioner Residency & Fellowship Training Consortium (NNPRFTC), and continues to chair the organization's Accreditation Commission to oversee national accreditation, and to seek federal recognition of nurse practitioner postgraduate training programs.

She was selected by the American Association of Nurse Practitioners to be Washington State's Nurse Practitioner of 2017, Award of Excellence. Outside of healthcare, she is an active entrepreneur of more than 15 years, with a diverse portfolio in real estate investment, wedding and entertainment industry services, and restaurant development, all of which informed her business strategies.

Dr. Huynh received a BA from the University of Washington before earning her BSN, MSN, and DNP in Systems Leadership from Seattle University.

### **Mitch Katz, MD**

#### **Chief Executive Officer, NYC Health + Hospitals**

Dr. Katz is the President and Chief Executive Officer of NYC Health + Hospitals, the largest municipal health system in the United States, with 11 acute care hospitals, 5 skilled nursing facilities, dozens of community health centers, a home care agency, and an insurance plan, MetroPlus Health. He was appointed January 8, 2018. During his first year, Dr. Katz has focused on advancing the transformation of the public health care system with numerous new initiatives to expand access to primary care services, reduce administrative costs, invest in more front-line clinical staff, and build financial stability.

Previously, Dr. Katz was the Director of the Los Angeles County Health Agency, an agency that combines the Departments of Health Services, Public Health, and Mental Health into a single entity so as to provide more integrated care and programming within Los Angeles. The Agency has a budget of 7 billion dollars, 28,000 employees, and a large number of community partners. Dr. Katz served as the Director of the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services (DHS), the second largest public safety net system in the United States. During this time, he created the ambulatory care network and empaneled over 350,000 patients to a primary care home. He eliminated the deficit of DHS through increased revenues and decreased administrative expenses, and used the new ACA funding to pay for an integrated electronic health system. He moved over 4,000 medically complex patients from hospitals and emergency departments into independent housing, thereby eliminating unnecessary expensive hospital care and giving the patients the dignity of their own home. Dr. Katz continued to see patients every week as an outpatient physician at Edward R. Roybal Comprehensive Health Center and on the inpatient medicine service at LAC+USC, Harbor-UCLA, and Olive View-UCLA Medical Centers.

Before he came to Los Angeles, Dr. Katz was the Director and Health Officer of the San Francisco Department of Health for 13 years. He is well-known for funding needle exchange, creating Healthy San Francisco, outlawing the sale of tobacco at pharmacies, and winning ballot measures for rebuilding Laguna Honda Hospital and San Francisco General Hospital. He is a graduate of Yale College and Harvard Medical School. He completed an internal medicine residency at UCSF Medical School and was an RWJ Clinical Scholar.

He is the Deputy Editor of *JAMA Internal Medicine*, an elected member of the National Academy of Sciences (previously the Institute of Medicine) and the recipient of the Los Angeles County Medical Association 2015 Healthcare Champion of the year.

### **Leah LaRusch MSPAS, PA-C, RT (N)**

#### **Director UNM APP General Surgery Fellowship; PA Emergency General Surgery; Department of Surgery UNMH**

Leah LaRusch began her career in science as a research technician at the UNM Cancer Research Facility, performing bench side experiments in cell signaling, focusing on the role of arrests in N-formyl peptide receptor (FPR) trafficking. She worked as a nuclear medicine technologist in Albuquerque for 8 years at the VAMC and Presbyterian Downtown Hospital, and ultimately became a PA in 2015 and has been practicing in Emergency General Surgery at UNMH ever since. LaRusch is mother to a beautiful baby girl, as well as to fur babies, and is a yoga and fitness enthusiast.

