Pamela Jane Nye, RN, MS, CNS-BC



As CEO/Owner of Neuroscience Nursing, Ltd., and Founder/CEO and Executive Director of Operation Scrubs, Inc., a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, I strive to elevate the knowledge of nurses in the area of brain disorders, diseases, and injury; and to provide hospital leadership with consultation and guidance to obtain and maintain stroke certifications at all levels. Considered an expert in my nursing field, I'm also a legal consultant for attorneys, hospitals and routinely volunteer in my community.

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Education and Certifications

- ✓ Major: Nursing / University of California, San Francisco (Master of Science Nursing) 1991
- ✓ Nursing: California State University (Baccalaureate) 1989
- ✓ Nursing: Allen Memorial School of Nursing (Diploma) 1974
- ✓ Certifications: Certified Neuroscience Registered Nurse (CNRN); Stroke Certified Registered Nurse (SCRN); Emergency Neurological Life Support (ENLS); California Board of Registered Nursing / Provider # 17106.

Experience, Advanced Practice, Postgraduate

- OWNER/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, NEUROSCIENCE NURSING, LTD., 2019 TO PRESENT
 Responsible for the management and development of this company which is devoted to innovative nursing
 education and inspiring nurses to develop their own businesses. Also, an Associate Professor at UCLA School of
 Nursing. Generated business revenue is used to fund advanced neuroscience nursing scholarships.
- CEO/BOARD CHAIR: OPERATION SCRUBS, INC., 2019 TO PRESENT
 This non-profit business is devoted to the education, honoring, and recognition of nurses through large symposia and unique venues. Conference proceeds are used to fund advanced nursing scholarships.

 Website: https://operationscrubs.org
- CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALIST, UCLA RONALD REAGAN AND SANTA MONICA, 2012-2019
 Responsibilities included orientation of new graduate nurses, competency management of experienced nurses in the areas of neurological and neurosurgical nursing. Provision of large Stroke conferences for >300 participants. Implemented the Donna Wright model of nurse competency evaluation for 3,000-4,000 nurses at UCLA. Stroke Coordinator at UCLA Medical Center/Santa Monica; Associate Professor at UCLA School of Nursing.
- RESEARCH COORDINATOR: UCLA MEDICAL CENTER, FAST-MAG CLINICAL TRIAL, 2004-2006
 Responsible for management of participating remote fire stations and hospitals in a Phase III Stroke Trial, worked with the Primary Investigators (Jeff Saver, MD and Sidney Starkman, MD), adherence to data security, securing blinded trial drug/placebo, monitoring effects in participating patients, and data management.
- CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALIST, CEDARS-SINAI MEDICAL CENTER, 1999-2004
 Responsible for neurological/neurosurgical practice of >100 nurses in adult and pediatric floors. Developed the video-telemetry unit (4NW) for patients suffering intractable seizures. Chaired the Professional Advancement Committee for nurse promotion guidance. Management of clinic nurses at the Maxine Dunitz Neurosurgical Clinic, specializing in glioblastoma multiforme, a deadly brain tumor. Named "The Nurse of the Year" in 2004.
- CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALIST, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO MED. CTR., 1991-1999 Responsibilities included oversight of clinical practice for >100 nurses working on an Orthopedic/Neurology/Neurosurgery floor. Promoted in 1997 to Director of Post-Acute Services, overseeing two departments. Associate Professor to the UCSF School of Nursing, Masters Entry Program in Nursing.





Created to educate, communicate with, and continually say "Thank You" to Nurses - "The Unsung Heroes of Healthcare!"

About Pamela Jane Nye

The previous page chronicles my community service, award recognition, professional affiliation, career nursing history, academic teaching, education and publications.

What it doesn't reveal is my growing up in a small lowa town, ignoring warnings about California earthquakes, driving 3,000 miles with no job waiting, no place to live and just \$1,500 in savings!

Fast forward to today, the end result was a blessed with so many opportunities to achieve, living a good, productive,

healthy and comfortable life while, at the same time, achieving all of my career goals ... and then some.





Other things not explained are these two furry male companions giving me much comfort and inspiration during those early California adjustment years. [Chico & Rascal (left) have since crossed the Rainbow Bridge. Cooper (right) is the new baby, all King Charles Cavaliers] ... I also gave up a wonderful UCLA Stroke Coordinator position to restart my Neuroscience Nursing, Ltd. symposium business ... then create Operation Scrubs, Inc. -- a 501(c)(3) nonprofit/tax-exempt organization providing

innovative tuition-free continuing nurse education webcasts, advanced nursing education scholarships for working floor nurses, and positive nurse image advocacy.

Simply put, I wanted to use my remaining productive years pursuing the never ending challenge of "making a difference" in other nurses lives. I want to "pay forward" as the saying goes, by helping others to benefit from my diverse nursing experiences. I also want to champion an ongoing public awareness message about nurses as "the unsung, humble heroes of healthcare."

Moreover, from my Symposiums, seminars, public speaking and publication efforts, my plan is to donate 100% of all audited net revenue for tuition-free nursing education and scholarships.

Lastly, I'm hoping to pioneer some unique, informative approaches to both nurse-related teaching and as well as learning, and have some fun doing it!

If you are someone, or a company who'd consider becoming involved with my annual Operation Scrubs National Nurses Week Symposium & Nurse Celebration event, start with an email. Tell me who you are, what are you asking or telling me. Better yet, pick up the phone and give me a call at (800) 627-6156, Ext. 801.

Until next time ...







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... and when I'm not working, I've been turning some of my"bucket list" thoughts into actual experiences:

