

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## EDUCATION

Degree	Date	Field of Study	Institution
DNP	May 2017	Nursing	University of Iowa Iowa City, Iowa
MSN	August 2003	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program, University of Iowa Iowa City, Iowa
BSN	May 2001	Nursing	University of Iowa Iowa City, Iowa

DNP Project:  
Improving Services for Iowa Children with Autism Using a Framework for Action

## LICENSURE

2003 - present	Drug Enforcement Agency
2003 - present	Iowa Controlled Substance
2003 - present	Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner. Iowa Board of Nursing, #C-105998
2001 - present	Registered Nurse. Iowa Board of Nursing, #105998

## CERTIFICATIONS

2003 - present	Certified Pediatric Nurse Practitioner (CPNP), certification #20030740
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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Clinical Appointments

2019 - Present	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Center for Disabilities and Development Stead Family Children's Hospital Iowa City, Iowa
2010 - 2012	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner, Mercy Autism Clinic Dubuque, Iowa

2004 - 2015      Pediatric Nurse Practitioner  
Medical Associates Pediatrics  
Dubuque, Iowa

### **Academic Appointments**

2019-Present      Iowa LEND Faculty Director  
University of Iowa College of Nursing Students  
Iowa LEND Program, University of Iowa  
Iowa City, Iowa

2017 - Present      Clinical Assistant Professor  
University of Iowa College of Nursing  
Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Program  
Iowa City, Iowa

2015 - 2017      Senior Lecturer  
University of Iowa College of Nursing  
Iowa City, Iowa

2004 - 2015      Clinical Instructor  
University of Iowa College of Nursing  
Parent, Child and Family Area  
Iowa City, Iowa

2002 - 2005      Teaching Assistant  
University of Iowa College of Nursing  
Iowa City, Iowa

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

2018      Collegiate Teaching Award Nominee  
University of Iowa College of Nursing  
Nominated by a student for excellence in teaching

2021      Collegiate Teaching Award Nominee  
University of Iowa College of Nursing  
Nominated by student for excellence in teaching

### **SCHOLARSHIP**

### **Publications**

Crawford, D., Van Cleve, S., McCarthy, AM, **Kimm, V.**, Nielsen, AK & Lee, J. (2022).  
Exploring the Effects of the COVID-19 Pandemic on the Children and Families Cared  
for by Pediatric-Focused Advanced Practice Registered Nurses. Journal of Pediatric  
Health Care, 36 (4): 321-329.DOI: 10.1016/j.pedhc.2022.01.003

## **Evidence-based guidelines, standards of care or other professionally vetted white papers**

**Kimm** (2017). Support HSB41 for Autism Insurance Reform. (Evidence based guidelines disseminated to Iowa legislators and policy makers)

## **Testimony before governmental or regulatory agencies**

**Kimm** (2017). Testimony before Iowa House and Senate Members regarding evidence-based support for HSB41 for autism insurance reform.

## **Research and Clinical Presentations**

### ***International***

1. **Kimm, V.A.** (2018). *Advocating for children with autism through policy change*. International Conference of Nurse Practitioners/Advanced Practice Nurses, ICN, Rotterdam Netherlands. Conference Podium Presentation.
2. Van Cleve, S & **Kimm, V.A.** (2018). *Autism Spectrum Disorder in Children: Update for Primary Care Providers*. International Conference for Nurse Practitioners/Advanced Practice Nurses, Rotterdam Netherlands. Conference Podium Presentation.
3. Achenbach, A. & **Kimm, V.A.** (2018). *Providing quality patient-centered care for refugee children*. International Conference for Nurse Practitioners/Advanced Practice Nurses, ICN, Rotterdam Netherlands. Conference Podium Presentation.

### ***International Accepted Abstracts***

1. **Kimm, V.A.** (2020). Pharmacology update for common pediatric ear, nose and throat diagnoses. Concurrent session oral presentation. (Conference canceled due to COVID-19 pandemic)
2. **Kimm, V.A.** & Van Cleve, S. (2020). Diagnosis and management of autism spectrum disorders in children. E-poster presentation. (Conference canceled due to COVID-19 pandemic)

### ***National***

1. **Kimm, V.A.** (2019). *Advocating for children with autism through policy change*. NAPNAP National Annual Conference, NAPNAP, New Orleans, Louisiana. Conference Podium Presentation.
2. Achenbach, A. & **Kimm, V.A.** (2019). *Providing quality patient-centered care for refugee children*. NAPNAP National Annual Conference, NAPNAP, New Orleans, Louisiana. Conference Podium Presentation.

