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EDUCATION

- 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
Supervisor: Dr. Bonnie Stevens
Project: Development and pilot testing of a knowledge translation strategy for enhancement of pediatric end-of-life pain management
- 2012 **Doctor of Philosophy** Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
Supervisor: Dr. Ann Tourangeau
Thesis: Development and testing of an instrument to measure the quality of children's end of life care from the parents' perspective
- 1996 **Master of Nursing**, University of Calgary, Calgary, AB
Supervisor: Dr. Edna McHutchion
- 1991 **Bachelor of Science in Nursing** (With Distinction), University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, SK

EMPLOYMENT RECORD

- July 2019 – present **Associate 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
- Jan 2013 – July 2019 **Assistant Professor**, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
- Dec 2011 – Mar 2012 **Associate Faculty**, de Souza Institute, University Health Network, Toronto, ON
**assisted in redesign of Hospice Palliative Care Nursing Study Group course*
- Jan 2006 – Dec 2011 **Research Coordinator**, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON **involved in a number of studies lead by Dr. Ann Tourangeau*
- Sept 2009 – Aug 2011 **Research Assistant**, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC
** Involved in a number of studies and writing book chapters with the CIHR New Emerging Team: Transitions in Pediatric Palliative Care*
- Jan – Apr 2010, 2011 **Teaching Assistant**, NUR1021- Nursing Ethics, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON

- Sept – Dec 2010 **Teaching Assistant**, NUR 350 (B) The Nurse Patient Relationship, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
- Oct 2008 – Jun 2009 **Research Officer** Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON **responsible for the development, delivery and evaluation of a research training program for Oncology and Supportive Care advanced practice nurses*
- Feb 1999 – Jan 2006 **Clinical Nurse Specialist / Care Team Coordinator**, Pediatric Palliative Care Service, IWK Health Center, Halifax, NS
- Apr 1998 – Jan 1999 **Pediatric Cancer Consultant**, Canadian Cancer Society: Cancer Information Service **created pediatric portion of the Canadian Cancer Encyclopedia*
- Jan – Dec 1998 **Sessional Instructor**, Mount Royal College, Calgary, AB **taught in pediatric clinical rotation to third year undergraduate nursing students*
- Apr 1995 – Jan 1999 **Staff Nurse**, Pediatric Oncology, Alberta Children’s Hospital, Calgary, AB
- Jun 1995 – Jun 1998 **Research Assistant**, Alberta Children’s Hospital, Calgary, AB ** worked with Dr. Ian Mitchell to develop and administer a needs assessment of bereaved parents.*
- Sept 1994 – Apr 1996 **Teaching Assistant**, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta **developed and lead tutorials in the Family Nursing undergraduate class and marked papers for a Nursing Fundamentals course.*
- Aug 1992 – Apr 1994 **Staff Nurse**, Pediatrics, American Mobile Nurses, USA **completed four travel assignments ranging from 13 weeks to 6 months and located in Dallas, TX; Durham, NC; LasVegas, NV; and Indianapolis, IN.*
- May 1991 – Aug 1992 **Staff Nurse**, Pediatrics, Alberta Children’s Hospital, Calgary, AB

APPOINTMENTS

- Feb 2020 – present **Adjunct Scientist (probationary)**, Life Stage Research Program. Institute for Clinical and Evaluative Science, Toronto, ON
- Apr 2015 – present **Core Faculty**, Global Institute for Palliative, Psychosocial, and End-of-Life Care (GIPPEC), Toronto, ON
- Aug 2017 – present **Project Investigator**, Research Institute, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, ON
- Jan 2013 – Aug 2017 **Adjunct Scientist**, Research Institute, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, ON

CERTIFICATIONS / CREDENTIALS

- Oct 2017 Certificate in Patient Reported Outcomes, International Society for Quality of Life Research
- 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 2003 – present	Certified Hospice Palliative Care Nurse, Canadian Nurses Association (Original obtained in 2003, Recertified in 2008, 2013, 2018)
2005 – present	Registered Nurse, College of Nurses of Ontario

RECOGNITIONS

2022	Award of Excellence in Paediatric Palliative Care, Hospice Palliative Care Ontario
2019	Pediatric Award of Excellence, Canadian Network of Palliative Care for Children and Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association
2018	Dorothy M. Pringle Award for Excellence in Nursing Research, Sigma Theta Tau International, Lambda Pi-At-Large Chapter, Toronto
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

2019	Tier 2 Canada Research Chair in Pediatric Palliative Care	\$500,000 / 5 years
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
2001	The IWK Health Centre Nursing Research Recognition Award	\$500
1995	The Karen Gammie Graduate Scholarship, University of Calgary	\$1,000
1995	The Day/Henderson Graduate Scholarship, University of Calgary	\$1,000

RESEARCH FUNDING

TOTAL FUNDING

	Current	Complete	Total
PI/Co-PI	\$2,104,301	\$1,227,818	\$3,332,119
Co-I	\$2,666,160	\$2,212,554	\$4,878,714
Total	\$4,770,461	\$3,426,244	\$8,210,833

CURRENT

	Title	Principal Investigator	Co-Investigators	Funding Source	Amount	Year
1.	Empowering Next-generation Researchers In perinatal and Child Health (ENRICH)	S. Samuel, B. Andrade, M. Archibald, E. Benchimol, C. Birken, R. Chafe, N. Chaillet, J. Jans, R.	K. Widger + 98 other Co-Investigators	CIHR Training grant - Health Research Training Platform (H RTP) Pilot, Human	\$2,400,000	2022 - 2028

