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### **EDUCATION**

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- 2012 (Jan – Dec) **Post Doctoral Research Fellow**, Centre for Nursing and Child Health Evaluation Sciences Program, Hospital for Sick Children and Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
- 2012 **Doctor of Philosophy** Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
- 1996 **Masters of Nursing**, University of Calgary, Calgary, AB
- 1991 **Bachelor of Science in Nursing (With Distinction)**, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, SK

### **EMPLOYMENT RECORD**

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- Jan 2013 – present **Assistant Professor**, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
- Jan 2013 – present **Nursing Research Associate**, Pediatric Advanced Care Team, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, ON

### **APPOINTMENTS**

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- Apr 2015 – present **Core Faculty**, Global Institute for Palliative, Psychosocial, and End-of-Life Care (GIPPEC), Toronto, ON
- Jan 2013 – present **Adjunct Scientist**, Research Institute, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, ON

### **RECOGNITIONS**

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- 2016 Betty Burcher Mentoring Award, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2013 Nomination, Council of Ontario University Programs in Nursing Teaching Award
- 2012 Nomination, Governor General's Academic Gold Medal
- 2012 Dean's Medal – Top PhD Student, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2012 Best Presentation, Doctoral Research Week, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto

2012	Doctoral Dissertation Award, Council of Ontario University Programs in Nursing
2012	First Place Poster Prize, Child Health Evaluative Sciences Clinical Research Scientific Day, Toronto, Ontario
2010	Best Presentation, Doctoral Research Week, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto

### AWARDS

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2014	Career Development Award, Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program and CIHR Strategy for Patient Oriented Research	\$280,000 / 4 years
2012	Elizabeth Dickson KT Supplement, CIHR	\$5000
2012	Fellowship (Post Doctoral), CIHR	\$165,000 / 3 years
2012	Career Enhancement Program – Post Doctoral, Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program	\$15,000 / 3 years
2011	CIHR Team in Children’s Pain Postdoctoral Fellowship	\$20,000
2011	Pain in Child Health Postdoctoral Fellowship	\$36,000 - declined
2011	Research Training Competition, Hospital for Sick Children	\$33,750 - declined
2010	Doctoral Thesis Completion Grant, University of Toronto	\$3500
2010	University of Toronto Fellowship	\$7,000
2009	Fellowship (Doctoral), CIHR	\$137,500 / 2.5 years
2009	Career Enhancement Program - Doctoral, Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program	\$12,500 / 2.5 years
2009	Sigma Theta Tau Scholarship, Canadian Nurses Foundation	\$1,500
2009	Mildred Claire Pratt Graduate Nursing Fellowship, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing	\$1000
2008	TD Meloche Monnex Scholarship, Canadian Nurses Foundation	\$6000
2008	University of Toronto Fellowship	\$2000
2007	Research Trainee, CIHR New Emerging Team: Transitions in Pediatric Palliative Care	\$44,000 / 2 years
2007	Ontario Graduate Scholarship	\$15,000 - declined
2007	University of Toronto Fellowship	\$5,000
2007	Faculty of Nursing Doctoral Award in the Care of Children	\$355
2006	Dorothy Grace Riddell Fellowship, University of Toronto	\$15,000
2006	Dr. Dorothy J. Kergin Fellowship, Canadian Nurses Foundation	\$6,000
2006	Kathleen King Doctoral Fellowship, University of Toronto	\$2,500

## RESEARCH FUNDING

### TOTAL FUNDING

	<b>Tri-Council</b>	<b>Other External</b>	<b>Internal</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>PI</b>	\$109,552	\$1,049,138	\$55,000	\$1,213,690
<b>Co-I</b>	\$1,369,990	\$658,564	\$0	\$2,028,554
<b>Total</b>	\$1,479,542	\$1,707,702	\$55,000	<b>\$3,242,244</b>

### CURRENT EXTERNAL

	<b>Title</b>	<b>Principal Investigator</b>	<b>Co-Investigators</b>	<b>Funding Source</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Year</b>
1.	Development of a Conceptual Framework for Quality of Life in Children with Medical Complexity Nearing the End of Life	<b>K. Widger</b>	A. Rapoport S. Adams R. Steele	Norman Saunders Complex Care Grant, Hospital for Sick Children	\$14,128	2017-2018
2.	Early Consultation for Children Undergoing Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation	K. Weingarten	<b>K Widger</b> D. Wilson	Innovation Grant, Clinical Advisory Council, Hospital for Sick Children	\$10,000	2017-2018
3.	End of Life Health Care Use for Children with Life Threatening Conditions: A National Population Based Study	<b>K. Widger</b>	S. Gupta A. Rapoport H. Seow H. Siden P. Tanuseputro C. Vadeboncoeur	CIHR Operating Grant: Analysis of existing Canadian cohorts and databases related to reproductive, child and maternal health	\$75,000	2017-2018
4.	Parental Perspectives on Advance Care Planning for Individuals With Cerebral Palsy	A. Hoffman A. Rapoport	<b>K. Widger</b> J Humphreys V. Low B. Fishbein-Germon	Center for Leadership, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation hospital	\$18,000	2016-2017
5.	From Silos to Shared Care: Strengthening Ties Between	P. Mosher A. Rapoport	<b>K. Widger</b>	Medical Psychiatry Alliance,	\$100,000	2015-2018

	Consultation Liaison Psychiatry and Palliative Care to Strengthen Mental Health Resources for Children With Life Threatening Conditions			Hospital for Sick Children		
6.	Sucrose Practices for Pain in Neonates (SPiN): A Program of Research	B. Stevens	A. Taddio D. Harrison S. Gibbins M. Campbell-Yeo J. Yamada J. Squires M. Ballantyne C. Estabrooks C. McNair S. Sidani A. Synnes <b>K. Widger</b> A. Willan	CIHR Operating Grant	\$1,245,000	2013-2017

### COMPLETED EXTERNAL

	Title	Principal Investigator	Co-Investigators	Funding Source	Amount	Year
1.	Enhancing the Quality of Palliative and End-of-Life Care for Children with Cancer	<b>K. Widger</b> A. Rapoport	E. Bouffet S. Friedrichsdorf M. Greenberg A. Husain S. Liben J. Pole H. Siden J. Whitlock J. Wolfe	Canadian Partnership Against Cancer	\$984,264	2014-2017
2.	Using Health Administrative Data to Understand and Improve End of Life Care Among Children With Cancer: A Population-Based Cohort and Validation Study	S. Gupta <b>K. Widger</b>	C. Earle A. Kassam K. Nelson J. Pole A. Rapoport J. Wolfe	Pitblado Clinical Grant Competition, Garron Family Cancer Centre, Hospital for Sick Children	\$50,000	2015-2016
3.	A Scoping Review to Examine the Extent and Quality of Literature on	H Siden T. Dewan	N. Chavoshi, M.C. Gregoire R. Steele <b>K. Widger</b>	CIHR Knowledge Synthesis Grant	\$50,000	2015-2016

	Symptoms in Children with Rare, Progressive Disorders					
4.	A Scoping Review to Identify What is Known and Unknown About Pain Assessment and Management in Pediatric Palliative Care	B. Stevens H. Siden	<b>K. Widger</b> S. Liben A. Rapoport J. Yamada	CIHR Knowledge Synthesis Grant	\$50,000	2012-2013
5.	How Have We Changed? Pediatric Palliative Care in Canada, 2002 – 2012	<b>K. Widger</b>	D. Davies M. Gregoire M. Harlos S. Liben M. Robertson A. Rapoport H. Siden C. Vadeboncoeur	Connaught New Researcher Award, University of Toronto	\$10,000	2013-2014
6.	Sibling's Perspectives: Toward a Better Understanding of their Involvement with a Dying Child	C. Eaton Russell	M. Barrera L. Beaune S. Cadell A. Rapoport M. Rugg R. Steele <b>K. Widger</b>	The Innovation Fund in Children's Palliative Care Research, The Hospital for Sick Children	\$9,860	2011-2013
7.	Development and Evaluation of a Pediatric Pain KT Toolkit: A Consensus Conference	B. Stevens	M. Barwick J. Stinson <b>K. Widger</b> J. Yamada	CIHR Planning Grant	\$24,990	2013-2014
8.	Promoting Retention of Ontario University and College Nurse Faculty	A. Tourangeau	K MacMillan <b>K. Widger</b> E. M. Ferron	Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, Nursing Research Fund	\$370,576	2009-2012
9.	Development and Testing of an Instrument to Measure Parents' Perspectives of the Quality of Children's End-of-life Care	<b>K. Widger</b>	A. Tourangeau R. Steele D. Streiner	The Innovation Fund in Children's Palliative Care Research, The Hospital for Sick Children	\$4,874	2008-2011
10.	Quality Palliative Care for Children and Youth with Chronic Disease	L. Parker	M. Bernstein F. Burge G. Frager	CIHR Network for End-of-Life	\$5,000	2007-2008

