

Vita
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Personal Data:

Date of Birth: March 26th

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Education:

DrPH Health Management and Policy, East Tennessee State University
Johnson City, TN (In Progress)

M.A. Professional Communication, East Tennessee State University
Johnson City, TN, 2016

B.A. Humanities, Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS, 2010

Experience:

Data Support Specialist, East Tennessee State University, Center for Rural Health
Research, 2022-Present

Graduate Assistant, East Tennessee State University, Dr. Patricia Robertson Pride
Center, 2021-2022

Community Navigator, Ballad Health, Emergency Department, 2019-2020

Field Nurse, Amedisys Home Health, 2017-2019

Field Nurse, Bayada Pediatrics, 2014-2017

Charge Nurse, Regent Park Rehabilitation, 2013-2014

Honors and Awards:

Harold Love Outstanding Community Service Award Nominee, 2023

Bayada Hero Recognition Program, 2017

East Tennessee State University Outstanding Graduate Research and Performance,
2016

Training and Skills

HUD Technical Assistance, Housing Crisis Response System 2023

HUD Technical Assistance, Motivational Interviewing 2023

HUD Technical Assistance, Cultural Humility 2023

HUD Technical Assistance, Trauma-Informed Care 2023

HUD Technical Assistance, Cultural Humility 2023

HUD Technical Assistance, Harm Reduction 2023

License of Practical Nursing, 2012-2019

Reports & Conferences:

Homelessness in Johnson City, TN: A Multi-Level Partners and Service Provider Perspective, Johnson City Board of Commissioners

The Effectiveness of Continuums of Care (CoCs) in Addressing Homelessness: Appalachian Student Research Forum

Community Service & Activities:

Board of Directors, Northeast Tennessee Community Health Centers Board, 2023-present

Board of Directors, Unity Housing of Johnson City, 2022-present

Johnson City Strategic Homeless Outreach Planning Team, 2022-present

Langston High School (LEAD) Educational Programming Chair, Johnson City, TN 2021

TriPride Board of Directors, 2017-2018