### **Garrett Matlick, BSN, MSN, MPH, FNP**

#### **Family Nurse Practitioner; Community Health Center, Inc.**

Garrett Matlick is a Family Nurse Practitioner at Community Health Center, Inc. at CHCI's Stamford location and a graduate of CHCI's NP Residency '18-'19 cohort. Initially, he graduated with a BA in Photography from the University of Arizona, after which he spent three years in Cambodia as a Community Health Educator with the U.S. Peace Corps. Since that time, Matlick has completed an accelerated BSN at the University of Missouri-Kansas City and both his MSN and Master of Public Health at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, MD, where he served as adjunct faculty for the Public Health Nursing course. While at Johns Hopkins, he also completed two graduate certificates in Applied Epidemiology and Environmental and Occupational Health. Matlick is currently enrolled in a Doctor of Nursing Practice program at Rush University with a specialty focus as a Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, as he plans to explore the role of a dual-certified FNP/PMHNP. His professional interests lie in substance use disorders, dual diagnosis, prevention of psychiatric re-hospitalization, as well as the development of NP residency/fellowship programs and dissemination of related research. Matlick is currently published in both the *American Journal of Nursing* and the *Journal of the American Association of Nurse Practitioners*.



### **Nancy Noyes, RN, MS, PPCNP-BC, PMHCNS-BC**

#### **Fellowship Program Director; Child and Adolescent PMHNP Postgraduate Fellowship; Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner; Nationwide Children's Hospital**

Nancy Noyes is the Fellowship Program Director for the Child and Adolescent PMHNP postgraduate fellowship and Child and Adolescent Psychiatric NP at Nationwide Children's Hospital in Columbus, OH. She currently has been trained and serves as a site visitor for the National Nurse Practitioner Residency & Fellowship Consortium (NNPRFTC). Noyes was previously at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital on the Consult-Liaison service where she treated several children and adolescents with delirium. While at St. Jude, she also served as a palliative care NP as well as the Bereavement Coordinator, and developed and implemented the bereavement program at the institution.

Noyes is the former Clinical Director of the Child and Adolescent Neuropsychiatric Research Program at Cambridge Health Alliance and was involved in clinical trials in children and adolescents with bipolar disorder, psychosis, and autism spectrum disorders. She also worked at Boston Children's Hospital in the outpatient psychopharmacology clinic. Noyes had a private practice while living in Maine and provided psychopharmacology consultation to a larger Pediatric Primary Care group practice.

Noyes received her Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing from West Virginia University and her Master of Science degree in Nursing Administration from the University of New Hampshire. In 2000, she completed two certificates of advanced studies both as a Pediatric Primary Care and Mental Health Nurse Practitioner at Northeastern University in Boston, Massachusetts.

Since 1980, Noyes has presented many lectures both locally and nationally on such topics as pediatric cancer care, juvenile bipolar disorder, ADHD, childhood depression, and pediatric delirium. She has also served in administrative and educational roles as an advanced practice nurse.

Noyes is a member of the American Psychiatric Nurse's Association and a member of the Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society. She has also served on committees developing test questions for certification examinations.

### **Luis Padilla, MD, FAAFP**

#### **Associate Administrator for Health Workforce; Director of the National Health Service Corps; Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services**

The Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW) aims to better meet the need for a well-trained, well-distributed 21st century workforce by strengthening the health workforce and connecting skilled professionals to communities in need. With an annual appropriation of more than \$1.5 billion, the bureau administers over 40 workforce programs with a staff of more than 450. BHW improves access to quality health care by developing, distributing, and retaining a diverse and culturally competent health workforce. The bureau supports the health care workforce across the entire education and training to service continuum—from academic training of nurses, physicians, and other clinicians to clinicians currently providing health care in underserved and rural communities across the United States.

Dr. Padilla was appointed associate administrator for the bureau of health workforce in May 2016. He also serves as director of the National Health Service Corps, BHW's largest program, with a field strength of approximately 13,900 clinicians nationwide.

Prior to joining BHW, Dr. Padilla was senior health policy advisor to the CEO of Unity Health Care in Washington, D.C., a federally qualified health center network with over 100,000 patients. A committed advocate for the underserved, Dr. Padilla is a former NHSC Scholar who completed his service at Unity's Upper Cardozo Health Center, where he also served as its medical director. He served on the National Advisory Council of the NHSC from 2007 to 2010.