			B. Lawson N. MacDonald P. Randel W. Robinson <b>K. Widger</b>	Studies		
11.	Careful Transitions: Developing an Integrated Service Delivery Model for Pediatric Palliative Care	D. Nicholas	L. Beaune C. Newman M. Rugg <b>K. Widger</b>	SickKids Foundation	\$129,950	2006- 2008
12.	Pediatric Palliative Care Surveillance Pilot Project.	<b>K. Widger</b>	D. Drouin N. Humbert L. Beaune M. Rattray D. Davies P. Farran F. Nalewajek	CIHR Operating Grant	\$34,552	2004- 2006
13.	The Comprehensive Cancer Project for Children: The Needs of Children with Cancer and Their Families	G Jungman	P. McGrath E. Cooper <b>K. Widger</b> J. Ceccolini C. Fernandez G. Frager K. Wilkins	Cancer Care Nova Scotia	\$20,000	2001- 2002
14.	The Comprehensive Cancer Project for Children: The Needs of Children with Cancer and Their Families	G Jungman	P. McGrath E. Cooper <b>K. Widger</b> J. Ceccolini C. Fernandez G. Frager K. Wilkins	McNaught Fund	\$6,178	2001- 2002

### COMPLETED INTERNAL

	Title	Principal Investigator	Co-Investigators	Funding Source	Amount	Year
1.	Pediatric Palliative Care Practice Guidelines: A Systematic Review	<b>K. Widger</b>	J. Yamada L. Ives-Baine F. Macapagal G. Sanga R. Williams J. Diep C. Bennet K. Portelli	Bertha Rosenstadt Small Research Grant Program, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of	\$5,000	2015- 2016

				Toronto		
2.	Do Specialized Pediatric Palliative Care Services Make a Difference?	<b>K. Widger</b>		University of Toronto, Bloomberg Faculty Pilot Research Grant Program	\$50,000	2014-2015

### UNFUNDED PROJECTS

	Title	Project Lead	Project Team	Project Type	Location	Year
1	Assessing Nurses' Knowledge, Competency, and Attitudes about Pediatric Palliative Care	M. McAllister	G. Sangha, C. Bennett, S. Stenekes <b>K. Widger</b>	Research	SickKids	2016-2017
2.	Transition to Adult Services by Youth with Life-Threatening Conditions	<b>K. Widger</b>	H. Kerr G. Cullen-Dean J. Maxwell, R. Salminen K. Netten A. Rapoport P. Ohalloran H. Nicholl J. Price	Research	SickKids & Holland Bloorview	2014-2016
3.	Quality of Palliative, End-of-life, and Bereavement Care for Children and Families	G. Sangha	C. Bennett L. Ives-Baine A. Rapoport <b>K. Widger</b>	Quality Improvement	SickKids	2016-ongoing
4.	Assessing the Impact of an Educational Intervention on Health Professionals' Knowledge, Competency, and Attitudes About Perinatal Palliative Care	I. Gladding	<b>K. Widger</b>	Research	Trillium Health Partners	2015-2017
5.	Paediatric Advanced Care Team Community Outreach Nurse Practitioner Pilot Project	<b>K. Widger</b>	R. Williams M. Nanji A. Sarpaul K. Pearson A. Rapoport	Quality Improvement	SickKids	2015-2016
6.	Assessing the Quality of Respite Services in	S. Ross	S. Robbins K. Daffern	Quality Improvement	Emily's House	2014-ongoing

	a Pediatric Hospice		R. Salminen <b>K. Widger</b>		Children's Hospice	
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## PUBLICATIONS

<i>Key for Authorship Codes</i>		
PA	Principal Author	>90%
SA	Senior Author	50-89%
CA	Contributing Author	10-49%
MA	Minor Author	<10%
Underlined name	Student Author	

### Peer-Reviewed Papers:

1. **Widger, K.**, Sutradhar, R., Rapoport, A., Vadeboncoeur, C., Zeltzer, S., Kassam, A., Nelson, K., Liu, Y., Wolfe, J., Earle, C., Pole, J., Gupta, S. (accepted). Predictors of specialized pediatric palliative care involvement and impact on patterns of end-of-life care in children with cancer, *Journal of Clinical Oncology*, [PA, Impact Factor = 20.96, Ranking = 4/277]
2. Eaton Russell, C., **Widger, K.**, Beaune, L., Neville, A., Cadell, S., Steele, R., Rapoport, A., Rugg, M., & Barrera, M. (2017). Sibling voices: A prospective investigation of experiences with a dying child. *Death Studies*. Early online doi: 10.1080/07481187.2017.1334009 [SA; Impact Factor = 0.77]
3. **Widger, K.**, Vadeboncoeur, C., Zeltzer, S., Liu, Y., Kassam, A., Sutradhar, R., Rapoport, A., Nelson, K., Wolfe, J., Earle, C., Pole, J., Gupta, S. (2017). The validity of using health administrative data to identify the involvement of specialized pediatric palliative care services in children with cancer in Ontario, Canada. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, Early online doi: 10.1089/jpm.2017.0028 [PA; Impact Factor 2.32; Ranking]
4. **Widger, K.**, Seow, H. Rapoport, A., Chalifoux, M., & Tanuseputro, P. (2017). Children's end-of-life health care use and cost. *Pediatrics*, 139(4), e20162956 doi: 10.1542/peds.2016-2956 [PA; Impact Factor = 5.47, Ranking = 4/120]
5. Roth, A., Rapoport, A., **Widger, K.**, & Friedman, J. (2017). General paediatric inpatient deaths over a 15-year period. *Paediatrics and Child Health*, 22(2), 80-83. doi: 10.1093/pch/pxx005 [CA; Impact Factor = 1.55; Ranking = 67/120]
6. Kassam, A., Sutradhar, R., **Widger, K.**, Rapoport, A., Pole, J., Nelson, K., Wolfe, J., Earle, C., & Gupta, S. (2016). Predictors of and trends in high-intensity end-of-life care among children with cancer: A population-based study using health services data. *Journal of Clinical Oncology*, 35(2), 236-242. doi:10.1200/JCO2016.68.8283 [CA; Impact Factor = 20.96, Ranking = 4/277]
7. **Widger, K.**, Davies, D., Rapoport, A., Vadeboncoer, C., Liben, S., Sarpal, A., Stenekes, S., Cyr, C., Dauost, L., Gregoire, M.C., Robertson, M., Hodgson-Viden, H., Laflamme, J., & Siden, H. (2016). Pediatric palliative care in Canada in 2012: A cross-sectional descriptive study. *CMAJ Open*, 4(4), e562-568. doi:10.9778/cmajo.20160054 [PA; Impact Factor = N/A]
8. Xiao, S., **Widger, K.**, Berta, W., & Tourangeau, A. (2016). Nursing process healthcare indicators: A scoping review of development methods. *Journal of Nursing Care Quality*.



Advance online publication. doi:10.1097/NCQ.0000000000000207 [CA; Impact Factor = 1.39; Ranking = 24/111]

