

THOMAS H. JOSLYN CRNA, MS

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS MEDICAL CENTER, KANSAS CITY, KANSAS
Master of Science in Nurse Anesthesia

SAINT FRANCIS SCHOOL OF ANESTHESIA, LACROSSE, WISCONSIN
CRNA Degree

CLARK COLLEGE SCHOOL OF NURSING, VANCOUTER, WASHINGTON
RN Associate Degree

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA, VERMILLION, SOUTH DAKOTA
BS, Biology and Chemistry

EXPERIENCE (FULL TIME)

TRIPLER ARMY MEDICAL CENTER, HONOLULU, HAWAII
STAFF NURSE ANESTHETIST
JULY 2004 - PRESENT

Anesthesia services at this major medical center providing all specialties of medical and surgical services to the Armed Forces personnel, and their dependents, and pacific islanders, throughout the Pacific Rim. Specialties include: Neurology, OB/GYN, Orthopedics, and pacific islanders ENT, Ophthalmology, General, Vascular, Oral and Maxillofacial, Plastic and Reconstructive, Urology, Podiatry, Radiology, gastroenterology, Orthopedics, OB/GYN and Cardio-thoracic. General, regional, and MAC anesthesia services are provided. I provide some epidural and spinal anesthesia and analgesia for obstetrical patients. I also am an adjunct professor with the US Army School of Anesthesia at this Phase II site. The hospital is a very busy medical center in which 14 operating rooms and 4 outside sites, are used to provide anesthesia to approximately 30,000 surgical patients a year. I also provide preoperative assessment and counseling in the (SAC) Surgical Admission Center.

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ST. JOHN'S REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, JOPLIN, MISSOURI

Staff Nurse Anesthetist (Level II Trauma Center)

September 2001-July 2004

Anesthesia services was provided at this urban multi-specialty surgical practice, including: Neurology, OB/GYN, Orthopedics, ENT, Ophthalmology, General, Vascular, Thoracic, Trauma, Oral and Maxillofacial, Plastic and Reconstructive, Urology, Podiatry, Radiology, Gastroenterology and occasionally Cardiac. General, regional, and MAC anesthesia services were provided. I provided epidural and spinal anesthesia and analgesia for obstetrical patients. This practice required 24-hour call. I participated in a monthly morbidity and mortality conference and was a resource person for OR and anesthesia personnel. This practice had a very busy phase 2 trauma practice covering a 4-state area. There were approximately 11,000 anesthetics given a year. I provided a preoperative assessment and counseling in the PAT (Pre-operative Assessment and Testing) center on a rotating basis.

MOUNT CARMEL REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, PITTSBURG, KANSAS

Staff Nurse Anesthetist, Adjunct Professor University of Kansas Anesthesia Education

August 1993 to September 2001

A rural hospital setting providing general (General, regional, and MAC) to General Vascular, Thoracic, OB/GYN, Orthopedic, Urology, ENT, Podiatry, Oral and Maxillofacial, Ophthalmology, Gastroenterology, and occasionally trauma patients. There were approximately 4500 surgical cases a year performed. Anesthesia and analgesia was provided to OB patients. I was a 1st responder to in-house codes and other emergencies requiring anesthesia services. Beeper call (24 hour) every 4th day and 4th weekend was required. Some administrative duties such as staff scheduling, equipment and anesthesia product evaluations, and personnel review were required. In addition, I was an adjunct professor with the University of Kansas Nurse Anesthesia Education Department. This required both clinical and didactic instruction to students in this program. I was the thesis chairperson for students and helped develop and implement each student's research and thesis. I was very active in the selection, instruction, evaluation, and discipline of each student in the program.

OWATONNA ANESTHESIA SERVICES, P.C., OWATONNA, MINNESOTA

Staff Nurse Anesthetist

August 1991 to August 1993

A rural hospital setting providing anesthesia to approximately 3500 patients a year. Surgical services offered at this facility were OB/GYN, Orthopedic, Urology, ENT, Ophthalmology, Gastroenterology, and occasionally trauma. This was a (fee per service) independent practice where we did our own billing for services rendered. General, regional, MAC anesthesia, and OB analgesia was provided to the patients on a 24-hour beeper call, every 4th day and every 4th weekend. I was the 1st responder to codes and emergency services at the hospital. Some pain management work was performed; trigger point and epidural steroid injections, as requested by attending physicians.

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SAINT JOSEPH MERCY HOSPITAL, MASON CITY, IOWA

Staff Nurse Anesthetist

October 1989 to July 1991

Anesthesia services were performed at this urban hospital for this multi-specialty surgical practice including: Neurology, OB/GYN, Orthopedics, ENT, Ophthalmology, General, Vascular, Thoracic, Trauma, Urology, Podiatry, Oral and Maxillofacial, Radiology, Gastroenterology, and occasionally Cardiac. General, regional, and MAC anesthesia services were provided. There were approximately 8,500 surgical cases performed every year. Beeper call (24 hours) were performed every 6th day and every 6th weekend to any emergency services needed.

KAWAI VETERANS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, WAIMEA, HAWAII

Chief Nurse Anesthetist, Infection Control Surveillance Officer/Peer Review/Quality Assurance

March 1988 to September 1989

A solo practice at this rural hospital where approximately 900 surgical cases were performed every year. Beeper call (24 hours) were provided for any and all emergencies and OB anesthesia and analgesia requiring anesthesia services. This included but were not limited to: emergency IV starts, central line placement, airway management, and epidural and spinal services. Some call was shared with a part time CRNA, and some locum tenum CRNAs. Anesthesia quality assurance, staff scheduling, infection control in the operating rooms, staff credentialing, anesthesia and operating room staff yearly performance evaluations, JCHAO quality assurance and evaluations, and policy and procedures manuals preparedness were some of the administrative duties.