### ***State/Regional***

1. **Kimm, V.A.** (2024). Autism Overview for Pediatric Nurse Practitioners. National Association of Pediatric Nurses and Practitioners (NAPNAP) Iowa Chapter (IANP) Annual Conference. Invited Conference Podium Presentation. (10/4/2024)

2. **Kimm, V. A.** (2020). Update on Pediatric ENT Pharmacology. Iowa Association of Nurse Practitioners (INPS) Annual Conference. Des Moines, IA. Invited Conference Podium Presentation.
3. **Kimm, V. A.** (2019). Pediatric ENT Pharmacology Update. 2019 CON Preceptor Conference, University of Iowa College of Nursing. Invited Conference Podium Presentation.
4. **Kimm, V. A.** (2018). Autism Spectrum Disorder: A Toolkit for Nurses. Stead Family Children's Hospital Children and Women's Annual Conference, Coralville, Iowa. Invited Conference Podium Presentation.
5. **Kimm, V. A.** (2017). Beyond Diagnosis: My Patient Has Autism, Now What? Iowa Association of Nurse Practitioners Spring Conference, IANP, Coralville, Iowa. Invited Conference Podium Presentation.
6. **Kimm, V. A.** (2011). Autism: Navigating the Spectrum. Grant Wood Area Education Agency Autism Support Group, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Invited Podium Presentation.
7. **Kimm, V. A.** (2011). Autism Presentation CEU., Mercy Hospital, Dubuque, Iowa. Invited Podium Presentation.
8. **Kimm, V. A.** (2010). Autism: A Fragmented World. University of Iowa Children's Hospital Children's and Women's Services Fall Nursing Conference, University of Iowa Children's Hospital, Iowa City, Iowa. Invited Conference Podium Presentation.
9. **Kimm, V. A.** (2008). Stepping Stones: A Guide to Early Intervention for Children with Autism. Conference on Autism Hosted by Mercy Hospital, Mercy Hospital, Dubuque, Iowa. Invited Podium Presentation.
10. **Kimm, V. A.** (2008). Journey Through Autism. CEU for Medical Associates Staff. Invited Podium Presentation.
11. **Kimm, V.A.** (2008). Autism...Putting the Pieces Together. Iowa Association of Nurse Practitioner Annual Conference. Invited Conference Podium Presentation.

#### **Local/University of Iowa**

1. **Kimm, V.A.** (2025). Autism Overview for Providers. University of Iowa Virtual Preceptor Conference. (4/25/2025)
2. **Kimm, V.A.** (2024). Autism Spectrum Disorders: A Toolkit for Nurses. UIHC Grand Rounds Online Presentation. (5/1/2024)
3. **Kimm, V. A.** (2023). Progressive Nursing Day Keynote Speaker (2/13/2023).
4. **Kimm, V.A.** (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024). *Autism Spectrum Disorders*. Psychiatric Didactic Course, BSN Program. Invited Lecture. (lecture given twice a year during fall and spring semesters)
5. **Kimm, V.A.** (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024). *Common Pediatric Illnesses: Fever, Otitis URI, Influenza, Sinusitis & Pharyngitis*. DNP pediatric didactic course NURS:6100, University of

Iowa College of Nursing. Invited Lecture. (lecture given annually to PNP and FNP students in the fall)

6. **KIMM, V.A.**(2021, 2022, 2023, 2024). Autism Spectrum Disorders in Children: An Overview for Providers. DNP pediatric didactic course NURS:6101, University of Iowa College of Nursing. Invited lecture. (lecture given annually to PNP and FNP students each spring)
7. **Kimm, V.A.** (2019). *Autism Spectrum Disorders*. Psychiatric Didactic Course, BSN Program. Invited Lecture.
8. **Kimm, V.A.** (2019). *Common Pediatric Illnesses: Fever, Otitis URI, Influenza, Sinusitis & Pharyngitis*. DNP pediatric didactic course NURS:6100, University of Iowa College of Nursing. Invited Lecture.
9. **Kimm, V.A.** (2018). *Autism Spectrum Disorders*. Psychiatric Didactic Course, BSN Program. Invited Lecture.
10. **Kimm, V.A.** (2018). *Common Pediatric Illnesses: Fever, Otitis URI, Influenza, Sinusitis & Pharyngitis*. DNP pediatric didactic course NURS:6100, University of Iowa College of Nursing. Invited Lecture.
11. **Kimm, V.A.** (2017). *Common Pediatric Illnesses: Fever, Otitis URI, Influenza, Sinusitis & Pharyngitis*. DNP pediatric didactic course NURS:6100, University of Iowa College of Nursing. Invited Lecture.
12. **Kimm, V.A.** (2017). *Improving Services for Iowa Children with Autism Using a Framework for Action.*, Iowa City, Iowa. DNP Capstone Project.