9. **Widger, K.**, Friedrichsdorf, S., Wolfe, J., Liben, S., Bouffet, E., Greenberg, M., Husain, A., Pole, J., Siden, H., Whitlock, J., & Rapoport, A. (2016). Protocol: Evaluating the impact of a nationwide train-the-trainer educational initiative to enhance the quality of palliative care for children with cancer. *BMC Palliative Care*, *15*. doi:10.1186/s12904-016-0085-8 [PA; Impact Factor = 1.79; Ranking = 39/88; Number of Citations = 0]
10. **Widger, K.** (2015). Discourse: Needless suffering. *Canadian Journal of Nursing Research*, *47*(2), 9-17. [PA; Number of Citations = 0]
11. **Widger, K.**, Bouffet, E., Friedrichsdorf, S., Greenberg, M., Husain, A., Liben, S., Pole, J., Siden, H., Whitlock, J., Wolfe, J., & Rapoport, A. (2015). Enhancing the quality of palliative care for children with cancer: A nationwide train-the-trainer educational initiative. *Paediatrics and Child Health*, *20*(3), 157-158. [PA; Impact Factor = 1.55; Ranking = 67/120; Number of Citations = 0]
12. Yamada, J., Shorkey, A., Barwick, M., **Widger, K.**, & Stevens, B. (2015). The effectiveness of toolkits as knowledge translation strategies for integrating evidence into clinical care: A systematic review. *BMJ Open*, *5*, e006808. doi:10.1136/bmjopen-2014-006808 [CA; Impact Factor = 2.06; Ranking = 40/154; Number of Citations = 4]
13. **Widger, K.**, Tourangeau, A., Steele, R., & Streiner, D. (2015). Initial development and psychometric testing of an instrument to measure the quality of children's end-of-life care. *BMC Palliative Care*, *14*. doi:10.1186/1472-684X-14-1 [PA; Impact Factor = 1.79 - Designated as a 'Highly Accessed' article by the journal; Ranking = 39/88; Number of Citations = 5]
14. Tourangeau, A. E., Saari, M., Patterson, E., Ferron, E. M., Thomson, H., **Widger, K.**, & MacMillan, K. (2014). Work, work environments and other factors influencing nurse faculty intention to remain employed: A cross-sectional study. *Nurse Education Today*, *34*(6), 940-947. [MA; Impact Factor = 1.59; Number of Citations = 12]
15. Tourangeau, A. E., Thomson, H., Saari, M., **Widger, K.**, Ferron, E. M., & MacMillan, K. (2012). Determinants of nurse faculty intention to remain employed. *Open Journal of Nursing*, *3*, 254-261. doi:10.4236/ojn.2012.23039 [CA; Impact Factor = 0.74; Number of Citations = 4]
16. Leung, D., **Widger, K.**, Howell, D., Nelson, S., & Molassiotis, A. (2012). Mentoring advanced practice nurses in research: Recommendations from a pilot program. *Canadian Oncology Nursing Journal*, *22*(1), 31-35 (in English) and 36-41 (in French). doi:10.5737/1181912x2213135 [SA; Impact Factor = 0.16; Number of Citations = 2]
17. Tourangeau, A. E., Squires, M. E., Wodchis, W., McGilton, K., Teare, G., & **Widger, K.** (2011). Post-acute stroke patient outcomes in Ontario, Canada complex continuing care settings. *Disability and Rehabilitation*, *33*(2), 98-104. doi:10.3109/09638288.2010.486466 [CA; Impact Factor = 1.83; Ranking = 15/64; Number of Citations = 2]
18. Siden, H., Steele, R., Brant, R., Cadell, S., Davies, B., Straatman, L., **Widger, K.**, & Andrews, G. (2010). Designing and implementing a longitudinal study of children with neurological, genetic or metabolic conditions: Charting the territory. *BMC Pediatrics*, *10*, 67. doi:10.1186/1471-2431-10-67 [CA; Impact Factor = 1.92; Ranking = 41/120; Number of Citations = 7]
19. Davies, B., Contro, N., Larson, J., & **Widger, K.** (2010). Culturally-sensitive information-sharing in pediatric palliative care. *Pediatrics*, *125*, e859-e865. doi:10.1542/peds.2009-0722 [CA; Impact Factor = 5.30; Ranking = 4/120; Number of Citations = 53]

20. **Widger, K.**, Steele, R., Oberle, K., & Davies, B. (2009). Exploring the supportive care model as a framework for pediatric palliative care. *Journal of Hospice & Palliative Nursing*, *11*(4), 209-216. doi:10.1097/NJH.0b013e3181aada87 [PA; Impact Factor = 0.48; Ranking = 99/111; Number of Citations = 11]
21. Tourangeau, A., **Widger, K.**, Cranley, L., Bookey-Bassett, S., & Pachis, J. (2009). Work environments and staff responses to work environments in institutional long-term care. *Health Care Management Review*, *34*(2), 171-181. doi:10.1097/HMR.0b013e31819ea9c8 [SA; Impact Factor = 1.64; Number of Citations = 14]
22. Wilson, B., Squires, M., **Widger, K.**, Cranley, L., & Tourangeau, A. (2008). Job satisfaction among a multigenerational nursing workforce. *Journal of Nursing Management*, *16*, 716-723. doi:10.1111/j.1365-2834.2008.00874.x [CA; Impact Factor = 1.14; Ranking = 19/111; Number of Citations = 171]
23. **Widger, K.**, & Picot, C. (2008). Parents' perceptions of the quality of pediatric and perinatal end-of-life care. *Pediatric Nursing*, *34*, 53-58. [PA; Impact Factor = NA; Number of Citations = 73]
24. **Widger, K.**, Davies, D., Drouin, D., Beaune, L., Daoust, L., Farran, P., Humbert, N., Nalewajek, F., Rattray, M., Rugg, M., & Bishop, M. (2007). Pediatric patients receiving palliative care in Canada: Results of a multicentre review. *Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine*, *161*, 597-602. doi:10.1001/archpedi.161.6.597 [PA; Impact Factor = 4.25; Ranking = 3/120; Number of Citations = 52]
25. **Widger, K.**, Pye, C., Cranley, L., Wilson-Keates, B., Squires, M., & Tourangeau, A. (2007). Generational differences in acute care nurses. *Canadian Journal of Nursing Leadership*, *20*(1), 49-61. doi:10.12927/cjnl.2007.18785 [PA; Impact Factor = 0.53; Number of Citations = 37]
26. **Widger, K.**, & Wilkins, K. (2004). What are the key components of quality pediatric and perinatal end-of-life care? A literature review. *Journal of Palliative Care*, *20*(2), 105-112. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88; Number of Citations = 28]
27. Ljungman, G., McGrath, P., Cooper, E., **Widger, K.**, Ceccolini, J., Fernandez, C., Frager, G., & Wilkins, K. (2003). Psychosocial needs of families with a child with cancer. *Journal of Pediatric Hematology and Oncology*, *25*(3), 223-231. doi:10.1097/00043426-200303000-00008 [CA; Impact Factor = 0.97; Ranking = 188/211; Number of Citations = 58]

#### **Submitted Peer-Review Papers**

1. **Widger, K.**, Wolfe, J., Friedrichsdorf, S., Pole, J. D., Brennenstuhl, S., Liben, Greenberg, M., Bouffet, E., Siden, H., Husain, A., Whitlock, J. A., Leyden, M., Rapoport, A. (submitted). National impact of the EPEC-Pediatrics train-the-trainer model for delivering education on pediatric palliative care, *Journal of Palliative Medicine*. [PA; Impact Factor 2.32; Ranking]
2. Stevens, B., Yamada, J., Campbell-Yeo, M., Gibbins, S., Harrison, D., Dionne, K., Taddio, A., McNair, C., Willan, A., Ballantyne, M., **Widger, K.**, Sidani, S., Estabrooks, C., Synnes, A., Squires, J., & Victor, C. (under review). The minimally effective dose of sucrose for procedural pain relief in neonates: A randomized controlled trial. *BMC Pediatrics*. [MA; Impact Factor = 1.92; Ranking = 41/120]

#### **Peer-Reviewed Abstracts:**

1. Duc, J., **Widger, K.**, Johnston, K., Rapoport, A., Siden, H., & Wolfe, J. (2016). Identifying indicators of quality pediatric palliative care: A systematic review. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, *52*(6), e133-e134. [SA; Impact Factor = 2.65]