KAISER-PERMANENTE MEDICAL CENTER, HONOLULU, HAWAII

Staff Nurse Anesthetist

September 1983 to March 1988

Anesthesia services at this urban hospital provided multi-specialty surgical practice including, Neurology, OB/GYN, Orthopedics, ENT, Ophthalmology, General, Vascular, Thoracic, Trauma, Urology, Podiatry, Oral and Maxillofacial, Radiology and Gastroenterology. General, regional, and MAC anesthesia services were provided. There were approximately 8000 surgical cases performed every year. In-house call was required to respond to any and all emergency services requiring anesthesia services. Attendance at every obstetrical delivery was required for all infant (newborn) assessment and resuscitation.

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EXPERIENCE (PART TIME)

HOSPITAL DISTRICT NO.#1, GIRARD, KANSAS

Staff Nurse Anesthetist

August 1994 to July 2004

Staff anesthetist at a small rural hospital (2 operating rooms) with an average of 2000 cases per year. Administered general, regional, and MAC anesthesia for patients having elective and emergency procedures. Autonomous practice with on-call (beeper) that included OB/GYN, Orthopedic, Urology, ENT, Vascular, Thoracic, and general cases.

HENNEPIN COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER, MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

Staff Nurse Anesthetist (Class 1 Trauma Center)

September 1991-August 1993

Anesthesia coverage for this very active level 1 trauma center with active 12 operating rooms. The major majority of these cases were on patients classified as ASA 3-5 (E), extremely critical.

MOLOKAI GENERAL HOSPITAL, KAUNAKAKANI, HAWAII

Relief Chief Nurse Anesthetist

November 1984 to March 1987

Relief chief nurse anesthetist responsible for autonomous on-call anesthesia for this small rural hospital (2 operating rooms). In charge of all scheduling of 4 CRNAs who also provided anesthesia coverage. Provided anesthesia care where needed throughout this hospital. Provided all preoperative assessment and counseling and postoperative evaluations. Assisted with all equipment evaluations and scheduling of supplies and maintenance of anesthesia equipment.

KAPIOLANI WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S MEDICAL CENTER, HONOLULU, HAWAII

Staff Nurse Anesthetist (Exclusively Obstetrical Anesthesia)

July 1984 to March 1987

Staff anesthetist at this exclusive hospital specializing in OB/GYN procedures and high risk obstetrical care. Responsible for all maintenance care for women on epidural anesthesia and analgesia for labor and delivery. This is a very busy hospital with approximately 500 deliveries per month. Administered anesthesia care for elective and emergency procedures in most surgical specialties.

QUEEN'S MEDICAL CENTER, HONOLULU, HAWAII

Staff Nurse Anesthetist

October 1983 to March 1984

Staff nurse anesthetist for this large regional medical center (level 1) trauma center. Provide anesthesia and related services to both elective and emergency cases as needed. This is a very active facility where most of the trauma cases on Oahu and outer islands would come for surgical and resuscitative services. All major surgical specialties were practiced at this facility and I was required to provide anesthesia care to all type and ages of patients.

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PROFICIENCIES IN AND REGULARLY PRACTICE _____

GENERAL ANESTHETICS FOR ALL TYPES OF SURGICAL CASES, EXCEPT
OPEN HEART AND TRANSPLANT
REGIONAL ANESTHETICS, EXCEPT OCULAR BLOCKS
MAC ANESTHETICS
PLACEMENT OF CENTRAL LINES (SUBCLAVIAN AND INTERNAL JUGULAR
VEIN)
PLACEMENT AND MONITORING OF CENTRAL CATHETERS AND ARTERIAL
LINES
PLACEMENT FOR UPPER AND LOWER EXTREMITY BLOCKS AND ULTRA
SOUND BLOCKS AND CAUDAL CATHETERS

CREDENTIALS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF NURSE ANESTHETISTS, ██████████
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF NURSE ANESTHETISTS, Recertification, ██████████
AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION, BCLS, ACLS Provider
KANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING, RN, ██████████ (Inactive)
KANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING, ARNP, RNA, ██████████ (Inactive)
MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF NURSING, REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSE
AND NURSE ANESTHETIST-██████████
MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF NURSING, NURSE ANESTHETIST, ██████████
HAWAII STATE BOARD OF NURSING, APRN, ██████████
HAWAII STATE BOARD OF NURSING, REGISTERED NURSE, ██████████
BLS-CERTIFIED
ACLS-CERTIFIED

OTHERS

PRESIDENT OF THE HAWAII AMERICAN NURSE ANESTHETISTS 2009-2011
(ACTIVE)
HAWAII STATE BOARD OF NURSING APRN ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBER
2010-PRESENT
HAWAII STATE CENTER FOR NURSING - STATE OF HAWAII STRATEGIC
PLANNING MEMBER 2011-PRESENT
KEY NOTE SPEAKER AT GRADUATING NURSE ANESTHETIST CLASS OF 2009
GENERAL COMMAND ACCOMMODATION FOR OUTSTANDING SAFE
PRACTICE 2004 INVOLVING A PATIENT WITH A DISSECTING ABDOMINAL
AORTIC ANEURYSM
NORMA BARRETT OUTSTANDING FACULTY MEMBER 2005
HAWAII ASSOCIATION OF NURSE ANESTHETIST (HANA)
BOARD MEMBER 1984-1988