		Keijzer, A. King, M. King, P. Mandhane, N. Poonai, T. Regnault, B. Salami, J. Stinson, C. Tersigni, R. Thomson, C. Walsh, L. Wiar Prichard, J. Zwicker		Development, Child and Youth Health pool		
2.	The Kidney and blood pressure outcomes - Determining best follow-up in hospitalized Children (KINDEST-DOC) study: A national study of the FILTR-CKD study group	M. Zappitelli R. Chanchiani E. Constantin A. Dart J. Dionne C. Lefebvre C. Morgan E. Ulrich K. Widger	K. Filion, A. Floh, A. Fontela, A. Garg, D. Garros, M. Greiver, P. Guerguerian, M. James, N. Jevakumar, J. Lafrance, P. Li, S. Mahant, C. Mammen, C. Maratta, E. McArthur, A. Molnar, D. Noone, R. Parekh, C. Renoux, C. Robinson, M. Ruhl, S. Silver, A. Singer, C. Tech, R. Wald	CIHR Project Scheme	1,074,825	2022- 2028
3.	Family Experiences with Clinical Team Meetings: A Scoping Review	K. Nelson	F. Buchanan, V. Chakravarti, K. Widger	Kindred Foundation	\$7,500	2021- 2022
4.	What Matters Most: Identifying a Core Indicator Set for Quality Pediatric Palliative Care	K. Widger	P. Ananth, J. Baker, J. Boyden, F. Buchanan, P. Chong, R. Drake, V. Dussel, C. Feudtner, L. Fraser, M. Friedel, A. Herbert, E. Johnston, R. Kirch, B. Lord, M. McNeil, K. Nelson, J. Streuli, J. Taylor, R. Thienprayoon, J. Wolfe	CIHR Project Scheme	\$100,000	2021- 2022
5.	Understanding Approaches to Decision-	K. Nelson	F. Buchanan S. Mahant	Norman Saunders	\$25,335	2020- 2021

	Making among Caregivers of Children with Medical Complexity: A Qualitative Study		T. Dewan S. Adams K. Widger D. Nicholas	Complex Care Initiative		
6.	Development and Validation of a Patient-Reported Outcome Measure for Children with Chronic Kidney Disease (PRO-Kid)	A. Dart M. Matsuda-Abedini	A. Rapoport K. Widger S. Davison J. Dionne M. Zappitelli R. Chanchlani C. Morgan S. Samuel O. Sousa A. Audrain	Children's Hospital Research Institute of Manitoba Operating Grant OG2019-10	\$60,000	2019-2021
7.	Predictors of Pediatric Palliative Care Involvement and its Impact on Healthcare Intensity, Utilization, and Cost	K. Widger A. Jakda (Knowledge user co-PI)	S. Gupta P. Tanuseputro C. Earle K. Nelson H. Seow M. Moretti A. Rapoport C. Vadeboncoeur D. Lyseki S. Zeltzer M. McHardy	CIHR Project Scheme	\$271,576	2019-2024
8.	Patterns of Pediatric Palliative Care for All Children's Costs, Outcomes, Health-care Utilization and Non-utilization Trajectories (PPC-ACCOUNT)	K. Widger C. Feudtner	J. Wolfe S. Gupta P. Tanuseputro C. Earle M. Moretti A. Rapoport C. Vadeboncoeur, M. Doherty L. Pearlman D. Lyseki	CIHR Project Scheme	\$657,900	2018-2026
9.	Long-term morbidity and mortality among mothers and siblings of children with cancer: A population-based study using health services data	S. Gupta	D. Lee S. Lucchetta P. Nathan J. Pole R. Sutradhar K. Widger	CIHR Project Scheme	\$233,325	2018-2021

COMPLETED

	Title	Principal Investigator	Co-Investigators	Funding Source	Amount	Year
1.	Development and Validation of a Patient-Reported Outcome Measure for Children with Chronic Kidney Disease (PRO-Kid)	A. Dart M. Matsuda-Abedini	A. Rapoport K. Widger S. Davison J. Dionne M. Zappitelli R. Chanchlani C. Morgan	Children's Hospital Research Institute of Manitoba Operating Grant OG2019-10	\$60,000	2019-2021

			S. Samuel O. Sousa A. Audrain			
2.	Understanding End-of-Life Health Care Utilization in Young Adults with Advanced Cancer	A. Kassam	S. Gupta A. Gupta R. Sutradhar K. Widger A. Rapoport A. Srikanthan J Wolfe C. Earle	Pediatric Oncology Group of Ontario – Seed Grant	\$15,000	2019-2020
3.	Development of a Conceptual Framework for Quality of Life in Children with Medical Complexity	K. Widger	A. Rapoport S. Adams J. Strueli R. Steele	Norman Saunders Complex Care Grant, Hospital for Sick Children	\$14,128	2017-2019
4.	Early Consultation for Children Undergoing Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation	K. Weingarten	K Widger D. Wilson	Innovation Grant, Clinical Advisory Council, Hospital for Sick Children	\$10,000	2017-2018
5.	The Frail Young: Care for Children with Complex Illnesses, their Families and Communities	H. Siden	A. de Longis T. Dewan L. Holsti M.E. MacDonald T. Oberlander G. Robinson-Treschow K. Stajduhar K. Widger	University of British Columbia 2017 Grants for Catalyzing Research Clusters	\$98,000	2017-2018
6.	End of Life Health Care Use for Children with Life Threatening Conditions: A National Population Based Study	K. Widger	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
7.	From Silos to Shared Care: Strengthening	P. Mosher A. Rapoport	K. Widger	Medical Psychiatry	\$100,000	2015-2018

	Ties Between Consultation Liaison Psychiatry and Palliative Care to Strengthen Mental Health Resources for Children With Life Threatening Conditions			Alliance, Hospital for Sick Children		
8.	Parental Perspectives on Advance Care Planning for Individuals with Cerebral Palsy	A. Hoffman A. Rapoport	K. Widger J Humphreys V. Low B. Fishbein-Germon	Center for Leadership, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital	\$18,000	2016-2017
9.	Enhancing the Quality of Palliative and End-of-Life Care for Children with Cancer	K. Widger 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
10.	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 K. Widger A. Willan	CIHR Operating Grant	\$1,245,000	2013-2017
11.	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 K. Widger	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
12.	A Scoping Review to	H Siden	N. Chavoshi,	CIHR	\$50,000	2015-

