# DR. BRENT J. WETENDORF DNP, MSN, NP-C Doctor of Nursing Practice/Family Nurse Practitioner Brent.Wetendorf@msutexas.edu

## EDUCATION

Chatham University-Pittsburgh, PA Doctorate (Clinical, not PhD) Conferred 2016 Field of Study-Nursing Practice Capstone: "Improving patients daily fasting blood sugars through diabetes self-management." (abstract submitted to five journals, awaiting responses)

Midwestern State University-Wichita Falls, TX Masters of Science Conferred 2010 Field of Study-Nursing/Family Nurse Practitioner tract Thesis: "The 60% Medicare rule: Outcomes and impact on advance practice nurses."

Midwestern State University-Wichita Falls, TX Bachelor of Science Conferred 2005 Field of Study-Nursing

## LICENSURE/CREDENTIALING

Texas Board of Nursing RN, Advanced Practice Nurse Lic#719626/AP119401 American Association of Nurse Practitioners certified as a Family Nurse Practitioner Expiration: August 31<sup>st</sup> 2025. #F0910120

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Academic

Midwestern State University-Wichita Falls, TX Assistant Professor/Wilson School of Nursing Aug 2016-Present Develop and implement pertinent and applied course objectives; a coherent and appropriate series of class topics and exercises; instructional approaches that encourage independent and critical thinking; and properly rigorous course assignments/assessments at the graduate level in the nurse practitioner program utilizing evidence based practice.

## Midwestern State University-Wichita Falls, TX

Part-time faculty/Wilson School of Nursing Jan 2016-Aug 2016 Responsible for implementation of course curriculum, development of course materials, lectures and use of interactive technology platforms to enhance learning at the graduate level in the nurse practitioner program. Teach in all clinical classes including Advanced Health Assessment, Diagnostics and Procedures, Family Nurse Practitioner I-III.

## Midwestern State University-Wichita Falls, TX

Preceptor/Wilson School of Nursing Jan 2011-Present Responsible for developing clinical skills and teaching evidence based practice guidelines to students enrolled in the family nurse practitioner program in the primary and acute clinic care setting.

#### Clinical

Texoma Primary Care-Wichita Falls, TX Family Nurse Practitioner Feb 2016-Present Independent primary care provider with solo practice. Responsible for managing chronic and acute conditions of patients of all ages and all payor mixes. Responsible for the evaluation, diagnosing, prescriptive therapy, lab/xray interpretations and management for these patients.

Kell West Regional Hospital-Wichita Falls, TX

#### Locums Hospitalist July 2014-Present

Provide locums relief for primary hospitalist at 41-bed facility. Responsible for daily rounds and care of inpatients, arranging discharge of inpatients and admitting patients from the Emergency Department.

## Electra Hospital District-Electra, TX

## Family Nurse Practitioner Sept 2014-Jan 2016

Independent primary care provider with solo practice at the Iowa Park Clinic location which is designated as a Rural Health Clinic. Responsible for managing chronic and acute conditions of patients of all ages and all payor mixes. Also provided 24 hour coverage as sole provider in 5 bed, Level IV Emergency Department one day a week at Electra Memorial Hospital, which is designated as a Critical Access Hospital. Responsibilities also included managing care of inpatients on medical floor and swing-beds.

# Family Practice Associates-Wichita Falls, TX

Family Nurse Practitioner Aug 2010-Aug 2014 Urgent care clinic coordinator. Medical management of walk-in/urgent care patients in a group clinic setting. Responsible for the evaluation, diagnosing, prescriptive therapy, lab/xray interpretations and management for these patients.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

Inductee Sigma Theta Tau, National Nursing Honor's Society Who's Who American Colleges and Universities '04

# RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

Served as reviewer of Fall 2017 EURECA proposals. Midwestern State University, Jun 2017.

Poster presentation at Midwestern State University 2017 Celebration of Scholarship. Poster 2: Improving Rural Patients Fasting Daily Blood Sugars through Diabetes Self-Management Dr. Brent J. Wetendorf DNP, MSN, FNP-BC Gunn College of Health Sciences & Human Services, Wilson School of Nursing. Apr 2017.

"Improving patients daily fasting blood sugars through diabetes selfmanagement" Pittsburgh, PA. Chatham University, 2016

Poster presentation at Chatham University 2015 DNP Research Day. Improving Rural Patients Fasting Daily Blood Sugars through Diabetes Self-Management Pittsburgh, PA. Sep 2015.

Guest speaker Healthsouth Corporation. Topic: "The 60% Medicare Rule: Navigating the Requirements for Rehabilitation Referrals" Birmingham, AL. 2011.

"The 60% Medicare Rule: Navigating the Requirements for Rehabilitation Referrals" The Journal for Nurse Practitioners-Volume 7, Issue 2, Feb 2011

## SERVICE

Leadership Committee-Wilson School of Nursing, Aug 2017-present.

Mentor to new faculty member Kristina Halberg under direction of Kathryn M. Zuckweiler, Ph.D. Dean, Dr. Billie Doris McAda Graduate School. Midwestern State University, Aug 2017-present.

Medical volunteer Hotter-N-Hell Hundred rest stop #7, Wichita Falls, TX Aug 2017.

Graduate Standards and Curriculum Committee-Wilson School of Nursing, Aug 2016-present.

Served as reviewer of Fall 2017 EURECA proposals. Midwestern State University, Jun 2017.

Assisted in recruitment of adjunct faculty Valerie Pinson and Khadeen Patrick to the Wilson School of Nursing. Midwestern State University, May 2017.

Collaborated with Prof. Daria Close to be interviewed by seven students as a "Nursing Scholar" for their undergraduate NURS 3103 Introduction to Nursing Course. Midwestern State University, Feb 2017.

Volunteer Medical officer Wichita Falls Police Department SWAT team. City of Wichita Falls, January 2017-present.

Authored Sections D & E of Standard III: Program Quality: Curriculum and Teaching-Learning Practices Key Elements, Wilson School of Nursing, CCNE Report Team. Midwestern State University Nov 2016

Collaborated with Prof. Daria Close to be interviewed by seven students as a "Nursing Scholar" for their undergraduate NURS 3103 Introduction to Nursing Course. Midwestern State University, Nov 2016.

Collaborated with Prof. Daria Close and was a guest lecturer for her undergraduate NURS 3103 Introduction to Nursing Course. Midwestern State University, Sept 1 & 7 2016.

Contributing member of the Nursing Faculty Organization. Wilson School of Nursing. Midwestern State University, Jan 2016-present.