2. **Widger, K.**, Davies, D., Dauost, L., Liben, S., Rapoport, A., Gregoire, M. C., Vadeboncoer, C., Stenekes, S., Cyr, C., Sarpal, A., Laflamme, J., Hodgson-Viden, H., Robertson, M., & Siden, H. (2016). Not there Yet: Pediatric Palliative Care in Canada 2002 – 2012. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, 52(6), e49. [PA; Impact Factor = 2.65]
3. **Widger, K.**, Greenberg, M., Siden, H., Pole, J., Liben, S., Friedrichsdorf, S., Wolfe, J., Bouffet, E., Husain, A., Whitlock, J., & Rapoport, A. (2016). Quality of palliative care for children with cancer. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, 52(6), e32. [PA; Impact Factor = 2.65]
4. Kassam, A., Sutradhar, R., **Widger, K.**, Pole, J., Rapoport, A., Nelson, K., Earle, C., Wolfe, J., & Gupta, S. (2016). Predictors of and trends in high-intensity end-of-life care among children with cancer: A population-based study using health services data. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, 52(6), e29. [CA; Impact Factor = 2.65]
5. Siden, H., **Widger, K.**, Gregoire, M. C., Dewan, T., Harvey, B., Hermansen, A. M, Pawliuk, C., Brown, H., Beck, C., & Steele, R. (2016). A scoping review to examine symptoms in children with rare, progressive, life-threatening disorders. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, 52(6), e135-e136. [CA; Impact Factor = 2.65]
6. Ross, S., Robbins, S., Daffern K., Salminen, R., Rapoport, A., & **Widger, K.** (2016). An evaluation of utilization of services and quality of respite care at Emily's House Children's Hospice. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, 52(6), e137. [SA; Impact Factor = 2.65]
7. Duc, J., **Widger, K.**, Bouffet, E., Friedrichsdorf, S., Greenberg, M., Husain, A., Liben, S., Pole, J. D., Siden, H., Whitlock, J., Wolfe, J., & Rapoport A. (2014). Indicators for assessing the quality of palliative and end-of-life care for children with cancer. *Pediatric Blood & Cancer*, 61, S391. [SA; Impact Factor = 2.63]
8. **Widger, K.**, Stevens, B., Siden, H., Liben, S., Yamada, J., Adams-Webber, T., & Rapoport, A. (2014). A scoping review on pain assessment and management in pediatric palliative care. *Journal of Palliative Care*, 30(3), 195. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
9. Neville, A., Eaton Russell, C., Beaune, L., **Widger, K.**, Steele, R., Rapoport, A., Cadell, S., Rugg, M., & Barrera, M. (2014). Siblings' perspectives of their role and their involvement with a dying child. *Journal of Palliative Care*, 30(3), 196-197. [CA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
10. **Widger, K.**, Tourangeau, A., Steele, R., & Streiner, D. (2012). Development and testing of an instrument to measure the quality of children's end of-life care from the parents' perspective. *Journal of Palliative Care*, 28(3), 202. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
11. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau A. (2011). Room for improvement: Mothers' perspectives on children's end-of-life care. *Journal of Palliative Care*, 27(3), 255. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
12. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (2010). Developing a measure of quality pediatric end-of-life care: Engaging parents in the process. *Journal of Palliative Care*, 26(3), 211. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
13. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (2009). Parents' perspectives on quality pediatric end-of-life care. *Journal of Palliative Care*, 25(3), 240. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
14. **Widger, K.**, & Picot, C. (2004). Evaluating the quality of pediatric and perinatal end-of-life care. *Journal of Palliative Care*, 20(3), 238. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]

15. **Widger, K., & Murphy, C.** (2001). Pediatric palliative care service database. *Journal of Palliative Care, 17*(3), 199. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
16. Cummings, I., Simpson, J., Frager, G., McIntyre, P., **Widger, K.**, Hepditch, D., MacIntyre, D., & Dukeshire, S. (2001). Educational preparation of interdisciplinary resource teams to enhance palliative care in rural areas. *Journal of Palliative Care, 17*(3), 218. [MA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
17. Frager, G., Montgomery, M., **Widger, K.**, & Rattray, M. (2001). Pediatric end-of-life care: A health centre-wide approach to standards. *Journal of Palliative Care, 17*(3), 204. [CA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]
18. **Widger, K.**, Mitchell, I., & MacDonald, T. (2001). How can we help? A needs assessment of bereaved parents. *Journal of Palliative Care, 17*(3), 222. [PA; Impact Factor = 0.80; Ranking = 80/88]

### **Book Chapters:**

1. Robinson, C. A., Steele, R., **Widger, K.**, & Robinson, M. (in press). Families in palliative and end-of-life care. In J. Kaakinen, D. P. Coehlo, R. Steele, A. Tabacco, & S. M. H. Hanson (Eds.), *Family health care nursing: Theory, practice and research* (6<sup>th</sup> ed.; pp. xxx-xxx). Philadelphia, PA: F. A. Davis.
2. Kassam, A., **Widger, K.**, & Benini, F. (in press). Epidemiology of suffering in childhood cancer. In J. Wolfe, B. Sourkes, U. Kreikbergs, & M. Jankovic (Eds.), *Palliative care in pediatric oncology* (pp. xxx-xxx). New York: Springer.
3. Steele, R., & **Widger, K.** (2015). Theoretical perspectives on pediatric palliative care. In B. Black, P. M. Wright, & R. Limbo (Eds.), *Perinatal and pediatric bereavement in nursing and other health professions* (pp. 205-222). New York: Springer. (American Journal of Nursing Book of the Year Winner – First Place in the Hospice Palliative Care Category).
4. Steele, R., Robinson, C. A., & **Widger, K.** (2014). Families in palliative and end-of-life care. In J. Kaakinen, D. P. Coehlo, R. Steele, A. Tabacco, & S. M. H. Hanson (Eds.), *Family health care nursing: Theory, practice and research* (5<sup>th</sup> ed.; pp. 277-320). Philadelphia, PA: F. A. Davis. (American Journal of Nursing Book of the Year Winner – First Place in the Child Health Category).
5. **Widger, K.**, Cadell, S., Davies, B., Steele, R., Siden, H., & Wilson, K. (2012). Pediatric palliative care in Canada. In C. Knapp, S. Fowler-Kerry, & V. Madden (Eds.), *Pediatric palliative care: Global perspectives* (pp. 301-321). New York: Springer.
6. Davies, B., **Widger, K.**, Steele, R., Cadell, S., Siden, H., & Straatman, L. (2011). Research considerations in pediatric palliative care. In J. Wolfe, P. Hinds, & B. Sourkes (Eds.), *Textbook of interdisciplinary pediatric palliative care* (pp. 96-103). Philadelphia: Elsevier.
7. Steele, R., Robinson, C., Hansen, L., & **Widger, K.** (2010). Families in palliative and end-of-life care. In J. Rowe Kaakinen, V. Gedaly-Duff, S. M. H. Hanson, & D. P. Coehlo (Eds.), *Family health care nursing: Theory, practice and research* (4<sup>th</sup> ed.; pp. 273-306). Philadelphia, PA: F. A. Davis.
8. **Widger, K.**, Frager, G., & MacDonald, V. (2004). Death of a child. In R. Jones, N. Britten, L. Culpepper, D. Gass, R. Grol, D. Mant, & C. Silagy (Eds.), *Oxford textbook of primary medical care* (pp. 1287-1292). Oxford, England: Oxford University Press.

### **Non-Refereed Publications:**

1. Conley, D., Mullaithilaga, N., & Widger, K. (2014). Videos review: ‘Enduring love: Transforming loss;’ ‘Why did baby die? Mothering children living with the loss, love and continuing presence of a baby sibling;’ ‘Nurses grieve too: Insights into experiences with perinatal loss,’ Videos by Christine Jonas-Simpson. *Nursing Science Quarterly*, 27, 83.
2. **Widger, K.**, Stevens, B., & Barwick, M. (Eds.) (2013). *Stories from the floor: A knowledge translation casebook on improving pediatric pain practices*. Toronto, ON: CIHR Team in Children’s Pain. Available from <http://ken.caphc.org/xwiki/bin/view/Paediatric+Pain/Implementation+Strategies#CB>
3. Grantham, D., O’Brien, L.A., **Widger, K.**, Bouvette, M., & McQuinn, P. (2009). *Canadian hospice palliative care nursing competencies case examples*. Available from [http://acsp.net/media/34461/Canadian\\_Hospice\\_Palliative\\_Care\\_Nursing\\_Compencies\\_Case\\_Examples\\_Revised\\_Feb\\_2010.pdf](http://acsp.net/media/34461/Canadian_Hospice_Palliative_Care_Nursing_Compencies_Case_Examples_Revised_Feb_2010.pdf)
4. **Widger, K.**, & Frager, G. (2000). Video reviews: No fears, no tears: Children with cancer, coping with pain and No fears no tears 13 years later: The long-term benefits of children’s pain management. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, 3(3), 340–342.

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## PRESENTATIONS

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### **Invited International Presentations:**

1. Bluebond-Langner, M., Cadell, S., Corr, C., Siden, H., & **Widger, K.** (September 2014). Where are we going? [Keynote Panel]. *20<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
2. **Widger, K.** (January 2005). Who receives pediatric palliative care in Canada? *International Pediatric Palliative Care Rounds*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

### **Invited National Presentations:**

1. **Widger, K.** (November 2017). Implementation of a train-the-trainer curriculum to enhance palliative care for children with cancer. *Palliative Care Rounds*, Montreal Children’s Hospital, Montreal, Quebec.
2. **Widger, K.** (September 2016). Our 'EPEC' Journey Across Canada to Improve Palliative Care for Children with Cancer. *Grand Rounds, Department of Pediatrics*, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Ontario.
3. **Widger, K.** (September 2016). What is Pediatric Palliative Care? *Dinner Series*, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Ontario.
4. **Widger, K.** (September 2016). Supporting Families in Grief and Bereavement: Alleviating Unnecessary Suffering. *Dinner Series*, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Ontario.
5. **Widger, K.** (September 2016). Self Care for Professionals. *Pediatric Nursing Rounds*, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Ontario.
6. Rapoport A., & **Widger, K.** (June 2016). Our EPEC journey across Canada to improve palliative care for children with cancer. *Canadian Association of Pediatric Health Centres Webinar Series*.
7. Roy, H., Vadeboncoeur, C., & **Widger, K.** (October 2015). Advancing paediatric palliative care: What it is and what it could be. *Canadian Association of Paediatric Health Centres Annual Conference*, Quebec City, Quebec.

