

Abridged Curriculum Vitae of Professor Joanne Rachel Naidoo

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Summary

Joanne Naidoo joined the Nelson Mandela University, Department of Nursing Science at Nelson Mandela University in April, 2017. Prior to this she worked for over 15 years at the Department of Nursing, University of KwaZulu-Natal; initially in a research support role for various community based research projects in KwaZulu-Natal; a multi country study on HIV related stigma in South Africa, Eswatini, Lesotho, Malawi and Tanzania, and later as a lecturer in Nursing Research and postgraduate research coordinator.

It is also within her employment at UKZN, that Joanne completed a coursework Masters in Nursing Research and a PhD in Nursing, which focused on establishing communities of practice through the use of critical reflection among nurses providing care for women living with HIV. Joanne further completed the Health Professional's Fellowship in 2014 with the Southern African FAIMER Regional Institute (SAFRI), is registered as a nurse educator and professional nurse and midwife with the South African Nursing Council, and member of various professional and research bodies.

Joanne has also been recognized for her knowledge and skills through the consultancy role, workshop presentations, and guest lectures. She has also participated in various curriculum reviews and design for Masters in Nursing programmes in Lesotho, Congo-Brazzaville, Gabon and Seychelles. She has also been involved in terms of integrating HIV within a Bachelor of Nursing curriculum through the MEPI initiative.

Joanne has published widely in the field of Nursing and HIV related Stigma in over 35 articles in accredited journals, several book chapters, conferences, keynote addresses and supervising to completion over 25 Doctoral and Masters students whose work reflect a shared research interest.

Joanne continues to facilitate health sciences research through her contribution as Director of Research for the Faculty of Health Sciences, since 2020, an external examiner for research and ethics modules at several HEIs in the country, journal reviewer and external examiner for over 20 masters and doctoral studies.

Education Qualifications

PhD in Nursing, University of KwaZulu – Natal

Master of Nursing (coursework specialising in Research Methods), University of KwaZulu – Natal

Bachelor of Nursing, University of Natal

Post-basic diploma in Nursing Education, University of KwaZulu – Natal

Higher Certificate in Health Professions Education, South Africa FAIMER Regional Institute –SAFRI

Certificate in Moderation of Outcomes Based Education, KwaZulu Natal Training Centre,

Professional Experience

Professor of Nursing, Nelson Mandela University (2019 to date)

Director of Health Science Research (3 - year secondment), Faculty of Health Sciences, Nelson Mandela University (Jan 2020 to date)

Associate Professor of Nursing, Nelson Mandela University (2017 to 2019)

Lecturer (Nursing Research), University of KwaZulu-Natal (2009 to 2016)

Postgraduate Research Coordinator, School of Nursing, University of KwaZulu Natal

Research Project Coordinator, University of KwaZulu-Natal (2002-2009)

Research and Teaching Experience:

Seychelles, Ministry of Health as part of UKZN - World Health Organisation Collaborating Centre activities. Facilitated modules in Nursing Research and Philosophy, Bachelor of Nursing- Advance Practice Programme.

Gabon and Congo-Brazzaville, New Partnership for Africa Development (NEPAD): Situational Analysis as part of the project to upscale nursing and midwifery education

Lesotho, National University of Lesotho. Curriculum Development and Review for Master of Nursing. Part of the World Health Collaborating Centre activities for Nursing and Midwifery for the Nursing Education Partnership Initiative (NEPI)

Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) – Commissioned evaluation research on the Canadian and Africa Caring for the Carer- HIV project, South African Study

MEPI Integration of HIV competencies into Bachelor of Nursing

Fogarty- NIH (R01 TW006395) UCSF and UKZN, Perceived AIDS Stigma: A Multinational African Study. A longitudinal study conducted explored the meaning and measurement of HIV stigma; and its impact on the quality of life for nurses and People Living with HIV/AIDS in Eswatini, Lesotho, Malawi, South Africa, and Tanzania

Medical Research Council, SA, **A Rapid Assessment of HIV/AIDS in the Minibus Taxi Industry in KwaZulu-Natal**, the impact of HIV/AIDS in the Minibus taxi industry, in South Africa.

Medical Research Council, SA, **The influence of pregnancy on the progression of HIV/AIDS in women in South Africa** Prospective study in KwaZulu-Natal aimed to determine the progression of HIV among women.

Multi-country case study of health promotion of lifestyle diseases within the minibus taxi industry
Collaborative study with DUT, University of Rwanda and Ghana

Research Development and Support:

Joanne has published over 35 peer reviewed papers in accredited journals, several conference presentations in national and international conference, three keynote addresses at Regional Nursing and Health related conferences and several book chapters. She has supervised over 25 doctoral and masters' students.