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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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Family: Son – Timothy (DOB 5-16-91)

**Education:**

<b>1973 Diploma</b>	McClintock High School, Tempe, Arizona
<b>1975</b>	<b>A.A. General Studies</b> Mesa Community College, Mesa, Arizona
<b>1976</b>	<b>B.S. Child Development</b> Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona
<b>1979</b>	<b>B.S.N. Nursing</b> Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona
<b>1981</b>	<b>M.S. Child Development</b> Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona Thesis: Construct Validation of the Defining Issues Test: Maternal Perception as a Convergent Measurement Technique 1981
<b>1987</b>	<b>D.O. Osteopathic Medicine</b> Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine North Texas State University, Fort Worth, Texas
<b>1989</b>	<b>Ph.D. Nursing</b> The University of Texas at Austin, Texas Dissertation: Psychotherapeutic Fee Comparisons in the Psychotherapeutic Marketplace
<b>1999</b>	<b>Fellow;</b> Fellowship Program in Health Policy American Osteopathic Association Ohio University and Michigan State University Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine Policy Paper: Antidepressants Pharmaco-economics: A Comparison of State Medicaid Reimbursement Policy

## Professional Experience

- 2/05-now**                    **CEO, Western Kentucky Centre for Psychiatric Medicine, Hanson, KY**  
Responsibility for medical direction of out patient service covering all ages, evaluation, diagnosis, psychiatric management, psychopharmacologic therapy, individual and family therapy. Also management of substance abuse, forensic evaluation and recommendation to court.
- 6/03-1/05**                    **Chair, Department of Psychiatry, Methodist Hospital, Henderson, KY**  
Responsibility for medical direction of out patient service covering all ages. Also included are responsibilities for forensic psychiatric service to courts in 12 county service areas. Departmental responsibilities include policy development, peer review, quality assurance, enforcement of Kentucky Mental Health codes and Kentucky Hospital Licensure codes.
- 4/01-6/03**                    **Chair, Department of Psychiatry, Trover Foundation, Madisonville, KY**  
Responsibility for medical direction of 21 bed in patient psychiatric unit and multidisciplinary psychiatric Out patient service covering all ages. Also included are responsibilities for forensic psychiatric service to courts in 12 county service areas. Departmental responsibilities include policy development, peer review, quality assurance, enforcement of Kentucky Mental Health codes and Kentucky Hospital Licensure codes.
- 9/98 – 5/99**                    **Health Policy Fellow, American Osteopathic Association.** Expertise in mental health policy as it relates to the public sector, development of strategy for third party reimbursement and Medicaid in reference to pharmacological cost containment, Medicaid policy development at state levels.
- 4/98 – 4/00**                    **Sub-investigator.** Pedia Research, LLC, 502/685-4589  
920 Frederica St. 311B, Owensboro, KY 42301-3078
- 5/98 – 4/00**                    **Acumen Counseling Services.** Owensboro, Kentucky  
Limited to the practice of child, adolescent and family psychiatry
- 8/96**                            **Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist**  
State of Georgia, Georgia State Hospital, Thomasville,  
Georgia Responsible for review of child and adolescent unit policy and procedures and operations for Medicaid compliance.

- 7/96-12/03**      **Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, CMG, Baltimore, Maryland.** Responsible for Medicaid clinical review and hearing for States of Montana and New York , including site visits to various institutions and consultation for policy to respective states as well as well as responsibility for child psychiatry medical overview, including peer to peer review.
- 11/95-12/04**      **Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, State of Montana, Helena.** Responsible for review of materials for Department of Medicaid Services and Attorney General's office.
- 10/93-12/04**      **Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, First Mental Health, Nashville.** Responsible for client review, peer to peer review, HCFA inspection of care for Arkansas, Kentucky, Montana, and New York
- 8/92-3/01**      **Attending Staff Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, RiverValley Behavioral Health, Owensboro, Kentucky** Responsible for 27 bed adolescent acute care psychiatric unit; evaluation, diagnosis, milieu management, psychopharmacologic therapy, individual and family therapy. Also responsible for outpatient clinics in Calhoun, Morganfield, Hawesville, Henderson and Uniontown. Also chief medical officer at the 8-bed Crisis Stabilization Unit for adults. Responsible for court evaluations. **USPHS Service Placement**
- 6/92-6/98**      **Owensboro Psychiatric Institute (private practice)** Limited to the practice of child, adolescent and family psychiatry.
- 7/90-6/92**      **Child Psychiatry Fellow, (PGY 4-5), University of South Alabama, Mobile** This is an approved child psychiatry fellowship through the College of Psychiatry & Neurology, and Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry. Training encompasses all forms of therapy to provide services to both children and adolescents.
- 7/87-6/90**      **Psychiatric Resident, (PGY 1-3) Texas Tech University Health Science Center and Thomason Hospital, El Paso, Texas** This program is a four year vertical residency in which six months of the first year are devoted to neurology and pediatrics. This program's border location afforded me vast experience for transcultural training in psychiatry.
- 7/81-7/83**      **Staff Nurse, Newborn Nursery, Seton Medical Center, Austin, Texas** Responsible for nursing management of the neonate, parent, teaching participation in formulation of policy and procedures of unit, inter-staff and intra-staff relations.
- 8/81-1/82**      **Assistant Instructor, Neonatal Nursing, University of Texas at Austin** Responsible for curriculum application of newborn nursery concepts teaching load consisted of 60 students in groups of six.

