

Curriculum vitae

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Education

1977-1981 Trained nurse, initiated at Herning Nursing School, completed at Copenhagen County Hospital Central School in Herlev
1986-1987 Diploma in Administration and Management at the School of Advanced Nursing Education at Aarhus University
1993 Examination in Clinical decision-making at the University of Copenhagen
1999 Examination in 3 sections at the Danish Association of the Pharmaceutical Industry
2005 Life and Business Coach, trained by Manning Inspire
2006 Journey therapist, trained by Brandon Bays UK
2006 Health Creation Mentor & Consultant, trained by Dr. Rosy Daniel UK

Employment

1974-1975 Assistant nurse at Orthopaedic University Clinic, Balgrist, Zurich, Switzerland
1981-1985 Nurse at Department of Oncology, The Finsen Institute, Copenhagen
1985-1991 Tenured nurse at the Finsen Institute and the Finsen Centre, Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen
1987-1991 Ward nurse at Department of Oncology, the Finsen Institute and the Finsen Centre, Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen
1991-1996 Head nurse, employed in a administrative department function at the Finsen Centre as Cancer Clinical Trial Coordinator at the Clinical Research Unit (CRU).
1995-1996 Project manager of a quality development program at the Finsen Centre, CRU.
1996 For seven months appointed as the manager of CRU.
1997 SmithKline Beecham, Denmark.
 Product Manager Oncology, Coordinator of investigator initiated trials in Scandinavia, Nordic Oncology Unit

2000-2008 TopoTarget A/S, Fruebjergvej 3, DK-2100 Copenhagen, Denmark
 A Cancer Biotech Company. Co- founder, Medical Marketing Manager, Director of Clinical Research –
 Since 2007: Chief Clinical Operations Officer (We did have one drug approved by EMEA in 2006 and by FDA in 2007)
2003 7 months at TopoTarget UK Office in Oxford
2005-2008 Member of TopoTarget Management Board
2006 Licence agreement on the Health Creation, founded by Rosy Daniel UK (Dr. in Integrative Cancer Medicine in UK). Founder and CEO of Health Creation in Denmark
2009 Founder of AR-CancerGuides

Publications/presentations

- 1988 Article in Klinisk sygepleje and the Norwegian journal for Sygeplejen: "Kritiske overvejelser ved åbne plejeplaner" (Critical considerations towards open nursing plans).
- 1989, 1993, 1994 Posters at international congresses (as a nurse).
- 1992 Article in Sygeplejersken: "Patienter som forsøgspersoner" (Patients as trial subjects).
- 1993 Article in Sygeplejersken: "Angst, håb og oplysning" (Fear, hope, and information).
- 1995 Article in Ugeskrift for Læger: "Opbygning af en klinisk forskningsenhed" (Building up a Cancer Clinical Research Unit).
- 1996 Article in Oncology Nursing Today: "Special Interest Group in cancer care" – the same article published in Sygeplejersken.
- 1996 Article in Oncology Nursing Today: "How informed should the patient be before entering a clinical trial".
- 1998 A booklet: "Når kræftpatienter deltager i forsøg" (When cancer patients participate in clinical trials). The booklet has been provided to all patients at Herlev County Hospital and Rigshospitalet's oncology departments for several years.
- 1997 Invited lecturer at ECCO in Hamburg: "Nursing Protocol Committees, one of the three steps to improve quality" (based on the work at CRU, the Finsen Centre).
- 2000 Author of four chapters in a cancer nursing teaching book from Nyt Nordisk Forlag: "Behandling og pleje af patienter med kræftsygdomme", "Ethiske aspekter i behandling og pleje af kræftpatienter" (Treatment and care of patients with cancer diseases, Ethical aspects in the treatment and care of cancer patients).
- 2001 Article in Fokus på kræftsygepleje: "Antidot mod vævsdestruktion forårsaget af antracykliner" (Antidote against tissue destruction caused by anthracyclines).
- 2001-2008 Co-author on abstracts and publications representing the scientific work performed within TopoTarget:
- A Phase I study of the Histone Deacetylase (HDAC) Inhibitor PXD101 in Patients with Advanced Hematological Tumors. Abstract #3035, ASCO 2005
 - A Phase I Pharmacokinetic (PK) and Pharmacodynamic (PD) Study of the Histone Deacetylase (HDAC) Inhibitor PXD101 in Patients with Advanced Solid Tumors. Abstract AACR-NCI-EORTC 2005
 - Successful treatment of anthracycline extravasation with Savene (dexrazoxane). Results from two prospective clinical multicenter studies. ESMO 2006
 - Treatment of anthracycline extravasation with savene (dexrazoxane): results from two prospective clinical multicentre studies. Ann Oncol 2007.
 - A Phase I Pharmacokinetic and Pharmacodynamic Study of the Histone Deacetylase Inhibitor Belinostat in Patients with Advanced Solid Tumors. Clin Cancer Res 2008.
- 2007-2008 Translated, edited and published 3 Health Creation self help programs:

Health Creation Program

From whatever starting point, the Health Creation Program will empower the client to grow and develop; taking achievable steps in all areas of life to become healthy and fully true to one self. By the holistic approach looking at each area of life the client will be able to see clearly what is blocking health and fulfillment and how they are sabotaging them self. The necessary support and guidance is given to confront and remove these obstacles and self-destructive behaviors in order that the client may enjoy vibrant health. It also has two audio CD's - 'Guided self-help techniques' and 'Know yourself'

The Cancer Lifeline Program

Helps the patient to find the best support to get through the shock of diagnosis, make the best decision and get the best outcome from the treatments. It is an interactive workbook which also contains two guide books, one about frontier cancer medicine and one about Healthy Diet before, under and after cancer treatment. It also has two audio CD's - 'Cope Positively with Cancer Treatment' and 'Images for Healing Cancer' to help you to go into your treatment feeling really positive and afterwards to help you focus the power of your mind on your full recovery

The Carers guide

The Carer's Guide provides carers with their own workbook to help them to be the best possible carer whilst also supporting and encouraging them to recognise their own state, identify their needs and form their own coping strategy.

Other professional activities

Board tasks

1989	Member of the board of The Oncology Nursing Society in Denmark .
1991-1996	President of The Oncology Nursing Society. Founder of 10 Special Interest Groups (SIG) established under The Oncology Nursing Society umbrella. Member of the Early Clinical Trials Group (ECTG) under the European Organisation in Research and Treatment of Cancer (EORTC).
1992	Workgroup for translating and Danish adaptation of educational material "Pleje og behandling af patienter med kvalme og opkastning" (Care and treatment of patients with nausea and vomiting).
1994-1995	Project group for experimental medical treatment at the Finsen Centre, Rigshospitalet.
1995-1996	Workgroup for quality development at the University Hospital Rigshospitalet.
1995-1996	Member of the Interdisciplinary Quality Council at HS (hospitals in Copenhagen).
1995-1997	Co-founder of the Interdisciplinary Steering Committee for Adjuvant Treatment and Care of Cancer Patients (founded by the Danish Society of Oncology (DSO), Danish Medical Oncology Society (DMO) and FS13).
1995	Organizing comity of 10 module courses "Pleje og behandling af patienter med kræft" (Care and treatment of patients with cancer) in collaboration with Danish National Nursing Society.
1993-2008	Every year participated in several oncology congresses worldwide, e.g. ONS, ASCO, ECCO, ESMO and ASH.

Training courses/study visits

1991	"Data monitoring in cancer clinical trials" European School of Oncology . 5 days seminar.
1993	National Cancer Institute (NCI) in Washington and at the National Cancer Institute Canada (NCIC) Two weeks study visit.
1994	"Training in Good Clinical Practice" European School of Oncology. 5 days seminar.
1995-1996	"Methods and Tools of Quality Improvement in Healthcare" at the Institute of Healthcare Improvement in Boston – A two weeks program.
1999	"Essentials of Pharmaceutical Product Management Course" at the Management Centre Europe, Brussels. 5 days seminar.
2002	Project Management of Clinical Trials. 2 day seminar by Clinical Device Group Inc.
2003	Project Management IBM Denmark. 5 days seminar.
2008	"Leadership" by FranklinCovey in Denmark. 5 days seminar
2008	"The seven Habits" by FranklinCovey Denmark. 2 days seminar.
2009	Business Bootcamp, a extensive business development program 6 modules by Mette Holbæk and Pernille Meldstedt.
2009	Cancer Guides II by The Center for Mind –Body Medicine in US. The state of art of Integrated Cancer Medicine. 4 days seminar.
2009	Raw Food by Dr. Brian Clement, The Hippocrates Health Center in Florida US. 3 days seminar.
2009	BioMed-klinik in Germany, a 100 bed hospital for integrated cancer medicine (orthodox, complementary and alternative treatment) 4 days study visit.
2009	Guangzhou Fuda Cancer Hospital in China, biggest integrated cancer center in Asia. 7 days study visit.