8. **Widger, K.,** & Rapoport A. (October 2015). Study update: Enhancing the quality of palliative care for children with cancer. *Pediatric Palliative Care Satellite Session, Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario.
9. **Widger, K.** (February 2015). Enhancing the quality of palliative care for children with cancer. *Palliative Care Research Rounds*, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec.
10. **Widger, K.** (June 2014). Tips for staying motivated and completing your PhD in a timely manner. *Annual Symposium - Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program*, Vancouver, British Columbia.
11. **Widger, K.** (March 2013). Connections: The key to high quality end-of-life care for children and their families. *Webinar Series: Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association and the Canadian Association of Pediatric Health Centres*. Available from <http://vimeo.com/62883820>
12. Stevens, B., & **Widger, K.** (February 2013). Stories from the floor: A casebook KT implementation strategy for EPIQ. *EPIQ Conference and Training Workshop*, Toronto, Ontario.
13. **Widger, K.,** Barwick, M., O'Leary, K., & Wilson, D. (June 2012). Making it happen: How clinicians are improving pain practices on the frontline. *Webinar Series on Pain in Child Health, supported by the CIHR Team in Children's Pain, a CIHR Synthesis Grant: Knowledge Translation, and the Canadian Association of Pediatric Health Centres*.
14. **Widger, K.** (June 2012). Knowledge translation. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Learning Institute: Advocacy, Knowledge Translation, Leadership, and Organizational Development Stream*, Banff, Alberta.
15. **Widger, K.** (May 2012). Connect first! Providing high quality end-of-life care to children and their families. *Nova Scotia Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
16. **Widger, K.** (October 2011). The importance of connection in children's end-of-life care. [Keynote Address] *Communication, Complexity, & Compassion in Pediatric Palliative Care*, Children's Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre, London, Ontario.
17. **Widger, K.** (October 2011). Decision-making in pediatric palliative care: Daniel's story. [Plenary Session] *Communication, Complexity, & Compassion in Pediatric Palliative Care*, Children's Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre, London, Ontario.
18. Barrera, M., Rugg, M., & **Widger, K.** (April 2011). Alleviating pain and suffering in pediatric palliative care: A multidisciplinary approach. *Webinar Series on Pain in Child Health, supported by the CIHR Team in Children's Pain, a CIHR Synthesis Grant: Knowledge Translation, and the Canadian Association of Pediatric Health Centres*.

#### **Invited Local Presentations:**

1. **Widger, K.** (March 2016). Connect first! *Dying and Death: Psychological, Physical and Spiritual Issues*, University of Toronto Interprofessional Education, Toronto, Ontario (similar content repeated twice a year since 2012).
2. Williams, R., **Widger, K.,** Bennett, C., & Rapoport, A. (January 2016). Paediatric advanced care team community outreach NP: Bridging the gap. *Raising the Bar*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
3. **Widger, K.** (May 2015). How have we changed? Pediatric palliative care in Canada 2002-2012. *Sigma Theta Tau Regional Lunch and Learn*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, Toronto, Ontario.

4. **Widger, K.**, & McGillis-Hall, L. (October 2014). Building a program of research and being a successful scientist. *Bloomberg Emerging Nurse Scholars Forum*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, Toronto, Ontario.
5. **Widger, K.**, Duc, J., & Rapoport, A. (May 2014). Identifying indicators of quality palliative and end-of-life care for children with cancer. *Pediatric Palliative Care Academic Rounds*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
6. **Widger, K.** (September 2013). Connecting with families in pediatric palliative care. *Knowledge Exchange Forum*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
7. Denis C. L., & **Widger K.** (May 2013). Post-doctoral fellowships in nursing. *Doctoral Research Week*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, Toronto, Ontario.
8. **Widger, K.** (April 2013). Parent needs in palliative care, *Emily's House, Philip Aziz Centre*, Toronto, Ontario.
9. Detsky, J., **Widger, K.**, & Pinard, M. (March 2013). To satisfy or not to satisfy? The ethical dilemmas behind patient satisfaction. *Bioethics Grand Rounds*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
10. **Widger, K.** (March 2012). Assessing the quality of children's end-of-life care in Canada. *Pediatric Palliative Care Academic Rounds*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
11. **Widger, K.** (February 2012). Development and testing of an instrument to measure quality of children's end-of-life care from the parents' perspective. *Nursing Research Lunch and Learn*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
12. Rapoport, A., & **Widger, K.** (October 2009). Pediatric palliative care research: Navigating the ethical and methodological challenges. [Keynote Address] *Pediatric Palliative Care Research Symposium*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
13. **Widger, K.**, & Rugg, M. (November 2007). Who receives pediatric palliative care in Canada? A national multi-centre assessment. *Nursing Research Lunch and Learn*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
14. **Widger, K.**, Shea, S., Wright, J., & Young, D. (September 2004). Obtaining consent for autopsy. *Pediatric Grand Rounds and Family Medicine Grand Rounds*, IWK Health Centre, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
15. **Widger, K.** (November 2003). Children and grief. *Public lecture at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church*, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

#### **Invited Video Presentations:**

**Widger, K.** (2012) 1. Should children attend funerals? 2. Supporting children when someone is seriously ill. 3. When a child is seriously ill: Living each day. Canadian Virtual Hospice: Video series about pediatric palliative care. Available from [http://www.virtualhospice.ca/en\\_US/Main+Site+Navigation/Home/Support/Support/The+Gallery.aspx?type=videosByCont&name=Kim%2bWidger%252c%2bRN%252c%2bMN%252c%2bPhD\(c\)#video\\_content\\_index](http://www.virtualhospice.ca/en_US/Main+Site+Navigation/Home/Support/Support/The+Gallery.aspx?type=videosByCont&name=Kim%2bWidger%252c%2bRN%252c%2bMN%252c%2bPhD(c)#video_content_index)

#### **Peer-Reviewed International Conference Presentations:**

1. **Widger, K.**, Davies, D., Dauost, L., Liben, S., Rapoport, A., Gregoire, M. C., Vadeboncoer, C., Stenekes, S., Cyr, C., Sarpal, A., Laflamme, J., Hodgson-Viden, H., Robertson, M., & Siden, H.

- (October 2016). Not there yet: Pediatric palliative care in Canada, 2002 – 2012 [Oral Paper]. 21<sup>st</sup> *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
2. Duc, J., **Widger, K.**, Johnston, K., Rapoport, A., Siden, H., & Wolfe, J. (October 2016). Identifying indicators of quality pediatric palliative care: A systematic review [Poster]. 21<sup>st</sup> *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
  3. **Widger, K.**, Greenberg, M., Siden, H., Pole, J., Liben, S., Friedrichsdorf, S., Wolfe, J., Bouffet, E., Husain, A., Whitlock, J., & Rapoport, A. (October 2016). Quality of palliative care for children with cancer [Oral Paper]. 21<sup>st</sup> *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
  4. Kassam, A., Sutradhar, R., **Widger, K.**, Pole, J., Rapoport, A., Nelson, K., Earle, C., Wolfe, J., & Gupta, S. (October 2016). Predictors of and trends in high-intensity end-of-life care among children with cancer: A population-based study using health services data [Oral Paper]. 21<sup>st</sup> *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
  5. Cook, K., **Widger, K.**, & Kerr, H. (October 2016). Bridging the gap: Developing a palliative approach to care for young adults with life limiting conditions [Oral Paper]. 21<sup>st</sup> *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
  6. Pawliuk, C., Siden, H., **Widger, K.**, Gregoire, M. C., Dewan, T., Harvey, B., Hermansen, A. M., Brown, H., Beck, C., & Steele, R. (October 2016). A scoping review to examine symptoms in children with rare, progressive, life-threatening disorders [Poster]. 21<sup>st</sup> *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
  7. Ross, S., Robbins, S., Daffern K., Salminen, R., Rapoport, A., Widger, K. (October 2016). An evaluation of utilization of services and quality of respite care at Emily's House Children's Hospice [Poster]. 21<sup>st</sup> *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
  8. Kassam, A., Sutradhar, R., **Widger, K.**, Pole, J., Rapoport, A., Nelson, K., Earle, C., Wolfe, J., & Gupta, S. (June 2016). Predictors of and trends in high-intensity end-of-life care among children with cancer: A population-based study using health services data [Oral Paper]. *American Society of Clinical Oncology Annual Meeting*, Chicago, Illinois.
  9. Duc, J., **Widger, K.**, Johnston, K., Rapoport, A., Siden, H., & Wolfe, J. (May 2016). Identifying indicators of quality pediatric palliative care: A systematic review [Poster]. *2nd International Children's Palliative Care Network Conference*, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
  10. Duc, J., Friedrichsdorf S., Rapoport, A., Remeke, S., **Widger, K.**, & Wolfe, J. (September 2015). Communicating with children and families: The importance of child development in paediatric palliative care [Workshop]. *13<sup>th</sup> Australian Palliative Care Conference*, Melbourne, Australia.
  11. Roth, A., Rapoport, A., **Widger, K.**, & Friedman, J. (April 2015). A review of general paediatric inpatient deaths over time [Poster]. *Pediatric Academic Societies Annual Meeting*, San Diego, California.
  12. Stevens, B., Yamada, J., **Widger, K.**, Shorkey, A., & Barwick, M. (April 2015). The influence of KT toolkits as a quality improvement strategy for implementing research into practice [Poster]. *International Forum on Quality and Safety in Health Care*, London. UK.
  13. Duc, J., **Widger, K.**, Bouffet, E., Friedrichsdorf, S., Greenberg, M., Husain, A., Liben, S., Pole, J., Siden, H., Whitlock, J., Wolfe, J., & Rapoport, A. (November 2014). Indicators for assessing the quality of palliative and end-of-life care for children with cancer [Poster]. *International Society for Pediatric Oncology*, Toronto, Ontario.