## SERVICE

### Professional Memberships

2003 - Present	Iowa Association of Nurse Practitioners (IANP)
2002 - Present	National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners (NAPNAP)
2001 - Present	Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society

### Professional Service

2023-Present	CDD training grant for developmental behavioral pediatrics Core Faculty for Nursing Center for Disabilities and Development, Iowa City, IA
2022-2023	Orientation training for new hire nurse practitioner Center for Disabilities and Development, Iowa City, IA
2003 - Present	Iowa Association of Nurse Practitioners 2019 – 2020 Officer, Past-President 2018 - 2019 Officer, President

	2017 - 2018	Officer, President-Elect
2018 - Present		Pediatric Mental Health Care Access Program, The University of Iowa Division of Child and Community Health, Iowa City, Iowa, Board of Advisors
2018 - 2021		Iowa Legislative Task Force Coalition, Member
2016 - Present		Expert Panel Advisory Committee, Regional Autism Assistance Program, Member
2004 - 2015		Member of Collaborative Dubuque Community Autism Committee, Member

### **Collegiate Service**

2018 - 2020	CON - Council on Student Affairs, Admissions & Progression, Member
2018 - 2020	CON-Faculty Mentor for BSN class of 2020
2016 - Present	CON - PNP Admissions/Progression Subcommittee
2013 - 2015	CON-Faculty Mentor for BSN Class of May, 2015, Mentor
2011 - 2017	The University of Iowa College of Nursing, CON-Young Pediatric Nurse Clinician Program, Director
2005 - 2020	The University of Iowa College of Nursing, CON-Selection Committee for Young Pediatric Nurse Clinician Program, Member
2005 - 2010	The University of Iowa College of Nursing, CON - Progressive Nursing Day Planning Committee, Co-Organizer
2005 - 2009	University of Iowa College of Nursing, College of Nursing Mobile Clinics, Co-Organizer

### **Community Service**

2017 - Present	St John XXIII Catholic Church, catechist
2015 - 2024	Prairie Creek Intermediate, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Volunteer
2013 - Present	St John XXIII Catholic Church, Volunteer
2012 - 2022	Prairie Ridge Elementary, Volunteer
2011 - 2013	St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Iowa City, Iowa, Children's Liturgy Teacher
2011 - 2012	Regina Elementary, Iowa City, Iowa, Volunteer
2006 - 2006	Community outreach forum for new parents on care of the newborn

## TEACHING

### Course Instruction at University of Iowa College of Nursing

Spring 2025	NURS: 6810 Advanced Practice Role 2. Team Teacher. Grad NURS:5031 Health Promotion Assessment Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad.
Fall 2024	NURS:6809 Advanced Practice Role 1: Introduction. Team Teacher. Grad (63)
Spring 2024	NURS:6810 Advanced Practice Role 2. Team Teacher. Grad. (67) NURS:5031 Health Promotion Assessment Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad. (6) NURS:5037 Health Promotion Assessment Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad. (2)
Fall 2023	NURS:6809 Advanced Practice Role I: Introduction. Team Teacher. Grad. (69)
Spring 2023	NURS: 5031 Health Promotion Assessment Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).  NURS: 6702 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).
Fall 2022	NURS: 6701 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (6).
Summer 2022	NURS: 5035 Graduate Pharmacology Specialty. Primary Instructor. Grad. (6).
Spring 2022	NURS: 5031 Health Promotion Assessment Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad. (12).  NURS: 5037 Health Promotion Assessment for CNL (6)  NURS: 6702 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (6).  NURS: 6827 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (2).  NURS: 6829 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project IV. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3).
Fall 2021	NURS: 6809 Advanced Practice Role I: Introduction. Team Teacher. Grad. (66).