	Examine the Extent and Quality of Literature on Symptoms in Children with Rare, Progressive Disorders	T. Dewan	M.C. Gregoire R. Steele K. Widger	Knowledge Synthesis Grant		2016
13.	Pediatric Palliative Care Practice Guidelines: A Systematic Review	K. Widger	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 Toronto	\$5,000	2015-2016
14.	Do Specialized Pediatric Palliative Care Services Make a Difference?	K. Widger		University of Toronto, Bloomberg Faculty Pilot Research Grant Program	\$50,000	2014-2015
15.	A Scoping Review to Identify What is Known and Unknown About Pain Assessment and Management in Pediatric Palliative Care	B. Stevens H. Siden	K. Widger S. Liben A. Rapoport J. Yamada	CIHR Knowledge Synthesis Grant	\$50,000	2012-2013
16.	How Have We Changed? Pediatric Palliative Care in Canada, 2002 – 2012	K. Widger	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
17.	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 K. Widger	The Innovation Fund in Children's Palliative Care Research, The Hospital for Sick Children	\$9,860	2011-2013
18.	Development and Evaluation of a Pediatric Pain KT Toolkit: A Consensus	B. Stevens	M. Barwick J. Stinson K. Widger J. Yamada	CIHR Planning Grant	\$24,990	2013-2014

	Conference					
19.	Promoting Retention of Ontario University and College Nurse Faculty	A. Tourangeau	K MacMillan K. Widger E. M. Ferron	Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, Nursing Research Fund	\$370,576	2009-2012
20.	Development and Testing of an Instrument to Measure Parents' Perspectives of the Quality of Children's End-of-life Care	K. Widger	A. Tourangeau R. Steele D. Streiner	The Innovation Fund in Children's Palliative Care Research, The Hospital for Sick Children	\$4,874	2008-2011
21.	Quality Palliative Care for Children and Youth with Chronic Disease	L. Parker	M. Bernstein F. Burge G. Frager B. Lawson N. MacDonald P. Randel W. Robinson K. Widger	CIHR Network for End-of-Life Studies	\$5,000	2007-2008
22.	Careful Transitions: Developing an Integrated Service Delivery Model for Pediatric Palliative Care	D. Nicholas	L. Beaune C. Newman M. Rugg K. Widger	SickKids Foundation	\$129,950	2006-2008
23.	Pediatric Palliative Care Surveillance Pilot Project.	K. Widger	D. Drouin N Humbert L. Beaune M Rattray D. Davies P. Farran F. Nalewajek	CIHR Operating Grant	\$34,552	2004-2006
24.	The Comprehensive Cancer Project for Children: The Needs of Children with Cancer and Their Families	G Jungman	P. McGrath E. Cooper K. Widger J. Ceccolini C. Fernandez G. Frager K. Wilkins	Cancer Care Nova Scotia	\$20,000	2001-2002
25.	The Comprehensive Cancer Project for Children: The Needs of Children with Cancer and Their Families	G Jungman	P. McGrath E. Cooper K. Widger J. Ceccolini C. Fernandez G. Frager K. Wilkins	McNaught Fund	\$6,178	2001-2002

UNFUNDED PROJECTS

	Title	Project Lead	Project Team	Project Type	Location	Year
1	Assessing Nurses' Knowledge, Competency, and Attitudes about Pediatric Palliative Care	G. Sangha	M. McAllister C. Bennett S. Stenekes K. Widger	Research	SickKids	2016-2017
2.	Transition to Adult Services by Youth with Life-Threatening Conditions	K. Widger	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 K. Widger	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	K. Widger	Research	Trillium Health Partners	2015-2017
5.	Paediatric Advanced Care Team Community Outreach Nurse Practitioner Pilot Project	K. Widger	R. Williams M. Nanji A. Sarpaul K. Pearson A. Rapoport	Quality Improvement	SickKids	2015-2016
6.	Assessing the Quality of Respite Services in a Pediatric Hospice	S. Ross	S. Robbins K. Daffern R. Salminen K. Widger	Quality Improvement	Emily's House Children's Hospice	2014-ongoing

II. SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL WORK

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.**, Brennenstuhl, S., Tanuseputro, P., Nelson, K., Rapoport, A., Seow, H., Siden, H., Vadeboncoeur, C., Gupta, S. (Accepted October 2022). Location of death among children with life-threatening conditions: A national population-based observational study using the Canadian Vital Statistics Database (2008 – 2014). *CMAJ Open*.
2. Buckley, L., Berta, W., Cleverley, K., & **Widger, K.** (2022). Exploring pediatric nurses' perspectives on their work environment, work attitudes, and experience of burnout: What really matters? *Frontiers in Pediatrics*, 10, 851001. [SA; Impact Factor = 3.03]
3. Buckley, L., Berta, W., Cleverley, K., & **Widger, K.** (2021). The relationships amongst pediatric nurses' work environments, work attitudes, and experiences of burnout. *Frontiers in Pediatrics*, 9, 807245. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fped.2021.807245> [SA; Impact Factor = 3.03]
4. Lysecki, D. L., Gupta, S., Rapoport, A., Rhodes, E., Spruin, S., Vadeboncoeur, C., **Widger, K.**, & Tanuseputro, P. (2022). Children's health care utilization and cost in the last year of life: A cohort comparison with and without regional specialist pediatric palliative care. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, 10.1089/jpm.2021.0175. [CA; Impact Factor = 2.95]
5. Postier, A. C., Wolfe, J., Hauser, J., Remke, S. S., Baker, J. N., Kolste, A., Dussel, V., Bernad , M., **Widger, K.**, Rapoport, A., Drake, R., Chong, P. H., & Friedrichsdorf, S. J. (2021). Education in palliative and end-of-life care-pediatrics: Curriculum use and dissemination. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, S0885-3924(21)00657-6. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpainsymman.2021.11.017> [CA; Impact Factor = 3.61]
6. Jawa, N. A., Rapoport, A., **Widger, K.**, Zappitelli, M., Davison, S. N., Jha, S., Dart, A. B., & Matsuda-Abedini, M. (2021). Development of a patient-reported outcome measure for the assessment of symptom burden in pediatric chronic kidney disease (PRO-Kid). *Pediatric Nephrology*, 1–10. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00467-021-05269-4>. [CA; Impact Factor = 2.67]
7. Bergstraesser, E., Thienprayoon, R., Brook, L. A., Fraser, L. K., Hynson, J. L., Rosenberg, A. R., Snaman, J. M., Weaver, M. S., **Widger, K.**, Zernikow, B., Jones, C. A., & Schl gl, M. (2021). Top ten tips palliative care clinicians should know about prognostication in children. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, 24(11), 1725–1731. [CA; Impact Factor = 2.49]
8. Nelson, K. E., Chakravarti, V., Diskin, C., Thomson, J., Cohen, E., Mahant, S., Feudtner, C., **Widger, K.**, Pullenayegum, E., Berry, J. G., & Feinstein, J. A. (2021). Validation of neurologic impairment diagnosis codes as signifying documented functional impairment in hospitalized children. *Academic Pediatrics*, S1876-2859(21)00376-4. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.acap.2021.07.014> . [CA; Impact Factor = 2.0]