14. Roth, A., Friedman, J., Rapoport, A., & **Widger, K.** (October 2014). A review of general paediatric inpatient deaths over time [Poster]. *International Conference for Healthcare and Medical Students*, The Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland.
15. **Widger, K.**, Stevens, B., Siden, H., Liben, S., Yamada, J., Adams-Webber, T., & Rapoport, A. (September 2014). A scoping review on pain assessment and management in pediatric palliative care [Oral Paper]. *20<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
16. Neville, A., Eaton Russell, C., Beaune, L., **Widger, K.**, Steele, R., Rapoport, A., Cadell, S., Rugg, M., & Barrera, M. (September 2014). Siblings' perspectives of their role and their involvement with a dying child [Oral Paper]. *20<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
17. Stevens, B., Yamada, Y., **Widger, K.**, Promislow, S., & CIHR Team in Children's Pain. (October 2013). Development of a toolkit for improving pediatric pain practices in hospitalized children [Poster]. *EFIC Congress 2013 - Pain in Europe VIII*, Florence, Italy.
18. **Widger, K.**, Tourangeau, A., Steele, R., & Streiner, D. (September 2012). Development and testing of an instrument to measure the quality of children's end-of-life care from the parents' perspective [Oral Paper]. *19<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
19. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (September 2010). Developing a measure of quality pediatric end-of-life care: Engaging parents in the process [Oral Paper]. *18<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Care of the Terminally Ill*, Montreal, Quebec.
20. **Widger, K.**, & Picot, C. (November 2004). Evaluating the quality of pediatric and perinatal end-of-life care [Oral Paper]. *10<sup>th</sup> International Pediatric Nursing Research Symposium*, Montreal, Quebec.
21. **Widger, K.**, & Drouin, D. (November 2004). Pediatric palliative care surveillance pilot project [Oral Paper]. *10<sup>th</sup> International Pediatric Nursing Research Symposium*, Montreal, Quebec.
22. **Widger, K.**, & Picot, C. (September 2004). Evaluating the quality of pediatric and perinatal end-of-life care [Poster]. *15<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Care of the Terminally Ill*, Montreal, Quebec.
23. **Widger, K.**, & Wilkins, K. (April 2002). Evaluating quality end-of-life care for children [Oral Paper]. *9<sup>th</sup> International Pediatric Nursing Research Symposium*, Montreal, Quebec.

#### **Peer-Reviewed National Conference Presentations:**

1. **Widger, K.**, Sangha, G., Macapagal, F., Williams, R. (September 2017). Guidelines in pediatric palliative care: Evidence-based? [Workshop] Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference Ottawa Canada.
2. Lysecki, D., **Widger, K.**, & Vadeboncouer, C. (September, 2017). Program leadership and development in pediatric palliative care [Workshop]. Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference Ottawa Canada.
3. **Widger, K.**, & Rapoport A. (September 2017). Implementation of a train-the-trainer curriculum to enhance palliative care for children with cancer [Paper]. Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference Ottawa Canada.
4. Sangha, G., **Widger, K.**, & Stenekes, S. (September 2017) Assessing nurses' knowledge, competency and attitudes about pediatric palliative care [Poster]. Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference Ottawa Canada.

5. **Widger, K.**, Sutradhar, R., Rapoport, A., Vadeboncoeur, C., Zeltzer, S., Kassam, A., Nelson, K., Liu, Y., Wolfe, J., Earle, C., Pole, J., & Gupta, S. (September 2017) Predictors of specialized pediatric palliative care involvement and impact on patterns of end-of-life care in children with cancer [Poster]. Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference Ottawa Canada.
6. Siden, H., **Widger, K.**, Gregoire, M. C., Dewan, T., Hermansen, A. M, Pawliuk, C., Brown, H., Beck, C., & Steele, R. (September 2017). A scoping review to examine symptoms in children with rare, progressive, life-threatening disorders [Paper]. Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference Ottawa Canada.
7. **Widger, K.**, Wolfe, J., Pole, J. D., Friedrichsdorf, S., Brennenstuhl, S., Liben, Greenberg, M., Bouffet, E., Siden, H., Husain, A., Whitlock, J. A., Leyden, M., Rapoport, A. (April 2017). Implementation of a Train-the-Trainer Curriculum to Enhance Palliative Care for Children with Cancer [Oral Paper]. Innovative Approaches to Optimal Cancer Care in Canada, Toronto, Ontario.
8. **Widger, K.**, & Kerr, H. (October 2015). Transition to adult services by youth with life-threatening conditions [Oral Paper]. *Pediatric Palliative Care Satellite Session, Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario.
9. Bennett, C., Rapoport, A., Williams, R., & **Widger, K.** (October 2015). PACT community outreach nurse practitioner: Bridging the gap [Oral Paper]. *Pediatric Palliative Care Satellite Session, Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario.
10. Roth, A., Rapoport, A., **Widger, K.**, & Friedman, J. (June 2015). A review of general paediatric inpatient deaths over time [Poster]. *Canadian Paediatric Society 92<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference*, Toronto, Ontario.
11. **Widger, K.** Barwick, M., Yamada, J., Charette, S., Krancevic, A. M., Lowther, S., O’Leary, K. Taylor, S., Thomas, M., Tsoller, D., Wilson, D., & Stevens, B. (October 2013). Stories from the floor: Key learnings to improve pediatric pain practices [Poster]. *Canadian Association of Paediatric Health Centres Annual Conference*, Toronto, Ontario.
12. Stremler, R., Yamada, J., Keilty, K., Stinson, J., **Widger, K.**, Riahi, S., & Stevens, B. (October 2013). Nursing research internship program: Enhancing research knowledge, skills, and experience through education and mentorship [Poster]. *Canadian Association of Paediatric Health Centres*, Toronto, Ontario.
13. **Widger, K.**, Barwick, M., Yamada, J., Charette, S., Krancevic, A. M., Lowther, S., O’Leary, K., Taylor, S., Thomas, M., Tsoller, D., Wilson, D., & Stevens, B. (October 2012). Stories from the floor: A casebook on pediatric pain knowledge translation [Poster]. *Canadian Association of Paediatric Health Centres Annual Conference*, Vancouver, British Columbia.
14. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (October 2011). Room for improvement: Mothers’ perspectives on children’s end-of-life care [Oral Paper]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, St. John’s, Newfoundland.
15. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (October 2009). Parents’ perspectives on quality pediatric end-of-life care [Oral Paper]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Winnipeg, Manitoba.
16. **Widger, K.**, & Murphy, C. (October 2001). Pediatric palliative care service database [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Victoria, British Columbia.

17. Cummings, I., Simpson, J., Frager, G., McIntyre, P., **Widger, K.**, Hepditch, D., MacIntyre, D., & Dukeshire, S. (October 2001). Educational preparation of interdisciplinary resource teams to enhance palliative care in rural areas [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Victoria, British Columbia.
18. Frager, G., Montgomery, M., **Widger, K.**, & Rattray, M. (October 2001). Pediatric end-of-life care: A health centre-wide approach to standards [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Victoria, British Columbia.
19. **Widger, K.**, Mitchell, I., & MacDonald, T. (October 2001). How can we help? A needs assessment of bereaved parents [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Victoria, British Columbia.

