

## Margaret Barnes

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### **Professor: Masters Division: PMHNP Program**

Strengths: curriculum development, nursing theory, service-learning, writing, responsive and compassionate teaching online and onsite, mentoring adjunct faculty, conceptual thinker, psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner

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### **Professional Experience**

**Full-time Professor**  
**Indiana Wesleyan University**  
4201 S. Washington St.  
Marion, IN 46953

2009 – present

*Areas of Responsibility:*

- Teach a minimum of 21 credit hours per year
- Attend N & G Nursing Division Faculty Meetings
- Attend SIH Triannual Faculty Meetings
- Mentor adjunct PMHNP faculty to strengthen the PMHNP courses and program
- Serve as an advisor for Doctorate of Nursing Practice students.
- Serve as a preceptor for PMHNP Students
- Serve on committees as assigned

**Part-time Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner**  
**Health Resource Center of Cincinnati**  
130 Wellington Place.  
Cincinnati, OH 45219

2018 - present

*Areas of Responsibility:*

- Assessment, diagnosis, and treatment of patients with a variety of mental illnesses in a nurse managed clinic.

**Over the last 41 years as an RN, I have worked as a staff nurse, nursing supervisor, and staff educator on a variety of units in hospital, nursing home, and home healthcare settings, as an MDS nurse and director of nursing in long-term care settings, triage nurse in a homeless clinic, full-time faculty member at Indiana Wesleyan University, and as a PMHNP at a sliding-scale mental health clinic in downtown Cincinnati.**

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### **Education**

Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)

Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion IN

Relevant Courses:

2015

- Translating Evidence into Nursing Practice
- Science of Nursing
- Statistical Research Design
- Systems and Organizational Leadership
- Information Management
- Advanced Healthcare Policy
- Applied Population Health
- Global Healthcare
- Resource Management in Healthcare

Dissertation Project:

*The Impact of Service-Learning on Leadership and an Interest in Social Justice*

Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner  
(PMHNP)

Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion, IN  
2018

Relevant Courses:

- Professional Role Development for the APRN
- Advanced Pathophysiology
- Advanced Pharmacology
- Neuropharmacology
- Advanced Health Assessment for the PMHNP
- Diagnostic Reasoning in PMHNP Practice
- Psychotherapeutic Modalities Across the Lifespan I, II, and III
- Interprofessional Development for the PMHNP

D'Youville College, Buffalo NY, 1993

Masters of Science in Nursing (MSN)

Relevant Courses:

- Curriculum Development
- Teaching Strategies
- Teaching Practicum
- Community Health Nursing I, II, and III
- Theory Development

Thesis Project:

*Knowledge, Experiences, Attitudes, and Assessment Practices of Nurse Practitioners with regard to Stressors Related to Childhood Sexual Abuse*

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

D'Youville College, Buffalo, NY, 1990

RN Diploma

St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing  
Kansas City, MO  
1984

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**Licensure and Certifications**

Kentucky	RN	122135	APRN	3012773	Exp. 10/31/2026
Ohio	RN	299545	APRN	023846	Exp. 10/31/2027

**Awards**

DAISY Award as an outstanding nursing faculty at IWU  
April 24, 2020

**Presentations**

*An Object in Motion Tends to Stay in Motion*—Ohio University 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Evidence-Based Practice Conference, Athens, OH—May 4, 2021. Co-presentation with Dr. Rhonda Oldham

*The Lasting Effects of a Service-Learning Experience*. Evidence-Based Practice Conference, Edward Hospital, Naperville, IL—October, 29, 2016. Co-presentation with Dr. Rhonda Oldham and Dr. Beverly Schaefer

*The Lasting Effects of a Service Learning Experience: A Retrospective Review of Unsolicited Comments by Students 14 Months Later.* IWU/Nurses Christian Fellowship: Innovations in Faith-Based Nursing Conference—June 22, 2016. Co-presentation with Dr. Rhonda Oldham, Dr. Beverly Schaefer, and Mrs. Mari Stormer

*The Impact of Service-Learning on Leadership and an Interest in Social Justice*  
American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN): Baccalaureate Education Conference – November 2015. No co-presenters

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### **Publications**

- Barnes, M. E. (2021). Poverty and health. In K. Mauk & M. Hobus (Eds.), *Nursing as ministry* (1st ed., pp. 263-281). Jones & Bartlett Learning.
- Barnes, M. E. (2019). Health promotion and care of the older adult. In K. Cooper & K. Gosnell (Eds.). *Foundations of nursing* (8th ed., pp. 1060-1099). Elsevier Saunders.
- Barnes, M. E. (2019). Care of the patient with an immune disorder. In K. Cooper & K. Gosnell (Eds.) *Adult health nursing* (8th ed., pp. 708-722). Elsevier Saunders.
- Barnes, M. E. (2017). Accelerated RN-to-BSN service-learning program serves the vulnerable. *Journal of Christian Nursing*, 34(1), 48-51. doi:10.1097/CNJ.0000000000000336
- Barnes, M. E. (2016). The impact of service-learning on leadership and an interest in social justice. *Journal of Nursing Education*, 55(1), 24-30. doi:10.3928/01484834-20151214-07
- Barnes, M.E. (2015). *The impact of service-learning on leadership and an interest in social justice*. (Doctoral dissertation). Available from ProQuest Dissertations and Theses database. (UMI No. 3742969)
- Barnes, M. E. (2015). Health promotion and care of the older adult. In K. Cooper & K. Gosnell (eds.). *Foundations of nursing* (7th ed., pp. 1068-1109). Elsevier Saunders.
- Barnes, M. E. (2015). Immune system. In K. Cooper & K. Gosnell (Eds.) *Adult health nursing* (7th ed., pp. 737-751). Elsevier Saunders.

### **Consultant/Contributor/Reviewer**

- *Mosby's dictionary of medicine, nursing, and health professions* (10th ed.). (2017). Elsevier Saunders.
- *Mosby's pocket dictionary of medicine, nursing, and health professions* (8th ed.). (2017). Elsevier Saunders.

- Perry, A. G., Potter, P. A., & Ostendorf, W. R. (2016). *Nursing interventions & clinical skills* (6th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.
- Silvestri, L. A. (2014). *Saunders comprehensive review for the NCLEX-RN ® examination* (6th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.
- Edelman, C., Mandle, C. L., & Kudzma, E. (2014). *Health Promotion throughout the life span*, (8th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.
- *Mosby's dictionary of medicine, nursing, and health professions* (9th ed.). (2013). Elsevier Saunders.
- Potter, P. A., Perry, A. G., Stockert, P., & Hall, A. (2013). *Fundamentals of nursing* (8th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.
- Wold, G. (2012). *Basic geriatric nursing* (5th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.
- Zerwekh, J. A., Garneau, A. Z., & Claborn, J. C. (2012). *Nursing today: Transitions and trends* (7th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.
- Mason, D. J, Leavitt, J. K., & Chaffee, M. W. (2011). *Policy and politics in nursing and health care* (6th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.
- Silvestri, L. A. (2011). *Saunders comprehensive review for the NCLEX-RN ® examination* (5th ed.). Elsevier Saunders.

### **Faculty Consultant**

- 2025: Worked on developing curriculum for Foundations in Mental Health Nursing for a new baccalaureate nursing program at Bryan College in Dayton, TN

### **Reviewer**

- 2025: Reviewed articles for the *International Journal of Nursing Studies*.