- 1/81-6/81**      **Team Leader, Pediatric Psychiatric Nurse**, Phoenix, Camelback Hospital, AZ Responsible for twelve patient pediatric locked unit, patient assessment, milieu development, family therapy, individual patient therapy, development of adolescent alcohol program with R.Triana, coordination of staff services, inservice education, technical and theoretical knowledge.
- 5/80-12/80**      **Psychiatric Nurse**, Arizona State Hospital, Phoenix, AZ Responsible for 23-patient locked unit, patient assessment, milieu development, staff supervision, coordination of staff services, inservice education, technical and theoretical knowledge.
- 11/79-5/80**      **Graduate Teaching Assistant, Nutrition**, Arizona State University, Tempe. Under supervision of W. Monte, was responsible for laboratory curriculum for 45 undergraduate students in Applied Nutritional Principles.
- 6/79-8/80**      **Staff Nurse**, Phoenix General Hospital, Phoenix, AZ. Responsible for nursing management of patient care, staff coordination, in-service education, patient assessment, technical and theoretical knowledge.
- 8/77-5/79**      **Resident Assistant**, Housing Department, Arizona State University, Tempe. Functioned in capacity of contact person, resource person, advisor, maintain floor environment, activity programmer, role model for 60 college dormitory residents along with responsibility to co-staff.
- 1/77-5/77**      **Graduate Research Assistant**, Child Development Lab, Arizona State, Tempe. Under J.Creighton, Ph.D., developed computer programs, data gathering data processing, analyzing data and formulation of presentable data read out.
- 1/76-5/79**      **Co-Coordinator and Liaison, Med Start**, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ Under the Vice-President for Health Sciences, responsible for recruitment of students, formulating Arizona State University summer programs, securing housing, locating job sites, arranging speakers and field trips, working the University system, eliciting funds through grant writing, direct responsibility for eight high school students each summer, and overall responsibility for forty high school students, along with coordinating the Arizona State University Office.
- 1/74-3/76**      **Child Care Aide**, All Seasons Day Care, Tempe, Az Responsibility for twenty-six 3 and 4 year olds, coordination of daily activities, insuring protective environment, developing educational programs for parents.

## Licensure

- 1980** Registered Nurse, Arizona State Board of Nursing
- 1981** Registered Nurse, Board of Nurse Examiners for the State of Texas
- August 1989** Medical Licensure, Texas State Board of Medical Examiners
- June 1990** Medical Licensure, Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners
- April 1992** Medical Licensure, Kentucky State Board of Medical Examiners

## Board Certification:

- April 1994** General Psychiatry  
American Osteopathic Board of Neurology and Psychiatry
- August 1994** Child & Adolescent Psychiatry  
American Osteopathic Board of Neurology and Psychiatry
- October 1996** Forensic examiner  
American College of Forensic Examiners

**Invention:** Snugfit Bili Mask; Scott Specialities, Inc., Belleville, Kansas

## Volunteer

- 1985-1987** **Chairman**, Child Study Lab Proposal for the Texas College Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Worth, Texas
- 1981-1983** **Initiator**, Operation N.U.R.S.E. University of Texas School of Nursing, Austin
- 1975-1978** **Clinic Aide**, Arizona Boys Ranch, Queen Creek, AZ
- 1975-1977** **Clinic Aide**, Chandler Primary Care Clinic, Maricopa County Health Department, Chandler, AZ
- 1974-1975** **Vaccinator**, Amigos de las Americas, Columbia and Ecuador
- 1973-1977** **Emergency Room Aide**, Desert Samaritan Hospital, Mesa, AZ

**Organizations:** Member, American Osteopathic Association,  
**osteopathic.org**  
Member, Kentucky Osteopathic Medical Association  
**koma.org**  
Past Member, American Psychiatric Association  
**psychiatry.org**  
Past Board Member, American Association of Community  
Psychiatry **communitypsychiatry.org**  
Past Member, American Academy of Child and Adolescent  
Psychiatry **aacap.org**

**Research Experience:**

**Principal Investigator, Auto-antibody Identification in a Single Multi-Generational Cohort with Mental Illness'; Auto antibodies and their genetic relationship** are examined as to symptom expression in mental illness in a single multi generational cohort. On going.

**Co-Investigator, QUEST,** A Phase IIIb, Open-Label, Multi-Center Study to Assess Safety, Tolerability, and Effectiveness Associated with the use of ADDERALL XR in Adults with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder and Evaluate as ADHD-specific Novel Quality of Life Measure. Spring 2004.