**Peer-Reviewed Local Conference Presentations:**

1. Ross, S., Robbins, S., Daffern, K., Salminen House, R., & **Widger, K.** (April 2016). An evaluation of utilization and quality of residential paediatric palliative services offered at Emily's House Children's Hospice, Toronto [Oral Paper]. *Pediatric Palliative Care Symposium, Hospice Palliative Care Ontario*, Toronto, Ontario.
2. Phillips, A., **Widger, K.**, Newman, C., & Rapoport, A. (April 2016). Bereaved parents' regrets about care in the last month of life [Oral Paper]. *Pediatric Palliative Care Symposium, Hospice Palliative Care Ontario*, Toronto, Ontario.
3. **Widger, K.**, Tourangeau, A., Steele, R., & Streiner, D. (April 2013). Through mothers' eyes: Quality of children's end of-life care [Poster]. *Annual Hospice Palliative Care Ontario Conference*, Toronto, Ontario.
4. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (May 2012). Development and testing of an instrument to measure the quality of children's end of-life care from the parents' perspective [Poster]. *Child Health Evaluative Sciences Clinical Research Scientific Day*, Toronto, Ontario. \*Received First Place Poster Prize.
5. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (October 2011). Room for improvement: Mothers' perspectives on children's end-of-life care [Poster]. *SickKids Biennial Nursing Research Day: Advancing Scholarly Activity in Nursing*, Toronto, Ontario.
6. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (October 2011). Room for improvement: Mothers' perspectives on children's end-of-life care [Poster]. *Pediatric Palliative Care Research Symposium*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
7. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (September 2010). Developing a measure of quality pediatric end-of-life care: Engaging parents in the process [Poster]. *Listening to the Voices of Dying Children: Raising Awareness and Emerging Research*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
8. **Widger, K.**, & Tourangeau, A. (October 2009). Parents' perspectives on components of quality pediatric end-of-life care [Poster]. *Pediatric Palliative Care Research Symposium*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
9. Davies, B., **Widger, K.**, Steele, R., Cadell, S., Siden, H., & Straatman, L. (October 2009). Research considerations in pediatric palliative care [Poster]. *Pediatric Palliative Care Research Symposium*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.

10. **Widger, K.** (June 2008). Quality pediatric end-of-life care: What do parents want from health professionals? [Oral Paper]. *The Hospital for Sick Children's Critical Caring: Speaking out for Sick Kids Conference*, Toronto, Ontario.
11. **Widger, K., Mitchell, I., & MacDonald, T.** (May 2001). How can we help? A needs assessment of bereaved parents [Oral Paper]. *IWK Health Centre Nursing Research Day*, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
12. **Widger, K., Mitchell, I., & MacDonald, T.** (April 2001). How can we help? A needs assessment of bereaved parents [Oral Paper]. *Humber College Conference*, Toronto, Ontario.
13. **Widger, K.** (May 2000). Family assessment [Oral Paper]. *Nova Scotia Hospice Palliative Care Association Conference*, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

#### **Non-Refereed Conference Presentations:**

1. **Widger, K., Duc, J., Bouffet, E., Friedrichsdorf, S., Greenberg, M., Husain, A., Liben, S., Pole, J., Siden, H., Whitlock, J., Wolfe, J., & Rapoport, A.** (June 2015). Identifying indicators of quality palliative care for children with cancer [Poster]. *Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Symposium*, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
2. **Widger, K., Duc, J., Diep, J., Adams-Webber, T., & Rapoport, A.** (May 2014). Identifying indicators of quality palliative and end-of-life care for children with cancer [Poster]. *Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Annual Research Day*, Toronto, Ontario.
3. **Mullaithilaga, N., Conley, D., Liu, L., Widger, K., Stevens, B., Siden, H., Yamada, J., Liben, S., Adams-Webber, T., & Rapoport, A.** (May 2014). A scoping review on pain assessment and management in pediatric palliative care [Poster]. *Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Annual Research Day*, Toronto, Ontario.
4. **Li, K., Widger, K., Stevens B., Bouffet, E., Drynan-Arsenault, J., Cox, P., Larson, C., & Rapoport, A.** (August 2013). End-of-life care provided in a pediatric hospital [Poster]. *SickKids Summer Research Student Program Showcase*, Toronto, Ontario.
5. **Liu, L., Widger, K., Stevens, B., Siden, H., Yamada, J., Liben, S., Adams-Webber, T., & Rapoport, A.** (August 2013) Scoping review on pain assessment and management in pediatric palliative care [Poster]. *SickKids Summer Research Student Program Showcase*, Toronto, Ontario.
6. **Singh, P., Widger, K., Stevens, B., Siden, H., Yamada, J., Liben, S., Rapoport, A., & Adams-Webber, T.** (May 2013) Scoping review on pain assessment and management in pediatric palliative care [Poster]. *Nursing Week*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
7. **Widger, K., & Tourangeau A.** (October 2011). Development and testing of an instrument to measure the quality of children's end-of-life care from the mothers' perspective [Poster]. *Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Symposium*, Ottawa, Ontario.
8. **Widger, K., & Tourangeau, A.** (October 2010). Developing a measure of quality pediatric end-of-life care: Engaging parents in the process [Poster]. *Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Symposium*, Winnipeg, Manitoba.
9. **Widger, K., & Tourangeau, A.** (May 2010). Developing a measure of quality pediatric end-of-life care: Engaging parents in the process [Oral Paper]. *Doctoral Study Research Week*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario \*Received best presentation award.

10. **Widger, K., & Tourangeau, A.** (March 2010). Parents' perspectives on components of quality pediatric end-of-life care [Poster]. *Frontiers in Science: Pediatric Scientist Development Program*, Tampa, Florida.
11. **Widger, K., & Tourangeau, A.** (October 2009). Parents' perspectives on components of quality pediatric end-of-life care [Poster]. *Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Symposium*, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

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## TEACHING ACTIVITIES

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### STUDENTS

#### Graduate:

- 2017 - Kristina Smith, PhD Committee Member, Faculty of Kinesiology and Physical Education, University of Toronto. Project Title: Embodied Suffering in Pediatric Life-threatening Conditions
- 2016 - Fyeza Hasan, PhD Committee Member, Institute of Health Policy Management and Evaluation, University of Toronto. Project Title: Parent decision-making in pediatric oncology.
- 2016 - Joanne Tay, PhD Supervisor, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Siblings of Children with Life-Threatening Conditions
- 2015 - Sarah Xiao, PhD Committee Member, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Development and evaluation of an instrument to measure discharge planning processes in mental health care
- 2015 - 2016 Lisa-Marie Bianchi, External Examiner for Master's Thesis, Ontario Institute of Studies in Education, University of Toronto. Project Title: A Family's Perception of Childhood Cancer Survivorship: A Case Study in Resilience
- 2014 - 2015 Jacqui Duc, Research Fellow (co-Supervisor), Hospital for Sick Children and supervised Advanced Training Project with the Royal Australasian College of Physicians, University of Toronto. Project Title: Enhancing the Quality of Palliative Care for Children with Cancer.

#### Undergraduate:

- 2017 Madeline Trenholm, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Undergraduate Student Summer Research Program
- 2016 Eva Ta, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Undergraduate Student Summer Research Program
- 2016 Emily Poulson, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Undergraduate Student Summer Research Program
- 2016 Priscilla Pereira, Science Without Borders Research Internship, University of Toronto

- 2015 Stacey Damiani, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Undergraduate Student Summer Research Program
- 2014 - 2016 Katelyn Portelli, Research and Mentorship in Nursing Program, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing
- 2013 - 2015 Jenny Diep, Research and Mentorship in Nursing Program, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing
- 2013 Denisia Conley, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Undergraduate Student Summer Research Program
- 2013 Nisa Mullaithilaga, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Undergraduate Student Summer Research Program
- 2013 Katherine Li (medical student), SickKids Summer Research Student program (co-supervisor)
- 2013 Lanqian Lui (psychology student), SickKids Summer Research Student program (co-supervisor)
- 2002 Caroline Picot (nursing student), IWK Research Summer Studentship, Halifax, NS
- 2001 Krista Wilkins (nursing student), Cancer Care Nova Scotia Research Summer Studentship (co-supervisor), Halifax, NS
- 2000 Chris Murphy (medical student), IWK Research Summer Studentship (co-supervisor), Halifax, NS
- 2000 Matthew Montgomery (medical student), IWK Research Summer Studentship (co-supervisor), Halifax, NS

