

Curriculum Vitae
Judith Cornelius PhD MS RN FAAN

EDUCATION:

1977 B.S. Nursing, Hampton Institute, Hampton Virginia
1985 M.S. Nursing Hampton University Hampton, Virginia-Advanced Adult Nursing/Education
2000 PhD. Rush Medical Center/ Rush University, Chicago, Illinois – Adult Health Nursing/ HIV Prevention Research
2002 Post-Doctoral Fellowship- SAMHSA/ANA Minority Fellowship Program
2003-05 Post-Doctoral Fellowship- University of Pennsylvania T32

POSITIONS:

2016-2017 Project Mosaic --**Program Affiliate Faculty**
2013-2016- Participating Faculty Health Services PhD Program
2012- present **Associate Professor**, School of Nursing, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
2006-09 **Visiting Professor**, Department of Medicine, and Center for AIDS Prevention Studies University of California at San Francisco-
2005-2012 **Assistant Professor**, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
2002-03 **Co-Director** of the Pilot Core Hampton-Penn P-20 Center Grant
2000-03 **Associate Professor**, School of Nursing, Hampton University
2000-07 **Registered Nurse-Progressive Nursing Staffers**
1994-00 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Nursing, Norfolk State University, Norfolk, Virginia
1997-99 **Registered Nurse-** Sentara Hospital, Hampton, Virginia
1993-96 **Registered Nurse** Eastern State Hospital, Williamsburg Virginia,
1992-93 **Quality Improvement Nurse**, 97th General Army Hospital, Frankfurt, Germany
1989-92 **Assistant Professor**, Central Missouri State University, Warrensburg, Missouri
1985-88 **Instructor**, Department of Nursing, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
1978-85 **Charge/Staff Nurse**, Hampton Veterans Administration Medical Center, Virginia

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

- National League for Nursing- member
- American Nurses Association- member
- North Carolina Nurses Association-member
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society-member
- American Academy of Nursing-member
- Phi Beta Delta International Honor Society- member
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society- member
- American Association of Colleges in Nursing-member
- Piedmont Black Nurses Association-member
- National Black Nurses Association-member
- American Association of Colleges in Nursing-member

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION:

- **2021-** Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society- **Experienced Academic Leadership Academy-Selectee**

- **2021 National League for Nursing LEAD Program-** Participant
- **2021-Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society- Region 13 Coordinator-**
- **2021-Fellow** American Academy of Nursing
- **2012** A Healthier Charlotte - Mobile/Digital & Health- Interview on WTVI television station
- **2009** University of North Carolina at Charlotte Press Release – Funded R 21 Grant
- **2008-ABC News** Release about BART Text Messaging Project – PI Judith Cornelius
- **2007-13** Health Disparity **Scholar**-National Institutes of Health LRP Program
- **2002-** Glowing Lamp Award, Chi Eta Phi Nursing Sorority, Norfolk, Virginia 2002
- **1992-**Ellis Jones Minority Doctoral Nursing Student Award-Rush University Medical Center
- **1992-** Central Missouri State University, Department of Nursing Merit Award for Research 1992
- **1992-**Ellis Jones Minority Nursing Student Award- Rush University Medical Center-
- **1988-**The Society of Nursing Professionals, Who's Who in American Nursing-

COMMITTEE SERVICE (SELECT)

PROFESSIONAL:

- American Academy of Nursing LGBT Health Expert Panel- **Member-** 2021-present
- American Academy of Nursing Behavior Health Expert Panel -**Member-** 2021 present
- **Vice President** Board of Directors RAO Community Health 2021- present
- Black Treatment AIDS Network- Charlotte Chapter- **Advocacy Lead-** 2020-present
- Mecklenburg County Public Health Department Faith Based Committee- **Community Lead** -2020-present
- Piedmont Black Nurses Association- **Member** 2020-present
- **Chapter Liaison** for the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care-2011- 2013
- **National League for Nursing** Minority Taskforce Committee -**Member** 2008-2009
- NIH Loan Repayment **Ambassador-** 2010 to 2012
- **National League for Nursing** Education Summit Planning Committee-**Member** 2008-2009
- **National League for Nursing Ambassador** for the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, 2008-2009
- District 10 Virginia Nurses Association, **Secretary**, 2003
- Virginia Nurses Association- **Commissioner for Workplace Issues** 2000-2002
- **Advisory Board** Member Progressive Nursing Staffers, 2001

