



## Lucie Dlugasch, PhD, APRN-BC

### NURSING – GRADUATE PROGRAMS

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#### EDUCATION

- Ph.D., University of Miami, Miami, FL
- Post Masters Certificate/Adult Nurse Practitioner, University of Miami, Miami, FL
- MSN-CNS in Critical Care, University of Miami, Miami, FL
- BSN, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

#### AREA(S) OF SPECIALITY

- Certified as an Adult Nurse Practitioner and Gynecologic/Reproductive Healthcare.
- She has been teaching basic and advanced client assessment and mentored countless undergraduate and graduate students in various clinical settings. Dr. Dlugasch has worked as an ARNP in an Emergency Room, University Student Health Center, Private practice family medicine office, occupational health center and delivered women's health and primary care to adults in a low income clinic.
- At this low income clinic she delivered and coordinated all the women's health care services. She received a grant \$35,000 from the Avon Foundation to help women obtain mammograms.
- She also coordinated a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Grant to help build community support for diabetes self-care in a low income, underserved population.
- She has presented nationally on access to care issues and self monitoring of blood glucose in type 2 diabetes.

#### RESEARCH/SCHOLARSHIP

##### **Areas of Interest:**

Health care behaviors; type 2 diabetes mellitus; community support in chronic illness; fever; simulation in advanced practice

##### **Funding:**

PI: Pontious, S., **Co-PI's: Dlugasch, L.** & Olafson, E. – Human Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)- Applied for Nurse Faculty Loan Program (\$406,715) - funded

**Dlugasch, L.** Avon Breast health grant-Received \$35,000 to help women who are ethnic minorities and low income get mammograms.

##### **Presentations:**

- **Dlugasch, L.** Experiences of Self-Monitoring of Blood Glucose Usage in Adults with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Who Are Not Using Insulin [Poster Presentation]. *25<sup>th</sup> Annual American Academy of Nurse Practitioners conference*. Phoenix, Arizona.
- Decker, S., Settles, J., Jeffries, P., Issenberg, B., **Dlugasch, L.**, Groom, J. & Beach, M. Teaching Cardiopulmonary Assessment Skills Among Advanced Practice Nurses [Presentation]. *9<sup>th</sup> Annual International Nursing Simulation/Learning Resources Centers Conference*. Las Vegas, NV.
- Settles, J. Jeffries, P., Issenberg, B., Decker, S. **Dlugasch, L.** Groom, J. & Beach, M. Development & Testing of a Cardiovascular Assessment Curriculum Model for Basic to Advanced Practice Nurses [Presentation]. *The National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference*. Washington, D.C.
- **Dlugasch, L.** Experiences of Self-Monitoring of Blood Glucose of Adults with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus who Are Not Using Insulin [Presentation]. *The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Baptist Health of South Florida Research Conference*. Miami, Florida
- **Dlugasch, L.** Harvey and Critical Care of Heart Failure for Nurses and Healthcare Providers Nurses Training Program. [Panel & Hands on Workshop]. *Michael S. Gordon Center for Research in Medical Education*. Miami, Florida

#### INTERESTS

- Time with family
- Friends
- Exercise/sports
- Skiing
- Movies
- Traveling

#### FAVORITE QUOTE

"If you lose hope, somehow you lose the vitality that keeps life moving, you lose that courage to be, that quality that helps you go on in spite of it all. And so today I still have a dream." – *Martin Luther King Jr.*