
BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

NAME Yvonne D. Parchment	POSITION TITLE Clinical Associate Professor		
EDUCATION/TRAINING			
INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE	YEAR(s)	FIELD OF STUDY
Florida International University	EdD	2002	Education
University of Miami	MSN	1989	Nursing
University of Miami	BSN	1986	Nursing
Miami-Dade Community College	AA/AS	1982	Nursing
St. Joseph's Teacher's College, Kingston, Jamaica	Certificate in Education	1974	Elementary Education
Florida International University	Geriatric NP	1997	Nursing
Florida International University	Psychiatric NP	2000	Nursing
Army Nurse Corp-Reserves	Major		1989-2003

A. Positions and Honors.

2006 Certification –Certified Nurse Educator

2005-Present Associate Clinical Professor, Department of Nursing, Florida International University.

1995-2005- Assistant Clinical Professor, Department of Nursing, Florida International University.

1989-1995 Clinical Nurse Specialist, Mount Sinai Medical Center, Miami, Florida.

1979-1989- Staff Nurse- Medical-Surgical and Intensive Care Nursing, South Miami Hospital, Florida

1974-1979 Teacher, Early Childhood Education, Alpha Infant School, Jamaica, WI.

Parchment, Y (2004) Prostate cancer screening in African American and Caribbean males: detriment in delay. *The Journal of American Black Nursing Faculty* , Nov-Dec, 2004. p 116-120

Parchment, Y. Messmer, P., Jones, S., Moore, B., Holloman, F., Parchment, Y., & Quintero, L. (1998 May/June) Attitudes of nurses towards HIV/AIDS patients diagnosed with TB. *The Journal of Continuing Education in Nursing*. P 117-125.

Messmer, P., & **Parchment, Y.** (1998) Mary Seacole Grant : The first Nurse Practitioner. *Clinical Excellence for Nurse Practitioners* 1 (2), 47-51.

Messmer, P. & **Parchment, Y.** (1998) The Florence Nightingale of Jamaica" Mary Seacole, *Nurse Pioneer. Reflections , Sigma Theta Tau International* 22. (4) Fourth Quarter.p25.

Parchment, Y. (1990) Barden, C., Lee, R., Parchment, Y., & Dempsey R. An Unusual Neurologic Problem: Werdnig-Hoffman Disease. *Critical Care Nurse*. 10 (10). P 60-67.

B. Research Support.

- P1. Dehydration in the elderly with Patricia Messmer. (\$600 funded by the Florida League for Nursing)1996.
- PI: Dehydration in the elderly. Pilot study completed at Mount Sinai Hospital. Received Florida League for Nursing grant. Study in progress. (1998) Seed money received from Florida International University.

Mentor to two doctoral nursing students.

WORK IN PROGRESS

Working with Dr. Derrick Glymph to publish an article on “Briar Patch Mentality in Healthcare” (New Nurse in the Healthcare System).

PROFESSIONAL HONORS, PRIZES, FELLOWSHIP

November 2014: Community service award received from the Church of The Ascension

October 2014: Heritage Award from Jamaica Diaspora Committee for work done in the community

July 2014: Continuing Education credits obtained for: Domestic Violence, Postoperative Complications, and Medical Errors Prevention and Root Causes.

September 2014: Continue working with the Alliance on Aging to present on health topics at the Church of The Ascension’s Affirmative Aging group on a weekly basis.

September 21, 2013: GREAT 100 Recognition Gala. Recipient of The Great 100 Nurses – Class of 2013 Award, sponsored by the Florida Nurses Association.

April 5 & 6, 2013: KING International Nursing Group: Attaining the Future-Bridging the Gaps Bennington, Vermont. Presentations- **(1) Prostate Cancer in Black Men: Don’t Touch That (2) Tea and Toast: Dehydration in Older Adults (3) KEYNOTE: Living History Presentation of Mary Grant Seacole Yvonne Parchment, EdD, ARNP, CNE & Patricia Messmer, PhD, RN-BC, FAAN**

June 2012: Selected as a distinguished honoree for the Jamaica Diaspora Honors 2012,

April 2012. Educator of the Year- Awarded by Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.

March 20, 2012. Article published in the Florida Nurse. Prostate Cancer presentation in Monrovia, Liberia

October 2010. Recipient Community Service Award from Representative Larcina Bullard.

July, 2009, Recipient of Community Service Award from the Alliance on Aging.

October . Recipient of the FIU Faculty Development Award

January 2007. Certificate of Appreciation presented by Florida International Volunteer Corps for participation in Educational Program in Belize, Central America (training persons in the community to care for older adults in the home).

September 2006. Certificate of Appreciate presented by Florida International Volunteer Corps for participation in Educational Program on the island of St. Kitts (training persons in the community to care for older adults in the home).

August 2005. Certificate of appreciation for participation in Young Authors Program- Alpha Kappa Alpha Society, Inc.

April 2004. Educator of the Year- Awarded by Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.

May 2003. Recipient-Leadership award from the Liberty City-Brownsville Business, Churches, homeowners, Schools & Tenants Association, This award is given to persons who have excelled in their professions and have contributed their time and talents towards the improvement of local communities.