Grant Reviewer:

- American Nurses Foundation (ANF) Grant Reviewer-2011-2014
- Grant Reviewer for Sigma Theta Tau International Society, 2007-present

Abstract Reviewer:

- Abstract Reviewer for Sigma Theta Tau International Society Research Conferences, 2006-2012, 2015-2016, 2018, 2020-present
- Abstract Reviewer for the Research Committee for the Association for Nurses in AIDS Care-2011- 2015
- Abstract Reviewer for the **National League for Nursing Education Summit Conference-** 2008
- Abstract Reviewer for the Southern Nursing Research Society, 2007-2011

External Institutional Review Board Reviewer: University of Hong Kong- Reviewed two proposals pertaining to technology and health care-2021

Manuscript Reviewer (Select from over 35 journals)

- **Editor for Special Issue:** Using mobile technology to promote adolescent sexual and reproductive health- International Journal of Environmental and Public Health- 2022 https://www.mdpi.com/journal/ijerph/special_issues/adolescent_sexual_reproductive
- Worldviews Evidence Based Practice- **Reviewer** - present
- Journal of Nursing Scholarship- **Reviewer** 2019-present
- **Topic Editor** for the Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health 2020
- Journal of Homosexuality **Reviewer** 2019
- Journal of Medical Internet Research- **Reviewer** 2019
- BMJ **Reviewer** 2019
- American Journal of Sexuality Education –**Reviewer** 2019
- **Editorial Board** Online Issues in Nursing- Publication of the American Nurses Association, 2007-Present
- National League for Nursing- **Nursing Education Perspectives, Reviewer** 2008-2012

UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE/SCHOOL OF NURSING

- College Internationalization Committee **Chair** 2020-2022
- College of Health and Human Services Internationalization Committee- **Chair** 2020-2022
- World AIDS DAY- **Coordinator** for UNC Charlotte 2020
- College Review Committee- **Chair** 2015-2017
- College Dean Comprehensive Review Committee-**Chair** 2016
- School of Nursing Review Committee **Chair** 2017-2018
- School of Nursing DNP-PhD Planning Committee **Chair** 2018
- School of Nursing Faculty Search Committee 2007-2014- **Chair** 2014
- School of Nursing Scholarship Translation Committee- **Co-Chair** 2008-2009
- School of Nursing Undergraduate Curriculum Committee **Chair** 1996-1998

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2020-present Delta Sigma Theta Sorority- Charlotte Alumnae Chapter-member
- 2020- Black Treatment AIDS Network- Advocacy Lead
- 2018-2019 Hawthorne Academy High School- Senior Project- Judge
- 2018- 2021Hawthorne Academy High School Leadership Team- Co-Chair
- 2017-2018 Parent Participant -The Males Place- African American Mentoring Program
- 2015 Panelist Rep Beverly Earle Distinguished Lecture
- 2015 Moderator Tragic Mountains Diversity Conference
- 2014 Judge- Graduate Research Symposium- UNCC
- 2011 Panel Presenter- Operation Compassion Ministry- New Life Fellowship Center
- 2011 Project Health Beat, Project Evaluator
- 2009 West Charlotte Senior Student Project Mentor-
- 2006 Moderator for Panel Discussion Friendship Baptist Church- World AIDS Day, Charlotte, North Carolina

PUBLICATIONS (Select)

(*Students ** Mentees)