**Co-Investigator, FOCUS, Formal Observation of Concerta versus Strattera,** This was an open-labeled parallel design 1000 multi center study in which 6 patients were randomly assigned to receive Concerta and Strattera at each site. Standardize questionnaires were administered. Fall 2003

**Research Assistant,** Competitive Clerkship, National Institute Mental Health, Obsessive Compulsive Disorder, Judith Rappaport, MD 1986

**Publications:**

Suess L. and Halpern, M. The Religious Perspective Obsessive-compulsive disorder in children and adolescents J. L. Rapoport Editor American Psychiatric Pub, 1989

Suess, L. and Cuetter, A. A rationale for migraines, Headache, 28:347-349, 1988.

Wilcox, J. and Suess, L. Auditory hallucinations and chronic post traumatic stress disorder. Manuscript accepted for publication in General Hospital Psychiatry.

Wilcox, J., Briones, D. and Suess, L. Auditory hallucinations, posttraumatic stress disorder, and ethnicity. Comprehensive Psychiatry, 32:4 320-323, 1991.

Suess, L. and Herrick, C. Psychiatric diagnosing: The professional interfacing of nursing and psychiatry, manuscript submitted to Hospital and Community Psychiatry.

<http://www.courier-journal.com/story/opinion/contributors/2016/07/05/comment-regs-hamper-ky-medicaid-access/86703694/>

### **Faculty Appointments:**

<b>2000-2003</b>	Clinical Professor Child Psychiatry, University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky
<b>2000-Present</b>	Clinical Professor Child Psychiatry, Pikeville College of Osteopathic Medicine, Pikeville, Kentucky
<b>1999-Present</b>	Clinical Preceptor & Lecturer, Vanderbilt University School of Nursing, Nashville, Tennessee
<b>2010- Present</b>	Lecturer, Lincoln Memorial University-DeBusk College of Osteopathic Medicine, Harrogate, Tennessee

### **Awards and Appointments:**

<b>1976-78</b>	E. Bois du Blois Scholarship, Arizona State University, Tempe Arizona
<b>1979</b>	Dean's Honor List, School of Nursing, Arizona State University
<b>1990-91</b>	American Psychiatric Association/Mead Johnson Fellow
<b>1998-99</b>	American Osteopathic Association/Health Policy Fellow
<b>1998-2001</b>	Board Member, Acumen Counseling Services
<b>2002-2004</b>	Board of Trustees (3 year term) Kentucky Osteopathic Medical Association
<b>2004-2008</b>	Secretary, Kentucky Osteopathic Medical Association
<b>2006-2008</b>	American Osteopathic Association, Council on Women's Health
<b>2008-2010</b>	President-elect, Kentucky Osteopathic Medical Association
<b>2008-2009</b>	American College on Neurologist and Psychiatrist Psychiatric Curriculum Position Paper
<b>2009-2010</b>	Chair, KOMA Conference Planning Committee
<b>2010-2012</b>	President, Kentucky Osteopathic Medical Association
<b>2010</b>	Fellow (FACN); American College of Neuropsychiatrists / American College of Osteopathic Neurologists and Psychiatrists
<b>2013-2016</b>	Past President, Kentucky Osteopathic Medical Association

## **Candidate for Elected Office:**

**2010** Democratic Primary Candidate Kentucky House of Representatives District 12

### **Presentations:**

Since 1987; listed presentations have been given to the following organizations; American College of Osteopathic Neurologists and Psychiatrists American Osteopathic Association, American Psychiatric Association, American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Kentucky Osteopathic Medical Association and Kentucky Medicaid- Regional and State Interagency Councils.

1. ADHD
2. OCD
3. Autism
4. DSM IV to DSM IV TR
5. DSM IV TR to DSM V: Implications for Children and Adolescent Treatment
6. Learning Disorders: Impact on delivery of Mental Health Services
7. System Failure; How Kentucky School's Fail to Educate Mentally Ill Children
8. Impact of Child Development on Education and Mental Health of Children
9. Pediatric Autoimmune Neuropsychiatric Disorders Associated with Streptococcal Infections
10. Auto Immune Molecular Mimicry; New Hypothesis for Mental Illness
11. Women's Mental Health; Gender Politics
12. HIV
13. Medicaid Policy; Danger for States
14. Psychiatric Curriculum Development; Arguments for Standardization
15. Pediatric Psychopharmacology
16. Mental Health Professional Expansionism; Fallacy of Access to Quality Mental Health Care
17. Failure of Child Mental Health Services in the Prevention of Hospitalization
18. Kentucky's Osteopathic History; Revisionist Thought's from 1899
19. How State Laws Impact the Economics in the Delivery of Child Psychiatric Services
20. Treating Iatrogenesis; Opiate Dependency and Buprenorphine
21. Testimony: Concern with Implementation of Managed Care in Kentucky-Limiting Access to Care for Mentally Ill Children