A board-certified family physician, Dr. Padilla received a Bachelor of Arts in philosophy and a Bachelor of Science in biology from the University of California at Irvine. He earned his medical degree from Wake Forest School of Medicine and completed his family medicine residency at Brown University.

### **Susanne J. Phillips, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN**

#### **Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs and Clinical Professor; University of California, Irvine**

Dr. Phillips is a board-certified Family Nurse Practitioner with experience in primary care serving in community, private, academic, and entrepreneurial practice since 1996. As the Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs and Clinical Professor at the University of California, Irvine, she serves as an educator teaching health policy, legal and professional issues in nursing, and advanced pharmacology while chairing the NP faculty practice within the Sue & Bill Gross School of Nursing. The NP faculty practice serves the UC Irvine Federally Qualified Health Centers, UC Irvine Health Faculty Practice, and UCI Student Health, providing dedicated family practice clinical education for graduate and undergraduate nursing students. Most recently, the NP faculty practice developed and implemented the COVID-19 Testing Program for UC Irvine Health, which continues today. The program is currently developing a Family Nurse Practitioner Fellowship in Vulnerable Populations in collaboration with our FQHC and family medicine residency.

Dr. Phillips is a recognized leader in NP scope and standards of care, focusing on transition to practice legislation and regulation. Dedicated to providing clinicians, administrators, and policymakers with national updates on laws affecting nurse practitioners throughout the country, Susanne authors "The Annual APRN Legislative Update" each January in *The Nurse Practitioner*.

### ***Danielle Potter, MSN, APRN, FNP-C***

#### **Program Director and Co-Creator of El Rio APRN Residency Program; El Rio Community Health Center**

Danielle Potter, MSN, APRN, FNP-C is Program Director and co-creator of the El Rio APRN Residency Program in Tucson, Arizona. She received her BSN from the University of St. Francis in Illinois and then relocated to Tucson to start her nursing career at Tucson Medical Center in adult and neonatal critical care in 2004. Potter received her MSN, FNP from the University of Phoenix in Arizona in 2011. She joined El Rio Community Health Center in 2012. Her passions include improving the health of the community, providing healthcare access to underserved populations, lifelong learning, and training the next generation. She has provided primary care as a Nurse Practitioner at various sites in the Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) setting including a variety of primary care clinics, homeless outreach, and the Birth and Women's Health Center.

Potter has taken on educator roles as a Registered Nurse mentoring pre-nursing students, precepting Nurse Externs, presenting lectures for new graduate nurses, and mentoring new employee nurses. She continues to educate Nurse Practitioner students as a primary preceptor and mentors existing nurse practitioner staff through a Pediatric Fellowship Program at El Rio. Potter completed training in the 2018-2019 NCA Postgraduate Residency Learning Collaborative. She is a member of the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners, Association of Postgraduate APRN Programs, National Nurse Practitioner Residency & Fellowship Training Consortium, Southern Arizona Advanced Practice Practitioner Society, and Sigma Theta Tau International. Potter was honored to present on Academic Partnerships in Postgraduate Training at the National Nurse Practitioner Residency & Fellowship Training Consortium 2nd Annual Conference and she has been invited to present on Workforce Development in Federally Qualified Health Centers: Nurse Practitioner Residency Programs at the 2020 Beyond Flexnor Conference. Her goal is to create and expand a comprehensive Nurse Practitioner Residency Program to prepare Nurse Practitioners to provide excellent primary care to diverse populations in the FQHC setting.

### ***John R. Roberts, DNP, ANP-BC***

#### **NP Residency Program Director; Harbor Health Services**

John R. Roberts, DNP, ANP-BC has worked for Harbor Health Services in Boston for 28 years. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Biology from The Citadel, a Master's degree in cardiovascular nursing from the Yale University School of Nursing, a postgraduate certificate as an Adult Nurse Practitioner from Simmons University, and a Doctorate of Nursing Practice in informatics from the Massachusetts General Hospital Institute of Health Professions. He serves as the Director of the Harbor Health Services Family Nurse Practitioner Residency as well as a staff NP and Clinical Information Specialist for Harbor Health. Roberts has been a faculty member at both Simmons and Chamberlain Universities, teaching nursing informatics and physical assessment.

