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Retired since 2001

- **Albuquerque Museum of Art and History:** 2006 to present
Educating and leading public tours on Southwest History and Art as Advanced Museum Docent; Member Museum Volunteer Board from 2006 to 2011
- **Albuquerque Museum of Art and History:** 2004-2006 Graduated from two year Docent Training Program
- **New Mexico Museum of Natural History and Science:** 2005 to present
Present engaging public educational tours to adults and children
- **Presbyterian Kaseman Hospice:** 2005 to present
Provide integrated physical, emotional and spiritual support for patients and families
- **University of New Mexico, School of Medicine, Dental Hygiene Program:** 2006 - 2007
Part-time Faculty: Successfully educated students in advanced clinical and preventive care while they provided direct patient services for underserved populations
- **Tutor:** 2005 Inspired Title I 2nd graders in math and English
- **Presbyterian Hospital:** 2002-2003 Participated in Chaplain Training Program

NM Department of Finance and Administration, Local Government Division 1998 - 2001

- **Grant Manager:** Integrated Federal "School to Work" Grant for statewide public schools through higher educational institutions

NM State Senate 1993 – 2001 (during Legislative Sessions)

- **Legislative bill analyst:** Researched NMSA, composed analysis, and edited proposed legislation under extreme time constraints; supervised staff
- **Coordinated,** developed and integrated materials to assist State Senators

NM Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department 1994 - 1996

- **Staff Development Coordinator:** Formulated and provided professional training on quality customer service, communication skills, and effective management for 500 staff in five divisions: Division of Oil Conservation; Mining and Minerals Division; State Forestry Division; Administrative Services Division; and NM State Parks Division

NC Enterprises 1991 – 1996 part time

- **Owner and Consultant:** Developed and facilitated training for public/private agencies on team building, safety in the workplace and advocacy

University of New Mexico Dental Programs 1976 - 1994 part time

- **Faculty:** Clinical and classroom instructor for dental hygiene, microbiology, patient case management, advanced clinical skills, anesthesia, safety, infection control, and ethics
- Integrated nationally approved educational standards and requirements
- Successfully inspired diverse student audiences to achieve educational goals

NM Department of Regulation and Licensing 1987

- **Division Director of Boards and Commissions:** Managed 24 professional boards
- Implemented management collaboration

NM Commission on the Status of Women 1979-1982

- **Liaison:** coordinated and provided community and governmental relations; analyzed legislation impacting women; developed programs between local and state agencies

Dental Hygienist: RDH since 1971

- Licensed dental hygienist in State of New Mexico, Wisconsin, and California
- Practiced dental hygiene part-time in NM - provided complete scope of diagnosis, local anesthesia, nitrous oxide, periodontal treatments, prevention and education

Board of Dentistry: 1979 Governor Appointee

- First Registered Dental Hygienist on Board: Examined and licensed dental hygienists
- Participated in oversight of NM statutes and ethics

Community boards and organizations:

- **Albuquerque Museum of Art and History Volunteer Board:** 2006 – 2011
- **Albuquerque Museum of Art and History Chair Travel:** 2008-2011
- **Kaseman Hospice Volunteer:** 2005 - present
- **Homeowner's Association Member:** 2 terms 1992-1994, 2004-2007
- **Board of Deacons First Presbyterian Church:** 2 terms 1998-2001, 2009-2011
 - Chair Board of Deacons 2011
- **Healthcare for the Homeless:** 1990-1991 Member
- **NM Board of Dentistry:** 1979 Member
- **New Mexico Dental Hygienists' Association:** 1972 – present
 - 1975-85 Delegate to national organization
 - Lobbied NM Legislature for comprehensive patient care
- **American Dental Hygienists' Association:** 1972 – present
 - 1986 Vice President: Impacted public access to dental health care

Education:

- **Master of Arts Degree in Educational Foundations** University of New Mexico 1978
- **Bachelor of Science Degree in Dental Hygiene** University of New Mexico 1975
- **Associate of Science Degree in Dental Hygiene** University of New Mexico 1971