9/1/2024

NURS: 6701 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (12).

NURS: 6826 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (2).

NURS: 6828 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project III. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3)

NURS: 4096 Honors Independent Study (1)

Summer 2021

NURS: 5035 Graduate Pharmacology Specialty. Primary Instructor Grad (12).

Spring 2021

NURS: 5031 Health Promotion Assessment Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad. (12).

NURS: 6702 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3).

NURS: 6827 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3).

NURS: 6829 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project IV. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

Fall 2020

NURS: 6809 Advanced Practice Role I: Introduction. Team Teacher. Grad. (88).

NURS: 6701 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3).

NURS: 6826 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

NURS: 6828 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project III. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3)

Summer 2020

NURS: 5035 Graduate Pharmacology Specialty. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3).

Spring 2020

NURS: 5031 Hlth Promotion Assmnt Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3).

9/1/2024



NURS: 6702 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

NURS: 6827 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3).

NURS: 6829 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project IV. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

Fall 2019

NURS: 6809 Advanced Practice Role I: Introduction. Team Teacher. Grad. (150).

NURS: 6701 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

NURS: 6826 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

NURS: 6828 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project III. Primary Instructor. Grad. (3)

Summer 2019

NURS: 5035 Graduate Pharmacology Specialty. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

Spring 2019

NURS: 6826 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

NURS: 5031 Hlth Promotion Assmnt Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. Grad. (4).

NURS: 6702 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (8).

NURS: 6827 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project II. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

Fall 2018

NURS: 6701 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (8).

NURS: 6809 Advanced Practice Role I: Introduction. Team Teacher. Grad. (150).

NURS: 6826 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project I. Primary Instructor. Grad. (5).

Summer 2018 NURS: 5035 Graduate Pharmacology Specialty. Primary Instructor. (8).

Spring 2018 NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Team Teacher. (34).

NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Team Teacher. (33).

NURS: 5031 Hlth Promotion Assmnt Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. (2).

NURS: 5031 Hlth Promotion Assmnt Adv Clin Practice. Primary Instructor. (6).

NURS: 6702 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum II. Primary Instructor. (4).

NURS: 6825 Doctor of Nursing Practice Project. Primary Instructor. (3).

Fall 2017 NURS: 6701 Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum I. Primary Instructor. (4).

NURS: 6809 DNP Role Integration I. Team Teacher. (49).

Summer 2017 NURS: 5035 Graduate Pharmacology Specialty. Primary Instructor. (4).

Spring 2017 NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (16).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (3).

Fall 2016 NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (1).

NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (14).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (4).

Spring 2016

NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (3).

NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (16).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (1).

Fall 2015

NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (4).

NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (14).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

Spring 2015

NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (29).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

Fall 2014

NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

NURS: 3635 Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (27).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

Spring 2014

NURS: 3645 Mental Health and Parent Child Nursing Practicum.  
Primary Instructor. (13).

NURS: 3645 Mental Health and Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Team  
Teacher. (24).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (4).

Fall 2013

NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (2).

NURS: 3645 Mental Health and Parent Child Nursing Practicum.  
Primary Instructor. (27).

NURS: 3645 Mental Health and Parent Child Nursing Practicum. Team  
Teacher. (57).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (3).

Spring 2013

NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (4).

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (16).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (1).

Fall 2012

NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (14).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (3).

Spring 2012

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (17).

Fall 2011

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (18).

Spring 2011

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (18).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

Fall 2010 NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

Spring 2009 NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (1).

Fall 2008 NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (3).

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (1).

Spring 2008 NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

Fall 2007 NURS: 3199 Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (3).

NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

NURS: 4099 Honors Independent Study. Primary Instructor. (2).

Spring 2006 NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

Fall 2005 NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

Spring 2005 NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

Fall 2004                      NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

Spring 2004                    NURS: 3521 Parent-Child Nursing Practicum. Primary Instructor. (24).

### **Mentoring and Advisement**

#### **Students Mentored**

2017 – 2024                    DNP Project Student Mentor

2011 – 2021                    Honor's Program Mentor

2006 – 2017                    Independent Study Advisor

2004 – 2017                    BSN Undergraduate Mentor