1. **Cornelius, J.**, Whitaker-Brown, *Smoot, J., Hart, S., Lewis, Z & *Smith, O .(2022). A text messaging-enhanced intervention for African American patients with heart failure, depression and anxiety (TXT COPE-HF): Protocol for a pilot feasibility study. *JMIR Research Protocols*, 11(1) e32550 doi 10.2196/32550 PMID: 34994709
2. **Cornelius, J.** **Okoro, F. O., Piper, C. N. (2021). A comparison of the process and content of sexual communications among African American adolescent children living in parent and grandparent headed families. *Adolescent Health, Medicine and Therapeutics*, 12: 1-8
3. **Cornelius, J.**, *Neely, T., **Okoro, F.,* Kennedy, A., Whitaker-Brown, C. & (2019). Mobile phone, social media usage, and perceptions of delivering a social media safer sex

intervention for adolescents: Results from two countries. *Adolescents, Health, Medicine and Therapeutics*, 10, 29-37 doi . 10.2147/AHMT.S185041

4. **Cornelius, J.,** &* Kennedy, A, & Wesslan, R.(2019). An examination of Twitter data to identify risky sexual practices among youth and young adults in Botswana. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 16(4), 656-666; <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph16040656>

5. **Cornelius, J.,** **Enweana, I., **Alston, C.K., & Baldwin, D. (2017). Examination of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender health care content in North Carolina schools of nursing. *Journal of Nursing Education* 56(4), 223-226 doi 10.3928/01484834-20170323-06

6. Whitaker-Brown**, C.DNP, MSN, FNP-C , Woods, S. PhD, RN, **Cornelius, J.** PhD, MS, RN, Southard, E. DNP, FNP-BC, & Gulati, S. MD, FACC Improving quality of life and decreasing readmissions in heart failure patients in a multidisciplinary transition to care clinic. (2017). *Heart & Lung: The Journal of Acute and Critical Care*, 46(2), 79-84. Doi :<http://dx.org/10.1016/j.hrting.2016.11.003>

7. **Cornelius, J.** & Appiah,* J. (2016). Using mobile technology to promote safe sex and sexual health in adolescents: current practices and future recommendations. *Adolescent, Health, Medicine, and Therapeutics*, 43-57 doi:10.2147/AHMT.S69853

8. **Cornelius, J.** & Appiah*. (2016). J. A 5-Year Review of Faith-based sexuality education and HIV prevention programs *Current Sexual Health Reports-* 8(1), 27-38. doi 10.1007/s11930-016-0062-5 –

9. **Cornelius. J.** & Pa Xiong* (2015). Generational differences in the sexual communication process of African-American grandparent and parent caregivers of adolescents. *Journal of Specialists in Pediatric Nursing*, 20(3) :203-9. doi: 10.1111/jspn.12115.

10. **Cornelius, J.,** & Whittaker-Brown, C.** (2015). A brief learning experience designed to increase nursing students' knowledge of and attitudes toward LGBT health care. *Journal of Nursing and Health Care*, 2(1), 1-4.

11. **Cornelius, J.,** & Carrick*, J. (2014). A survey of nursing students' knowledge of and attitudes toward LGBT health care concerns. *Nursing Education Perspectives*. 36(3) 176-178 Doi10.5480/13-1223.

12. **Cornelius, J.,** St. Lawrence, J., **Howard,* J.,** Shah, D., Poka*, A., McDonald, D.,* & White, A. (2012). Adolescents' perceptions of a mobile cell phone enhanced Intervention *Journal for Specialists in Pediatric Nursing*, 17(1), 61-69, doi 10.1111/j.1744-6155.2011.00308x

13. Taggart, H., Anderson, M., Phelps, E., **Cornelius, J.,** Denke, L., Hureston, L., Mahaffey, E., Patterson, G., Phillips-Kelly, J., Mulready-Schick, J., Norman., L., Hinds, L., **NLN Task Group on Expanding Diversity in the Nurse Educator Workforce.** (2009). Headlines from the NLN. Faculty stories highlight a core values of the NL. *Nursing Education Perspectives*, 30(3), 199-201.

