

Rebecca K.R. Freeman

EDUCATION

Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health, New York, NY

- Master of Public Health, Population and Family Studies, February 2013 GPA: 4.0

Columbia University School of Nursing, New York, NY

- Master of Science, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program, February 2012 GPA: 3.9
- Bachelor of Science, Nursing, May 2010 GPA: 3.9
- Alumni Scholar, May 2010 and May 2011

Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA

- Bachelor of Science, Combined Science, June 2005
- Student Life Award, June 2005

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Webb Pediatric Clinic, Denver Health

August 2014-present

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner

- Conduct 20-24 visits per day including well child exams and sick encounters for ages birth to 18 years
- Manage the “complex care clinic” for medically and/or socially complicated patients who require close and detailed follow up with a team of caregivers
- Point of contact and primary care provider for babies born to mothers with HIV
- Perform comprehensive physical examinations and assess patient health status
- Evaluate, diagnose and treat common infant, childhood and adolescent health conditions
- Order and interpret laboratory tests and imaging studies, refer to specialist when required
- Precept nurse practitioner students from Regis University

Regis University, Loretto Heights School of Nursing

January 2020-present

Instructor

- Course faculty in the undergraduate department
- As teaching faculty, participate in development, implementation and evaluation of multiple undergraduate courses in Traditional, Accelerated and CHOICE pathways
- Serve as course faculty and clinical faculty for simulations and labs
- Member of the Diversity, Equity and Inclusivity committee
- Provide support, mentorship and additional academic support to students as needed

International Center for AIDS Care and Treatment Programs, Lesotho

May 2012- August 2012

Nursing Education Partnership Initiative (NEPI) Intern:

- Collaborated with the local NEPI team on their efforts toward strengthening the nursing training and education in Lesotho
- Conducted site visits to nursing schools, held discussion groups with students, instructors and staff
- Completed a report on the current status of nursing clinical training in Lesotho with recommendations and suggested improvements

Manhattan Children’s Center, New York, NY

September 2010-June 2012

Registered Nurse:

- Promoted and protected the health and wellbeing of the students and staff at a school for children on the autism spectrum.
- Assessed and implemented appropriate interventions in well and acutely ill children.
- Managed health information, immunization records, and school health protocols for students and staff.
- Provided health education and anticipatory guidance.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

La Clinica de la Familia, La Romana, Dominican Republic

August 2011

HIV infected and at-risk patients and families:

- Participated in a two week clinical rotation with Columbia University School of Nursing.
- Conducted clinical visits with HIV positive and at risk children, youth and adults.
- Carried out educational sessions with pregnant teenagers and sex workers.

Sound Shore Pediatric Ambulatory Care Center, New Rochelle, NY

June 2011- August 2011

Pediatric Primary Care:

- Conducted well child, episodic, and follow up visits for newborn to 18 year old patients.
- Managed primary care, referrals, laboratory and diagnostic testing needs for patients. Completed 8-10 visits per day.

Project STAY, Audubon Center, New York, NY

January 2011-August 2011

HIV positive and at risk youth healthcare clinic:

- Provided healthcare services to HIV positive and at risk youth.
- Assessed and monitored health status, viral status and medication adherence.
- Managed medical and emotional needs of patients.
- Provided support and assistance with health, living, relationship, housing, economic and social issues.

Hassenfeld Children's Center, New York, NY

January 2011-May 2011

Children's Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders:

- Provided out-patient chemotherapy and monitoring for patients with recurrent or active brain tumors.
- Assessed history, physical exam, neurological exam and laboratory findings to evaluate patient health status.
- Managed chemotherapy protocols through approved pediatric guidelines.
- Worked closely with social worker, psychologist, and support staff to assist patients and families during chemotherapy process.

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Pediatric Nurse Practitioner, Colorado (2012- present)
- Registered Professional Nurse, Colorado (2012- present)
- PALS Certification (2013-present)
- CPR and AED, Health Care Provider, American Heart Association (2012-present)

SKILLS

- Fluent in Spanish, certified Spanish speaking provider through Denver Health

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP/AWARDS

- National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners
- Sigma Theta Tau
- Nominee – Advanced Practice Nurse of the Year, Denver Health 2022 and 2023