9. McMurray, J., Widger, K., Stephenson, A. L., & Stremler, R. (2021). Actigraphic and patient and family reported sleep outcomes in children and youth with cystic fibrosis: A systematic review. *Journal of Cystic Fibrosis*, S1569-1993(21)00132-6. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jcf.2021.05.005>. [CA; Impact Factor = 5.48]
10. Kassam, A., Gupta, A., Rapoport, A., Srikanthan, A., Sutradhar, R., Luo, J., **Widger, K.**, Wolfe, J., Earle, C., & Gupta, S. (2021). Impact of palliative care involvement on end-of-life care patterns among adolescents and young adults with cancer: a population-based cohort study, *Journal of Clinical Oncology*. DOI: [10.1200/JCO.20.03698](https://doi.org/10.1200/JCO.20.03698) [CA; Impact Factor = 32.96]
11. Tay, J., Widger, K., & Stremler, R. (2021). Self-reported experiences of siblings of children with life-threatening conditions: A scoping review. *Journal of Child Health Care*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/13674935211026113> [SA; Impact Factor = 1.5]
12. Boyden, J. Y., Feudtner, C., Deatrck, J. A., **Widger, K.**, LaRagione, G., Lord, B., & Ersek, M. (2021). Developing a family-reported measure of experiences with home-based pediatric palliative and hospice care: a multi-method, multi-stakeholder approach. *BMC Palliative Care*, 20(1), 17. [CA; Impact Factor = 3.12]
13. Hasan, F., Widger, K., Sung, L., & Wheaton, L. (2021). End-of-Life Childhood Cancer Research: A Systematic Review. *Pediatrics*, 147(3), e2020003780. <https://doi.org/10.1542/peds.2020-003780> [CA; Impact Factor = 5.42]
14. Boyden, J. Y., Ersek, M., Deatrck, J. A., **Widger, K.**, LaRagione, G., Lord, B., Feudtner, C. (2021) What do parents value regarding pediatric palliative and hospice care in the home setting? *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*. 61(1): 12-23. [CA; Impact Factor = 3.25; Number of Citations = 5]
15. Lalloo, C., Osei-Twum, J. A., Rapoport, A., Vadeboncoeur, C., Weingarten, K., van Zanten, S. V., **Widger, K.**, & Stinson, J. (2020). Pediatric Project ECHO®: A Virtual Community of Practice to Improve Palliative Care Knowledge and Self-Efficacy among Interprofessional Health Care Providers. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, <https://doi.org/10.1089/jpm.2020.0496> [CA; Impact Factor =2.49; Number of Citations = 2]
16. Pawliuk, C., Brown, H. L., **Widger, K.**, Dewan, T., Hermansen, A.-M., Grégoire, M.-C., Steele, R., & Siden, H. (2020). Optimising the process for conducting scoping reviews. *BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine*. <https://doi.org/10.1136/bmjebm-2020-111452> [CA; Impact Factor = 1.49]
17. Kerr, H., **Widger, K.**, Cullen-Dean, G., Price, J., O'Halloran, P. (2020). Transition from children's to adult services for adolescents/young adults with life-limiting conditions: Developing realist programme theory through an international comparison. *BMC Palliative Care*. [SA; Impact Factor = 3.1; Number of Citations = 2]
18. Buckley, L., Berta, W., Cleverley, K., Medeiros, C., & **Widger, K.** (2020). What is known about paediatric nurse burnout: A scoping review. *Human Resources for Health*. [SA; Impact Factor = 2.88; Number of Citations = 13]
19. Medeiros, C., Buckley, L., Metcalfe, K., Narayanan, U., & **Widger, K.** (2020). Decision aids available for parents making end-of-life or palliative care decisions for children: A scoping review. *Journal of Paediatrics & Child Health*, 56(5):692 – 703. [SA; Impact Factor = 1.68; Number of Citations = 1]
20. Pawliuk, C., **Widger, K.**, Dewan, T., Brander, G., Brown, H. L. Hermansen, A. M. Gregoire, M. C., Steele, R., & Siden, H. (2020). Scoping review of symptoms in children with rare,

progressive, life-threatening disorders *BMJ Supportive & Palliative Care*, 10:91-104. [SA; Impact Factor = 3.2]

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PRESENTATIONS

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2. **Widger K.** (June 2021). Journey of a clinician scientist. *Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program Annual Conference*, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
3. **Widger, K.** (October 2018). National impact of an enhanced train-the-trainer model for delivering pediatric palliative care education. *Canadian Association of Pediatric Health Centres Webinar Series*.
4. Eastwood, S., Dosani, N., Lau, J., & **Widger, K.** (March 2018). The interval and the instant: Inscribing death and dying [Film viewing and Keynote Panel Discussion]. *Running with Concepts: The Empathic Edition*, Blackwood Gallery, University of Toronto - Mississauga Campus, Mississauga Ontario.
5. **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.
6. **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.
7. **Widger, K.** (September 2016). What is pediatric palliative care? *Dinner Series*, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Ontario.
8. **Widger, K.** (September 2016). Supporting families in grief and bereavement: Alleviating unnecessary suffering. *Dinner Series*, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Ontario.
9. **Widger, K.** (September 2016). Self Care for Professionals. *Pediatric Nursing Rounds*, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Ontario.
10. 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*.
11. 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.
12. **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.
13. **Widger, K.** (February 2015). Enhancing the quality of palliative care for children with cancer. *Palliative Care Research Rounds*, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec.
14. **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.
15. **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>
16. Stevens, B., & **Widger, K.** (February 2013). Stories from the floor: A casebook KT implementation strategy for EPIQ. *EPIQ Conference and Training Workshop*, Toronto, Ontario.