14. **Cornelius, J.** (2006). HIV related knowledge, attitudes, and perceived risk of exposure of African American nursing students from a high prevalence AIDS area. *Journal of Multicultural Nursing and Health*, 12:141-50

15. **Cornelius, J.** (2004). Senior nursing students respond to an HIV-experiential-teaching method with an African-American female. *Journal of National Black Nurses Association*, 15:11-16.

16. **Cornelius, J.** (2004). To be touched by AIDS: An HIV-experiential teaching method. *Journal of Nursing Education*, 43:576.

17. **Cornelius, J.** (1999). The meaning of AIDS: Student nurses' perceptions of providing care to HIV/AIDS patients. *Journal of National Black Nurses Association*, 10:54-64.

DISSERTATION RESEARCH :

Cornelius, JB. (2000). The effectiveness of an experiential learning method on baccalaureate nursing students' knowledge, attitudes, willingness, and perceived

preparedness to provide care to HIV seropositive individuals. Dissertation Research Rush University, Chicago, UMI 9964804.

TECHNICAL REPORTS/PODCAST/VIDEO

- **National League for Nursing Diversity Toolkit** .(September 2009). Developed by the National League for Nursing Nurse Educator Workforce Development Advisory Council (NEWDAC) on Expanding Diversity in the Nurse Educator Workforce- Retrieved from http://www.nln.org/facultyprograms/Diversity_Toolkit/newdac.htm- **COMMITTEE MEMBER provided input into toolkit and publication development**
- **Cornelius, J. & *Xiong, Pa.** (2015) Developed podcast to accompany manuscript in *Journal of Specialists in Pediatric Nursing* 20(3) :203-9. doi: 10.1111/jspn.12115.
- **Cornelius, J. & *Appiah, J.** (2015). Developed video to accompany manuscript: Using mobile technology to promote safe sex and sexual health in adolescents: current practices and future recommendations. *Journal of Adolescent Health Medicine and Therapeutics*, 5(7) 43-57.

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATION: PERTAINING TO WORKPLACE ISSUES

Cornelius, Judith B. (2001-02). Author of Dear Judy Column. *Virginia Nurses Today* Newsletter circulated to 85,000 practicing registered nurses within the state of Virginia.

SELECT PRESENTATIONS (Pertaining to Nursing Education) PAST 5 YEARS)

***Student ** Mentee**

1. Shue-McGuffin, K., **Cornelius, J.**, Abel, W., Evans, D., Woods, S., Langford, D., ****Whitaker-Brown, C.** (2022). Bridge pathway to a DNP-PhD in nursing: A needs assessment. American Association of Colleges in Nursing Doctoral Conference January 20-22, 2022 Naples, Florida
2. **Cornelius, J.B.** , ****Okoro, F.** & ****Whitaker-Brown, C.D.** (2021). A journey to the development of a global network learning course for DNP nursing students. Sigma's 32nd International Nursing Research Congress, presentation for Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society. Pecha Kucha presentation July 21-23, 2021.
3. **Whitaker-Brown, C.**, Cornelius, J. & ****Okoro, F.** (2020). *Leadership, scholarship and service: Doctoral nursing faculty establishing collaborative relationships to serve vulnerable populations.* Sigma Theta Tau International's 31st International Research Congress. Oral- Virtual Presentation
4. Whitaker-Brown, C.D. & **Cornelius, JB.** (2017). The Doctor of Nursing Practice: Promoting partnerships and reducing health disparities among vulnerable populations. Sigma Theta Tau International's 28th International Nursing Research Congress. Dublin, July 2017- Ireland-Oral presentation
5. Whitaker-Brown, C.D. & **Cornelius, JB.** (2017). Evolution of a dual Doctor of Nursing Practice program: Promoting partnerships & Institutional collaboration to deduce health disparities among vulnerable populations. International Conference on Nursing Science and Practice, Dallas, Texas July 2017

FUNDED GRANTS: (SELECT- Nursing Education and Practice)