## **MENTORSHIP**

- 2016 Research Mentor for Brittany Groom from the Hospital for Sick Children as part of the Nursing Research Internship Program. Project: *Medical Marijuana Use in Children*
- 2016 Research Mentor for Angele Philips from the Hospital for Sick Children as part of the Nursing Research Internship Program. Project: *Assessing nurses' knowledge, competency, and attitudes about pediatric palliative care.*
- 2015 Research Mentor for Helen Kerr, a PhD student at Queen's University Belfast, Ireland. Ms. Kerr was a recipient of the Marcia Mackie Travel Award which she used to visit me in Toronto and work on a joint project on *Transitions to adult services by youth with life-threatening conditions.*
- 2015 Research Mentor for Caroline Bennett from the Hospital for Sick Children as part of the Nursing Research Internship Program. Project: *Transitions to adult services by youth with life-threatening conditions.*

- 2012 – 2013 Research Mentor for Parminder Singh from the Hospital for Sick Children as part of the Nursing Research Internship Program. Project: *Scoping review on pain in pediatric palliative care*.
- 2011 – 2012 Matched through the Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing to a Master of Nursing Student in Ethiopia as a ‘pen pal’ to provide support and mentorship while she developed and successfully completed her research project.
- 2008 – 2009 Provided mentorship to 4 Advanced Practice Nurses as they developed research projects in Oncology and Supportive Care.

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

### **Undergraduate:**

NUR430 Research and Scholarship in Nursing (Fall 2015) – Course Instructor for undergraduate class of 170 students. Course delivered online. Supervised 7 teaching assistants.

NUR430 Research and Scholarship in Nursing (Fall 2014) – Course Instructor for undergraduate class of 177 students. Course delivered online. Supervised 7 teaching assistants.

NUR470 Integrated Nursing Practicum (Spring 2014) – Faculty Advisor for a group of 10 undergraduate students in their final clinical placement.

NUR430 – Research and Scholarship in Nursing (Fall 2013) – Course Instructor for undergraduate class of 171 students. Redeveloped the course to be offered in an on-line format. Supervised 7 teaching assistants.

NUR470 – Integrated Nursing Practicum (Spring 2013) – Faculty Advisor for a group of 9 undergraduate students in their final clinical placement.

### **Graduate:**

NUR1170 Introduction to Advanced Nursing Practice (Fall 2016) – Course Instructor for 28 Master of Nursing students in their first course for the clinical master’s stream. The course includes a clinical practicum.

NUR072 Advanced Nursing Practice Scholarship (Spring 2015) – Course Instructor for 27 Master of Nursing students in their final course/practicum for the program.

## **GUEST LECTURES**

NUR430 Research and Scholarship in Nursing (Fall 2016). *Knowledge Translation*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

NUR360 Nursing Perspectives in Health and Wellness Through the Lifespan - Pediatric Section (2016 – taught 3 times). *Pediatric Palliative Care*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

NUR460 Coping With Complexity in Persistent Illness - Pediatric Section (2015). *The Supportive Care Model and Pediatric Palliative Care*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

NUR1045 Theories of Pain: Impact on the Individual, Family, and Society (2013). *Challenges in Assessing and Managing Pain in Pediatric Palliative Care*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

NUR1021 Nursing Ethics (2010 and 2011). *Edges of Life: Beginning of Life*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

NUR430 The Nurse Patient Relationship (2010). *Therapeutic Conversations in Difficult Situations*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

Living with Death and Dying (repeated twice in 2010). *Hospice Palliative Care*, School of Liberal Arts and Sciences at George Brown College, Toronto, Ontario.

### **INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION (IPE) FACILITATION**

*Dying and Death: Psychological, Physical and Spiritual Issues* (2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016).

Facilitator for interprofessional group of undergraduate students using case-based learning. University of Toronto, Ontario.

*Palliative Care* (2013, 2014, 2015). Facilitator for interprofessional group of undergraduate students using case-based learning. University of Toronto, Ontario.

*Pain: Putting the Person at the Centre* (2011, 2012, 2014, 2015). Facilitator for interprofessional group of undergraduate students using case-based learning. University of Toronto, Ontario.

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## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **CERTIFICATIONS / CREDENTIALS**

Mar 2015 Master Facilitator, Education in Palliative and End-of-Life Care - Pediatrics

Mar 2012 Knowledge Translation Professional Certificate, Faculty of Medicine University of Toronto

Apr 2013 Certified Hospice Palliative Care Nurse, Canadian Nurses Association (Original obtained in 2003, Recertified in 2008, 2013)

### **MEMBERSHIP**

2003 – present Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society

2000 – present Canadian Network of Palliative Care for Children (Founding member)

1999 – present Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association (member of Nursing Special Interest Group)

2012 – 2015 Registered Nurses Association of Ontario (member of Pediatric Nurses Special Interest Group)

### **PEER REVIEWER**

#### **Grants:**

CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 2) – Project Scheme Grant (2017)

CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 1) – Project Scheme Grants (2016) – 9 grants



CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 2) - Knowledge to Action Grants (2016) – 8 grants  
Canadian Pain Society, Pfizer Clinical grant award (2015) – 10 candidates  
CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 1) - Knowledge to Action Grants (2014) – 15 grants  
External Reviewer for Dalhousie Nursing Research and Development Fund (2014)  
Scientific Review Committee Chair (4 ad-hoc committees) Hospital for Sick Children (2016)  
Scientific Review Committee Member (1 ad-hoc committee) Hospital for Sick Children (2016)  
Scientific Review Committee Chair (2 ad-hoc committees) Hospital for Sick Children (2015)  
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Scientific Review Committee Chair (2 ad-hoc committees) Hospital for Sick Children (2014)  
Scientific Review Committee Member (1 ad-hoc committee) Hospital for Sick Children (2014)  
Scientific Review Committee Chair (4 ad-hoc committees) Hospital for Sick Children (2013)  
Scientific Review Committee Member (1 ad-hoc committee) Hospital for Sick Children (2013)

### **Journals:**

Journal of Pediatric Nursing – 14 manuscripts  
BMC Palliative Care – 7 manuscripts  
Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine – 6 manuscripts  
Journal of Advanced Nursing – 3 manuscripts  
Journal of Palliative Care – 3 manuscripts  
Canadian Journal of Nursing Leadership – 2 manuscripts  
Journal of Nursing Management – 2 manuscripts  
Palliative and Supportive Care – 2 manuscripts  
Journal of Pain and Symptom Management – 2 manuscripts  
International Journal of Nursing Studies – 1 manuscript  
Journal of Multidisciplinary Healthcare – 1 manuscript  
Southern Medical Journal – 1 manuscript  
Pediatrics – 1 manuscript  
Qualitative Health Research – 1 manuscript

### **Posters:**

International Congress on Palliative Care (2010): Member of two person panel to review all posters related to pediatric palliative care and select recipient of the best poster award.

## **COMMITTEE WORK**

### **Editorial Board:**

2015 – present Associate Editor, Knowledge, Education, and Training Section, BMC Palliative Care

### **National Committees:**

2017 – present Council of Canadian Academies, Medical Assistance in Dying Panel Member

2015 – present Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Programs, Executive Committee Member

2003 – 2014 Canadian Network of Palliative Care for Children, Executive Committee Member

2001 – 2011 Canadian Nurses Association, Hospice Palliative Care Nurse Examination Committee Member

**Provincial Committees:**

- 2013 – 2016 Provincial Hospice Palliative Care Data & Performance Sub-Committee Member, Ontario
- 1999 – 2005 Nova Scotia Hospice Palliative Care Association Board of Directors, Member-At-Large

**University of Toronto / Local Committees:**

- 2014 – present Death and Dying Interprofessional Education Planning Committee, University of Toronto (co-chair of committee starting in 2015)
- 2013 – present Graduate Admissions Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2013 – present Awards Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto (Committee Chair - 2014/2015, 2015/2016, 2016/2017)
- 2015 – 2016 MN Clinical Field of Study Working Group, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2014 – 2016 Clinician Scientist Working Group, University of Toronto
- 2014 – 2016 Research Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2014 – 2015 Interprofessional Pain Curriculum Planning Committee, University of Toronto
- 2013 – 2015 Strategic Planning Committee for Nursing Research – Hospital for Sick Children
- 2006 – 2014 Member, Team for Research with Adolescents and Children in Palliation and Grief, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, ON

**CONFERENCE PLANNING**

- 2016 Member of the planning committee for the Pediatric Palliative Care Satellite Symposium for Hospice Palliative Care Ontario
- 2013 Co-chair of the planning committee for the Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program Annual Symposium
- 2009 Member of planning committee for Pediatric Palliative Care Research Day at the Hospital for Sick Children