17. **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.*
18. **Widger, K.** (June 2012). Knowledge translation. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Learning Institute: Advocacy, Knowledge Translation, Leadership, and Organizational Development Stream, Banff, Alberta.*
19. **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.*
20. **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.*
21. **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.*
22. 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.** (April 2022). Pathways to enhanced pediatric palliative care: A program of research improving care of children and families across Canada (and beyond!) [Keynote Address], *Pediatric Grand Rounds, Hospital for Sick Children and Hospice Palliative Care Ontario Annual Conference: Pediatric Symposium, Toronto, Ontario.*
2. **Widger, K.** (April 2022). Pathways to enhanced pediatric palliative care: A program of research improving care of children and families across Canada (and beyond!). *Bloomberg Rounds, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.*
3. **Widger, K.** (September 2021). What matters most: Delivering the best possible care to children with serious illness and their families. *Pediatric Palliative Care Educational Rounds, McMaster Children’s Hospital, Hamilton Ontario*
4. Pereira, L. & **Widger, K.** (October 2019). End-of-life and bereavement experiences of SickKids families. *Pediatric Palliative Care Academic Rounds, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.*
5. **Widger, K.** (May 2019). Location of death and health care use at the end of life for children in Canada. *Pediatric Palliative Care Academic Rounds, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.*
6. Jones, N. & **Widger K.** (May 2018). Becoming an academic athlete: Navigating potential challenges and seizing opportunities. *Curriculum Series Webinar, Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program, Toronto, Ontario*
7. Gupta, S. **Widger, K.** (September 2017). Using administrative data to understand (and maybe improve) end-of-life care in children with cancer. *Pediatric Palliative Care Academic Rounds, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.*

8. **Widger, K.** (May 2017). National impact of a train-the-trainer model for delivering education on pediatric palliative care. *Pediatric Palliative Care Academic Rounds*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
9. **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).
10. 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.
11. **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.
12. **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.
13. **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.
14. **Widger, K.** (September 2013). Connecting with families in pediatric palliative care. *Knowledge Exchange Forum*, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario.
15. Denis C. L., & **Widger K.** (May 2013). Post-doctoral fellowships in nursing. *Doctoral Research Week*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, Toronto, Ontario.
16. **Widger, K.** (April 2013). Parent needs in palliative care, *Emily's House, Philip Aziz Centre*, Toronto, Ontario.
17. 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.
18. **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.
19. **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.
20. 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.
21. **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.
22. **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.

23. **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. **Boyden, J. Y.**, Deatrck, J. A., Ersek, M. **Widger, K.**, & Feudtner, C. (February 2022). Good days, bad days: A cognitive interview-based approach for eliciting parents' perspectives on experiences with pediatric palliative and hospice care [Poster]. *American Academy of Hospice Palliative Medicine 2022 Annual Assembly* [held virtually].
2. Kassam, A., Gupta, A., Rapoport, A., Srikanthan, A., Sutradhar, R., Luo, J., **Widger, K.**, Wolfe, J., Earle, C., & Gupta, S. (February 2022). Impact of specialized versus general palliative care on the intensity of medical care at the end of life in adolescents and young adults with cancer: A population-based cohort study [Oral Paper]. *American Academy of Hospice Palliative Medicine 2022 Annual Assembly* [held virtually]
3. **Widger, K.**, Steele, R., Medeiros, C., Adams, S., & Rapoport, A. (October 2020). Development of a conceptual framework for quality of life in children with medical complexity [Oral Paper]. *22nd International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec. [Conference cancelled due to COVID 19]
4. Ross, S., Sangha, G., Boyer, K., van Breemen, C., van Meer, S., DaSilva Curiel, K. Grandmaison Dumond, L., Stenekes, S., Wren, T., Lusney, N., **Widger, K.**, (October 2020). Across Canada: The development of pediatric palliative care competencies for nurses [Oral Paper]. *22nd International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec. [Conference cancelled due to COVID 19]
5. **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]. *21st International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
6. **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]. *21st International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
7. **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]. *21st 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. (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]. *21st International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.

9. 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]. 21st *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
10. 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]. 21st *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
11. 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]. 21st *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
12. 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.
13. 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.
14. 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]. *13th Australian Palliative Care Conference*, Melbourne, Australia.
15. 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.
16. 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.
17. 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.
18. 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.
19. **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]. 20th *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
20. 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]. 20th *International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
21. 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.

22. **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]. *19th International Congress on Palliative Care*, Montreal, Quebec.
23. **Widger, K.,** & Tourangeau, A. (September 2010). Developing a measure of quality pediatric end-of-life care: Engaging parents in the process [Oral Paper]. *18th International Congress on Care of the Terminally Ill*, Montreal, Quebec.
24. **Widger, K.,** & Picot, C. (November 2004). Evaluating the quality of pediatric and perinatal end-of-life care [Oral Paper]. *10th International Pediatric Nursing Research Symposium*, Montreal, Quebec.
25. **Widger, K.,** & Drouin, D. (November 2004). Pediatric palliative care surveillance pilot project [Oral Paper]. *10th International Pediatric Nursing Research Symposium*, Montreal, Quebec.
26. **Widger, K.,** & Picot, C. (September 2004). Evaluating the quality of pediatric and perinatal end-of-life care [Poster]. *15th International Congress on Care of the Terminally Ill*, Montreal, Quebec.
27. **Widger, K.,** & Wilkins, K. (April 2002). Evaluating quality end-of-life care for children [Oral Paper]. *9th International Pediatric Nursing Research Symposium*, Montreal, Quebec.