- **2021-** Whitaker-Brown, C & **Cornelius, J.**, (2021). A state wide assessment of advanced practice nurses knowledge of and attitudes toward suicide prevention. University of North Carolina at Charlotte Faculty Research Grant- **ROLE:** Co-Principal Investigator **\$16,000 Contribution- Health Disparity Education**
- **2019-** Whitaker-Brown, C., & **Cornelius, J.** A text messaging enhanced intervention for African American heart failure patients with depression and anxiety- School of Nursing University of North Carolina at Charlotte -**ROLE:** Principal Investigator **\$4980- Contribution- Improved Patient Outcomes For Suicide Prevention**

- **2017- Cornelius, JB & Piper, C.** Use of focus groups to inform the sexual communication process of African American fathers and sons for mobile cell phone app development - University of North Carolina Dean's Research Enhancement Fund **ROLE:** Principal Investigator **\$4390 – Contribution- Increased HIV Prevention Knowledge**
- **2016** Piper, C., Abel, W., Whitaker-Brown, C. Cornelius, J. Chancellor's Diversity Mini Grant: North Carolina State Representative Beverly Earle Minority Health Disparities Distinguished Lecture. **ROLE:** Co-Conference Planner **\$786 Contribution- Health Disparities Education**
- **2016- Cornelius, JB. (2016).** Project Mosaic Social Science Flash Grant- An examination of twitter data to inform an intervention for Botswana youth **ROLE:** Principal Investigator **\$1000- Contribution- Health Disparity Education**
- **2014-2015** Yang, A.A., Xiong, T., Townsend-Chambers, C., Kolano, L.Q., & **Cornelius, JB.** *Tragic mountains: The Hmong, the Americans, and the Secret Wars for Laos, 1942-1992.* **ROLE:** Co Investigator **\$5000 Contribution- Health Disparity Education**
- **2008** National Institutes of Nursing Research R21NR011021- Feasibility of delivering a text messaging enhanced adolescent HIV Curriculum- R 21 **ROLE:** Principal Investigator **\$396,000- Contribution- Health Disparity Education**
- **2006-2009** University of California at San Francisco R 25 National Institute of Mental Health Research in Training Grant **-ROLE:** Awardee- **\$12,000 Contribution- HIV Prevention Training**
- **2008** University of California at San Francisco **ROLE:** Principal Investigator R 25 National Institute of Mental Health Subcontract: **\$25,000 Contribution -Health Disparity Education**
- **2007-2013-** NIH Loan Repayment Program- National Institutes on Minority Health and Health Disparities **ROLE:** Principal Investigator **\$28,293 Contribution- Health Disparity Education**
- **2003-2005** National Institute of Nursing Research T-32 Training Grant- University of Pennsylvania - **ROLE:** Awardee- **\$150,000 Contribution- HIV Prevention Education**
- **2003** National Institutes of Health Grant to the Hampton-Penn Center for Health Disparities, Hampton University and the University of Pennsylvania, African-American Grand Parents and Adolescent Grandchildren Sexual Communication Needs (P20-NR-008361) Pilot study, **ROLE:** Principal Investigator, **\$11,000- Contribution- Health Disparity Education**
- **2002-** SAMHSA/ANA Minority Fellowship Program Post-Doctoral Training- **ROLE:** Principal Investigator **\$30,000 Contribution- Health Disparity Training**

COURSES (TEACHING INNOVATION)

2021-2022- Seven-Country LGBTQIA+ Health Care Project with Nurse Educators and Undergraduate Nursing Students- Piloting a text messaging intervention to improve knowledge of and attitudes toward LGBT health care in Chile, Greece, Nigeria, Indonesia, South Africa, Philippines, United States. We will enroll 30 junior level second semester students into the pilot project from the United States and then extend into the other countries.

2021- Nursing 8160 Global Health and Social Justice- Implemented Globally Networked Learning Assignment with PhD students from Obafemi Awolowo University in Nigeria- ***First*** Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) assignment in the School of Nursing. Currently working with faculty at the University of Johannesburg to extend this collaboration