1998 – Recipient of the Mary Cash Award for Cultural Diversity from the Florida Nurses Association.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND PUBLIC SERVICE

Ongoing health presentations at area churches.

April 16, 2015: Intercultural Communication and Spiritual Home Care

November 8, 2014: Mental Health Symposium-Sponsored by Baptist Congregational Health (8 hours)

2012-Present: Member Educational Excellence School Advisory Committee-
Dorothy M. Wallace COPE Center

September 20, 2014: Presentation: Hypertension, Heart Disease and Stroke; the importance of screening

July 19, 2014: Presentation on Prostate Cancer in Blacks and Hispanics. Holy Sacrament Episcopal Church. Health Fair.

February 11, 2014: The Church of The Ascension

Presentation: Heart Disease and Stroke; the importance of screening

Health Talks for The Affirmative Aging Group on a monthly basis

2014:

January: Glaucoma Awareness

February: Women and Heart Disease

2013

June: PROSTATE CANCER AWARENESS

July: Hepatitis

August: Cataract Awareness

September: Prostate Cancer Awareness; Healthy Aging

October: Breast Cancer Awareness; Depression

November: Diabetes Awareness

December: HIV/AIDS

Kendall Community Church of God

November 9, 2013

Breast Cancer: Early Detection

April 4-6, 2013. South Vermont College. Bennington, Vermont. Presentation: Tea and Toast: Dehydration in older adults.

April 4-6, 2013. South Vermont College. Bennington, Vermont. Presentation: Living History Presentation regarding the work of Mary Seacole. Keynote presentation with Dr. Patricia Messmer.

April 4-6, 2013. South Vermont College. Bennington, Vermont. Presentation: Prostate Cancer in Blacks: Detriment in delay.

January 26, 2013. Redeeming Word Christian Center International – Health Symposium. Men’s Health: Prostate and Colon Cancer

January 16, 2013. Attended-Alzheimer’s Conference. Marc Pavilion FIU

July 14, 2012. Second Baptist Church, 11111 Pinkston Drive. Students completed blood pressure assessment and teaching.

March 6, 2011 St Luke’s Episcopal Church

Presentation: Heart Disease, Hypertension, and Stroke

February 20, 2011 New Life Baptist Church

Presentation: Stoke and Heart Failure Prevention/Monitoring

February 27, 2011 The Church of The Ascension

Presentation: Heart Disease and Stroke; the importance of screening
In conjunction with South Miami Hospital

March 19, 2011 Covenant Baptist Church

Presentation: Stress: Don't stress the small stuff; stress kills

August 14, 2010 Holy Sacrament Episcopal Church, Health Fair

Presentation: Prostate Cancer in African American Men

6/24&25/2010 and 7/1and 2/2010: Attended the healthy Living Initiative presented by The Alliance on Aging and Health Council of South Florida.

6/21-23: Attended Parish Nurse Training-Catholic Charities at the Duncan Center, Delray Beach, FL.

Ongoing Involvement Presentation at area churches on: Prostate Cancer in Blacks, Breast Cancer Awareness, Heart Disease and Stroke.

5/26/2010-Beckford Elementary School. Career Day Presentation. Am I a Nurse?

5/16/2010- St Faith's Episcopal Church-Heart Disease and Stroke Awareness

3/20/2010-Covenant Baptist Church-Prostate Cancer in Blacks

2/24/2010-Kiwanis Club South Dade (Heart Disease and Stroke

2/14/2010- St. Faith's Episcopal Church -Heart Disease and Stroke.

2/6/2010- Martin Memorial Baptist Church-Heart Disease and Stroke

11/2009 - AHECH-presentation on Prostate Cancer in Blacks-Presented to nurses.

10/13/2009 -Healthy Living classes presented to the Affirmative Aging Seniors by AHEC.

9/2009- AED presented to the Church of The Ascension. 10 church members trained in Basic CPR and use of the AED

2006 November Care of the Diabetic Foot-Presented to older adults at the Naranja Health Clinic.

2006 May Infant safety presentation-to young mothers at Naranja Health Clinic (involving nursing students in community education).

2003-Present Advisor and team coordinator with Baptist Hospital Congregational Health Ministry-specializing in training individuals in the community to deliver post-hospitalization care to older adults.

2006 to present Health Fair presentation-The importance of prostate cancer awareness and screening.

2005 to present- BLS instructor certified. Teach BLS to Older Adults participating in the National Fitness Initiative Grant, South Dade.

2000-2003 Member of the Advisory Board for the Alliance on Aging

1998 to 2000 Member of the Advisory Board for Parish Nursing;

May 1996-1999 Member of the Education planning Committee

2002-2012 Member- Mental Health Advisory Committee

Doris Ison Community Health Clinic (CHI), South Dade

1998 Volunteered at the Good News Clinic as a Nurse Practitioner.

1992-Present coordinator of the Affirmative Aging Group: Church of the Ascension South Dade- Health Teaching/Advisor