Peer-Reviewed National Conference Presentations:

1. **Widger, K.,** Gupta, S., Rapoport, A., Seow, H., Siden, H., Tanuseputro, P., Vadeboncoeur, C., & Brennenstuhl, S. (September 2019). End-of-life health care use and location of death in children with life-threatening conditions: A national population-based study [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario.
2. Medeiros, C., Metcalfe, K., Narayanan, U., Buckley, L., & **Widger, K.** (September 2019). A scoping review of decision aids available for parents making quality of life, end-of-life or palliative care decisions for children with life-limiting or life-threatening conditions [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario. (*Winner of best poster award).
3. **Widger, K.,** Medeiros, C. & Zuniga-Villanueva, G. (September 2019). Quality indicators in pediatric palliative care: Measuring what matters [Workshop]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario.
4. **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, Ontario.
5. Lysecki, D., **Widger, K.,** & Vadeboncoeur, C. (September 2017). Program leadership and development in pediatric palliative care [Workshop]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario.
6. **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, Ontario.
7. Sangha, G., **Widger, K.,** Stenekes, S., & McAllister, M. (September 2017) Assessing nurses' knowledge, competency and attitudes about pediatric palliative care [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Ottawa, Ontario.
8. **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, Ontario.

9. 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, Ontario.
10. **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.
11. **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.
12. 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.
13. Roth, A., Rapoport, A., **Widger, K.**, & Friedman, J. (June 2015). A review of general paediatric inpatient deaths over time [Poster]. *Canadian Paediatric Society 92nd Annual Conference*, Toronto, Ontario.
14. **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.
15. 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.
16. **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.
17. **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.
18. **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.
19. **Widger, K.**, & Murphy, C. (October 2001). Pediatric palliative care service database [Poster]. *Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association Annual Conference*, Victoria, British Columbia.
20. 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.

21. 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.
22. **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. **Widger, K.**, Gupta, S., Rapoport, A., Seow, H., Siden, H., Tanuseputro, P., Vadeboncoeur, C., & Brennenstuhl, S. (May 2019). End-of-life health care use and location of death in children with life-threatening conditions: A national population-based study [Oral Paper]. *Barrie Rose Research Day in Palliative Medicine*, Toronto, Ontario.
2. Tay, J., Widger, K., Steele, R., Stremmer, R., & Pole, J.D. (May 2019). Examining adjustment and coping trajectories in health siblings of children with life-threatening conditions [Poster]. *Barrie Rose Research Day in Palliative Medicine*, Toronto, Ontario.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. **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.
6. **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.
7. **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.
8. **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.
9. **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.
10. **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.

11. 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.
12. **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.
13. **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.
14. **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.
15. **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.

COURSES TAUGHT

Undergraduate:

- Fall 2015 NUR430 Research and Scholarship in Nursing – Course Instructor for undergraduate class of 170 students. Course delivered online. Supervised 7 teaching assistants.
- Fall 2014 NUR430 Research and Scholarship in Nursing – Course Instructor for undergraduate class of 177 students. Course delivered online. Supervised 7 teaching assistants.
- Spring 2014 NUR470 Integrated Nursing Practicum – Faculty Advisor for a group of 10 undergraduate students in their final clinical placement.
- Fall 2013 NUR430 Research and Scholarship in Nursing – Course Instructor for undergraduate class of 171 students. I redeveloped the course to be offered in an on-line format (see Teaching Dossier for details). Supervised 7 teaching assistants.
- Spring 2013 NUR470 Integrated Nursing Practicum – Faculty Advisor for a group of 9 undergraduate students in their final clinical placement.

Graduate:

- Fall 2022 NUR1081 PhD Seminar – Course Instructor for 7 PhD students in the first year of the program.
- Fall 2021 /
Winter 2022 NUR1079 Research Methods for Knowledge Discovery – Co-Course Instructor for 5 PhD students in the first year of the program.
- Winter 2021 NUR1170 Introduction to Advanced Nursing Practice – Course Instructor for 32 Master of Nursing students in the clinical Master's stream. The course includes a clinical practicum.
- Fall 2020 NUR1087 Foundations of Clinical Research – Course Instructor for 6 PhD students in the second year of the program.
- Winter 2019 NUR1034 Program Planning and Evaluation – Course Instructor for 25 Master of Nursing students in the second year of the clinical Master's stream.

- Fall 2018 NUR1087 Foundations of Clinical Research – Course Instructor for 6 PhD students in the second year of the program.
- Fall 2018 NUR1170 Introduction to Advanced Nursing Practice – Course Instructor for 37 Master of Nursing students in their first course for the clinical Master’s stream. The course includes a clinical practicum.
- Fall 2017 NUR1170 Introduction to Advanced Nursing Practice – Course Instructor for 25 Master of Nursing students in their first course for the clinical Master’s stream. The course includes a clinical practicum.
- Fall 2016 NUR1170 Introduction to Advanced Nursing Practice – Course Instructor for 28 Master of Nursing students in their first course for the clinical master’s stream. The course includes a clinical practicum. I developed the course (see Teaching Dossier for details).
- Spring 2015 NUR072 Advanced Nursing Practice Scholarship – Course Instructor for 27 Master of Nursing students in their final course/practicum for the program.

GUEST LECTURES

- Fall 2018, 2017 NUR 1081 PhD Seminar. *Scoping Reviews*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- Fall 2017 NUR 1087 Foundations of Clinical Research. *Designing a KT study*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- Winter 2016 - 2022 NUR360 Nursing Perspectives in Health and Wellness Through the Lifespan- Pediatric Section (taught 3 times each year). *Pediatric Palliative Care*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- Fall 2016 NUR430 Research and Scholarship in Nursing. *Knowledge Translation*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- Fall 2015 NUR460 Coping with Complexity in Persistent Illness - Pediatric Section. *The Supportive Care Model and Pediatric Palliative Care*. Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- Winter 2013 NUR1045 Theories of Pain: Impact on the Individual, Family, and Society. *Challenges in Assessing and Managing Pain in Pediatric Palliative Care*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- Winter 2010, 2011 NUR1021 Nursing Ethics. *Edges of Life: Beginning of Life*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- Fall 2010 NUR431 The Nurse Patient Relationship. *Therapeutic Conversations in Difficult Situations*, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

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

INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION (IPE) FACILITATION

- 2012 – 2022 *Dying and Death: Psychological, Physical and Spiritual Issues*. Facilitator at 2 sessions per year for interprofessional group of undergraduate students using case-based learning. University of Toronto, Ontario.
- 2013 – 2015 *Palliative Care*. Facilitator for interprofessional group of undergraduate students using case-based learning. University of Toronto, Ontario.
- 2011 – 2012 *Pain: Putting the Person at the Centre*. Facilitator for interprofessional group of undergraduate students using case-based learning. University of Toronto, Ontario.
- 2014 – 2015

STUDENTS

Post-Doctoral:

- 2022 - Andrea Johnson, Postdoctoral Supervisor, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Development of a Quality-of-Life Measure for Adolescents and Young Adults with Advanced Cancer
- 2020 - 2022 Jackelyn Boyden, Postdoctoral Mentorship Committee Member, University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing. Project Title: Home-based Experiences of Palliative and Hospice Care for Children and Caregivers (EXPERIENCE) Project

Graduate:

- 2021 - Ridwaanah Ali, PhD Supervisor, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Impact of Social Determinants of Health on Access to Pediatric Palliative Care
- 2021 - Argin Malakian, PhD Committee Member, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Nursing Care of Distress in Patients with Hematological Malignancies
- 2020 - Jordana McMurray, PhD Committee Member, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Sleep Outcomes in Children with Cystic Fibrosis.
- 2019 -2020 Jackelyn Boyden, PhD Committee Member, University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing. Project Title: Quality Measurement in Home-Based Pediatric Palliative and Hospice Care.
- 2018 - 2022 Laura Buckley, PhD Supervisor, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Health Professional Burnout and Family Centered Care in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit.

- 2018 - Christina Medeiros, PhD Supervisor, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Parental Decision-Making for children with Life-Threatening Conditions.
- 2017 - 2022 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 - 2021 Joanne Tay, PhD Supervisor, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto. Project Title: Examining adjustment and coping trajectories in healthy siblings of children with life-threatening conditions.
- 2015 - 2020 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.
- 2014 - 2015 Jacqui Duc, Research Fellow (co-Supervisor), Hospital for Sick Children and supervised Advanced Training Project with the Royal Australasian College of Physicians. Project Title: Enhancing the Quality of Palliative Care for Children with Cancer.

Undergraduate:

- 2021 Ekaterina An, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing Undergraduate Student Summer Research Program
- 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

Graduate Student Examiner:

- Jun. 2022 Jin Xiaohuan: PhD Final Defense; The Nethersole School of Nursing, The Chinese University of Hong Kong; *Effects of Acceptance and Commitment Therapy Based Intervention on Reducing Psychological Distress and Promoting Quality of Life in Parents of Children with Cancer: A Randomised Controlled Trial*
- Nov. 2021 Kokui Klutse: PhD Proposal Defense; Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto; *Exploring Developmentally Supportive Care Practices in Preterm Infant Care in Ghana*
- Jun. 2021 Julia Davies; PhD Proposal Defense; Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto; *A Multi Methods Exploration of Traumatic Brain Injury History Among Transition Aged Youth who have Received Mental Health Services*
- Jan. 2021 Sydney Campbell; PhD Proposal Defense; Institute of Health Policy, Management & Evaluation, University of Toronto; *Medical Assistance in Dying for Mature Minors in Canada: What Can We Learn from Young People and How Do We Move Forward Ethically?*
- Sept. 2020 Laura Istanboulian; PhD Proposal Defense; Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto; *Co-Design and Mixed Method Acceptability Evaluation of a Communication Intervention for use in the Adult ICU with Infection Control Procedures.*

- Aug. 2020 Joanne Wong; Master of Science – Medical Science Final Defense; Institute of Medical Science, University of Toronto; *Understanding of Palliative Care Among Members of the Public*
- Jul. 2020 Samantha Micsinszki; PhD Final Defense; Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto; *Examining Factors Associated with Sleep Quality in Parents of Children 4-10 Years with Autism Spectrum Disorder*
- Jun. 2019 & Feb. 2020 Mohammed Alqudimat; PhD Proposal Defense; Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto; *Adapting and Validating a Questionnaire to Assess the Use of Complementary Health Approaches by Children and Adolescents with Cancer and their Parents* [Note: student did not pass the defense in June thus was re-examined in February 2020 at which time he was successful].
- Jan. 2019 Sabrina Amicone; Masters of Arts Final Defense; Ontario Institute of Studies in Education, University of Toronto; *The Long-Term Psychological Impact and Sequelae of Childhood Intrusive Medical Procedures, Treatments, and/or Hospitalization(s) due to a Serious Injury or Chronic Illness*
- Feb. 2018 Samantha Micsinszki; PhD Proposal Defense; Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto; *Sleep Quality as a Measure of Adaptation in Parents of Children 4-10 Years Old With Autism Spectrum Disorder: A Double Abcx Model.*
- Oct. 2017 Francine Buchanan; PhD Proposal Defense; Institute of Health Policy, Management and Evaluation, University of Toronto; *Physicians' use of information provided by parents of children with medical complexities: A qualitative study and measurement development.*
- Apr. 2016 Lisa-Marie Bianchi; Masters of Arts Final Defense; Ontario Institute of Studies in Education, University of Toronto; *A Family's Perception of Childhood Cancer Survivorship: A Case Study in Resilience.*

MENTORSHIP

- 2018 Collaborator on a mentored research award for Dr. Prasanna Ananth, Yale School of Medicine, New Haven, CT. Dr. Ananth received a Robert E. Leet and Clara Guthrie Patterson Trust award (\$70,000US) to conduct her project: *Establishing Benchmarks for High Quality End-of-Life Care for Children with Cancer.*
- 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.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 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 ACTIVITIES

External Grant Reviewer:

- August 2022 National Killam Program, National Research Council of Canada, (1 applicant)
- November 2021 Norman Saunders Complex Care Initiative Grant Competition, Hospital for Sick Children (2 grants)
- September 2021 New Investigator Grant Competition, CIHR and Hospital for Sick Children (8 grants)
- June 2021 CIHR Peer Review Committee – Project Scheme Grant (7 grants)
- February 2021 CIHR Peer Review Committee – Project Scheme Grant (8 grants)
- December 2020 External reviewer on a grant submitted to Great Ormond Street Children’s Hospital London, UK
- November 2020 Norman Saunders Complex Care Initiative Grant Competition, Hospital for Sick Children (4 grants)

December 2019	Career Awards, Canadian Child Health Clinician Scientist Program (3 grants)
November 2019	Norman Saunders Complex Care Initiative Grant Competition, Hospital for Sick Children (7 grants)
August 2018	New Investigator Grant Competition, CIHR and Hospital for Sick Children (8 grants)
December 2017	Terry Hickson Research in Practice Challenge, Hospital for Sick Children (5 grants)
December 2017	External reviewer on a grant submitted to Great Ormond Street Children's Hospital London, UK
April 2017	Canadian Foundation for Healthcare Improvement – Innovations in Palliative and End-of-Life Care – (7 proposals)
April 2017	CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 2) – Project Scheme Grant (8 grants)
June 2016	CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 1) – Project Scheme Grants (9 grants)
March 2016	CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 2) – Knowledge to Action Grants (8 grants)
March 2015	Canadian Pain Society, Pfizer Clinical Grant Award (10 grants)
December 2014	CIHR Peer Review Committee (Stage 1) – Knowledge to Action Grants (15 grants)
May 2014	External Reviewer for Dalhousie Nursing Research and Development Fund (1 grant)

Internal Peer Review:

2017	Scientific Review Committee, Hospital for Sick Children (Committee Member of 1 review)
2016	Scientific Review Committee, Hospital for Sick Children (Chair of 4 reviews, Committee Member of 1 review)
2015	Scientific Review Committee, Hospital for Sick Children (Chair of 2 reviews, Committee Member of 2 review)
2014	Scientific Review Committee, Hospital for Sick Children (Chair of 2 reviews, Committee Member of 1 review)
2013	Scientific Review Committee, Hospital for Sick Children (Chair of 4 reviews, Committee Member of 1 review)

Journals:

Journal of Pediatric Nursing – 15 manuscripts
 BMC Palliative Care – 11 manuscripts
 JAMA Pediatrics – 6 manuscripts
 Journal of Pain and Symptom Management – 6 manuscripts
 Journal of Palliative Medicine – 6 manuscripts
 Journal of Advanced Nursing – 3 manuscripts
 Journal of Palliative Care – 3 manuscripts
 Pediatrics – 4 manuscripts
 Canadian Journal of Nursing Leadership – 2 manuscripts
 Journal of Nursing Management – 2 manuscripts
 Palliative and Supportive Care – 2 manuscripts
 Palliative Medicine – 1 manuscript
 Journal of Psychosocial Oncology – 1 manuscript
 PLOS One – 1 manuscript
 International Journal of Nursing Studies – 1 manuscript
 Journal of Multidisciplinary Healthcare – 1 manuscript
 Southern Medical Journal – 1 manuscript
 Qualitative Health Research – 1 manuscript
 Cancer – 1
 Child: Care, Health, and Development – 1
 Archives of Disease in Childhood - 1

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:

2020 – present	Editorial Board Member, <i>Cancer Nursing</i>
2019 – 2020	Co-Guest Editor, <i>Children</i> , for a special issue on “Comprehensive Care for Children with Cancer: Interprofessional and Interdisciplinary Approaches” with Dr. Christina Ullrich from Boston
2015 – 2019	Associate Editor, Knowledge, Education, and Training Section, <i>BMC Palliative Care</i>

International Committee

2021 - present	Advisory Board Member – <u>P</u> ediatric <u>O</u> ncology <u>T</u> ool for <u>E</u> nd-of-life <u>C</u> are <u>T</u> reatment (PrOTECT): Quality Indicators in End-Of-Life Care for Pediatric Oncology Patients in Resource Limited Settings, St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, USA
2021 - present	Advisory Board Member – Cambia Pediatric Palliative Care Quality Metrics Study, Seattle Children’s Hospital, Seattle, USA

National Committees:

- 2017 - 2018 Data Architecture Design for the Canadian Pediatric Oncology Database Steering Committee Member and Chair of workgroup to examine the elements related to “Other Therapies, Supportive Care and Palliative Care.”
- 2017 – 2018 Council of Canadian Academies, Medical Assistance in Dying Panel Member – Workgroup on MAiD for Mature Minors
- 2015 – 2018 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:

- 2022 - Ontario Palliative Care Network (OPCN), Pediatric Palliative Model of Care Working Group Member
- 2020 – 2022 Ontario Pediatric Palliative Care Essential Dataset Working Group, Chair
- 2017 - 2022 Ontario Palliative Care Network (OPCN), Data Information and Advisory Council Member, Ontario
- 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)
- 2021 – 2022 Graduate Admissions Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2020 – 2021 Research Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2020 – 2021 Curriculum Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2018 – 2021 University Tribunal Faculty Member, University of Toronto

- 2018 – 2019 Graduate Nursing Student Society, Faculty Advisor
- 2017 – 2019 Committee on Standing, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto (Co-chair Sept 2018 – Feb 2019; Chair Feb. – July 2019)
- 2013 – 2019 Graduate Admissions Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto (NOTE: not on the committee for 2017/18 school year)
- 2017 – 2018 Appointments Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2017 – 2018 Curriculum Committee, Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto
- 2013 – 2017 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

- 2021 – present Member of the Executive Committee for the International Congress on Palliative Care and Chair of the Pediatric Palliative Care Symposium
- 2019 - present Member of the planning committee for the International Congress on Palliative Care to be held in Montreal, Canada in 2020. Chair of the Pediatric Palliative Care Symposium (Cancelled due to COVID)
- 2016, 2018, 2020 Member of the planning committee for the Pediatric Palliative Care Satellite Symposium for Hospice Palliative Care Ontario (Cancelled in 2020 due to COVID)
- 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