### ***Matthew J. Roman, LICSW, MBA***

#### **Chief Operating & Behavioral Health Officer; Thundermist Health Center**

Matthew J. Roman is a senior healthcare leader with more than two decades of extensive experience in all facets of health care management including clinical program and policy development, strategic planning, recruitment, and partnership development. As a Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker (LICSW), Roman has delivered behavioral health services to individuals across the lifespan in many different health care settings, and as such, brings a provider's perspective to health care administration.

Roman received his Bachelors of Science in Psychology from St. Lawrence University, his Master of Social Work from New York University, and his Master of Business Administration from the University of Rhode Island. Presently, he serves as Chief Operating and Behavioral Health Officer at Thundermist Health Center, where he provides leadership to a staff of over 600, as well as clinical oversight to the agency's behavioral health program. Thundermist delivers health care services to more than 50,000 individuals each year.

Roman oversees the operations of multiple educational partnerships including the Family Medicine Physician Residency, Brown University Warren Alpert School of Medicine Global Health Fellowship, Family Medicine Postgraduate Nurse Practitioner Residency, Postgraduate Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner Residency, and Medicine Global/Maternal Child Health Fellowship. He serves as an Adjunct Professor of Nursing at the University of Rhode Island Graduate School Of Nursing. Roman has won multiple awards during his career, including: the First Annual New York University School of Social Work Excellence in Social Work Research Award; Collaborative Leadership in Action Award; and Rhode Island Pharmacist Association Professional Service Award. He served as the Co-Chair of Rhode Island's Statewide Care Transformation Collaborative (RI-CTC) Integrated Behavioral Health Committee from 2013 to 2020.

### ***Nicole Seagriff, BSN, MSN, DNP***

#### **On-Site Medical Director; Clinical Program Director, NP Residency Program; Community Health Center, Inc.**

Nicole Seagriff is a Family Nurse Practitioner and the On-Site Medical Director of the Norwalk and Stamford sites of Community Health Center, Inc. (CHCI). She is also the Clinical Program Director for the Postgraduate Nurse Practitioner Residency Program as well as a preceptor in the Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) program. She started at CHCI in 2011 in the Family Nurse Practitioner Residency Program at the Meriden site. Seagriff completed her Doctor of Nurse Practice degree at Duke University in 2016 with a focus on screening for BRCA mutations among underserved populations. She graduated from Boston College with her BSN and Yale University with her MSN. Outside of her work for CHCI, she is committed to fundraising for breast cancer research as well as spreading awareness and education about breast cancer risk through various speaking engagements.

### **Ronna Smith, MN, ARNP, APP**

#### **Education Manager/APP Administration; Seattle Children's Hospital**

Ronna Smith has been at Seattle Children's since 2005. She spent 10 years in the Otolaryngology Clinic then moved on to develop and lead the Newborn Rounder team that staffs 2 regional hospitals. She also was the first to hold the APP Education Manager role where she lead the effort to develop innovative ways to train and onboard new APPs, most notably our nationally accredited APP Fellowship program. Smith serves as clinical faculty for the University of Washington School of Nursing. As a nurse, she spent many years working with the pediatric pulmonary population at Mary Bridge Children's Hospital, specializing in cystic fibrosis and asthma.

Smith is a member of Washington State NapNap, on the board of advisors for APPEX, a national APP leadership group, a member of ARNPs United, and several other APP and APP Fellowship leadership groups. She earned her BSN from Pacific Lutheran University and received her MSN from the University of Washington. She is board-certified as a pediatric nurse practitioner (PNP-BC).

Smith is an avid reader and tries to make the most of her famously bad Seattle commute by listening to books on tape. She also enjoys gardening, cooking, and wine tasting. She has four grown children and four granddaughters. Although her WebEx, Zoom, and FaceTime skills have developed considerably, the only slightly successful quarantine hobby has been the cultivation of a sourdough starter that has so far failed to yield any bread.

### **Patricia M. Vanhook, PhD, APRN, FNP-BC, FAAN**

#### **Professor, Associate Dean, Practice & Community Partnerships; FNP Residency Program Director; East Tennessee State University College of Nursing**

Patricia M. Vanhook, PhD, APRN, FNP-BC, FAAN, is an Associate Professor and Associate Dean, Practice and Community Partnerships in the College of Nursing East Tennessee State University College of Nursing. She is responsible for the administrative oversight of the college's 9 nurse-led clinics. The 7 sites comprise five FQHC, one RHC, Student and University Health, and one secondary school-based clinic. Since 2009, she has led the college in the achievement of over \$50 million in internal and external funding for research, clinical, and student support activities. Vanhook teaches in the PhD and DNP curriculum and maintains clinical practice at one of the college's rural health sites. She holds a joint appointment in the College of Public Health as adjunct faculty and visiting professor for University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas. She has published and presented nationally and internationally on topics related to professional nursing practice, stroke outcomes in women, IOM Future of Nursing Report implications for international nursing, nurse-led health centers, and creating nurse-led medical-legal partnerships.

Vanhook was recognized as the *Tri-Cities Business Journal* Healthcare Hero July 2016; Notable Women of ETSU (2016); ETSU President's Trust (2016); Mountain Empire Community College Outstanding Alumni (2016); 60th Anniversary ETSU College of Nursing Outstanding Graduates (2014); Fellow American Academy of Nurses (2012). She serves on the National Medical-Legal Partnership Advisory Council, and the American Academy of Nursing Primary Care Leadership Panel Steering Committee. She currently serves as co-chair for the Primary Care Expert Panel of the American Academy of Nursing. Vanhook is a member of Phi Kappa Phi and Sigma Theta Tau Epsilon Sigma Honor Societies.

### **Micah Weinberg, PhD**

#### **CEO, California Forward**

Dr. Weinberg is Chief Executive Officer for California Forward. This cross-sector civic leadership group is committed to producing prosperity for all Californians in all of the state's regions, and to improving government performance and accountability. Prior to joining CA Forward, Dr. Weinberg was President of the Bay Area Council Economic Institute, the leading think tank focused on the most critical economic and policy issues facing the Silicon Valley/San Francisco region, and was a Senior Research Fellow at New America. Dr. Weinberg's writing has appeared in diverse outlets from the *New York Times* to *Policy Studies Journal*, and he has appeared on *Fox News* and *NPR*.

Dr. Weinberg's work focuses on increasing the dynamism, resilience, and inclusiveness of communities in California and throughout the nation and world. This requires all people to have access to the building blocks of the "California Dream" including economic opportunity, health and wellbeing, affordable transportation, housing, lifelong education, and a healthy environment.

He holds a doctoral degree in Political Science from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and graduated with honors from Princeton University with a degree in Politics. He serves on the Board of the American Cancer Society for the Greater Bay Redwood Region and the Advisory Boards of the Insure the Uninsured Project, Hamilton Families, Rise Together Bay Area, and Covered California for Small Business. He lives in Oakland California with his wife and son.

### **Dan Wilensky, MD**

#### **Chief Preceptor and Medical Consultant, APRN Residency Program; Community Health Center, Inc.**

Dr. Wilensky grew up in Brooklyn, NY. He received his BA in Psychology and then his MD from the University of Virginia. He is certified with the American Board of Family Physicians after completing his residency at the University of Connecticut in 1995. Most of Dr. Wilensky's career has been focused on treating the underserved. He has seen patients in the Meriden, CT site of Community Health Center, Inc. (CHCI) since 2003. Dr. Wilensky also serves on CHCI's Weitzman Institute in several capacities. He is the Chief Preceptor and Medical Consultant to CHCI's APRN Residency Program, including remotely hosted programs. He is also the medical faculty for Project ECHO—Complex Cases, the first ECHO for nursing education. Dr. Wilensky is also serves as the Medical Director of ConferMED, Weitzman's eConsults network, and provides Adult Complex Primary Care eConsults.