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**EMPLOYMENT**

**2009-Current:** Creator and Director of “First Impressions...Lasting Impressions” Infant Massage Training Program

**1995-2009:** Education Specialist with Philips, Children’s Medical Ventures providing training through “Touch: The Art and Science of Infant Handling”, Norwell, MA

**1992-Current:** Co-Creator and Director of “The Tender Touch Program” in the Level III Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at St. Luke’s Hospital (Plaza), Kansas City, MO

**1992-Current:** Licensed Massage Therapist (LMT) contracted by the High-Risk Antepartum Unit at St. Luke’s Hospital (Plaza), Kansas City, MO

**1992-Current:** Certified Infant Massage Instructor (CIMI) in private practice, Kansas City, MO

**1990-Current:** Licensed Massage Therapist in private practice, Kansas City, MO

**1992-1995:** Creator and Director of “The Nurturing NICU” Touch Therapy Program Training

**PUBLISHED WORKS**

**2009:** “*The Benefits of Infant Massage*”, Fall, 2009, KCBaby Magazine

**2009:** “*First Impressions...Lasting Impressions*” Instructional DVD

**2006:** “*Learn How to use the Healing Power of Massage on your Premie*”, Winter, **2006**, Premie Magazine

**2001:** “*Tender Touch: One Unit’s Experience with Infant Massage*”, February/March, 2001, Volume 17, Number 1, Central Lines, The Official Publication of the National Association of Neonatal Nurses

**2000:** “*Touch Therapy*”, December/January, 2000, Massage and Bodywork Magazine (Circulation 127,000)

**1999:** “*Lasting Impressions Infant Massage*”, Book

**1998:** “*To Touch or Not to Touch? That is the Question*”, Spring, 1998, Volume 12, Number 2, Perinatal Hotline

**1997:** “*Tender Touch for Premature Infants*”, July/August, 1997, Massage Magazine (Circulation 120,000 in 60 Countries)

1997: "Tender Touch", Fall, 1997, Volume 14, Number 4, Tender Loving Care

## **PRESENTATIONS**

- 2009, November 30, St. Luke's Hospital, *First Impressions...Lasting Impressions; Nurturing the Newborn and Late Preterm Infant*, Kansas City, MO**
- 2009, August 24, St. Luke's Hospital, *Touching Lives*, Kansas City, MO**
- 2009, May 12, New York City Association of Neonatal Nurses (NYCANN), *Touch: The Art and Science of Infant Handling*, New York, NY**
- 2009, January 24, 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Gravens Conference on the Physical and Developmental Environment of the High Risk Infant, *Kangaroo Care: Is it just for babies? Exploring the psychological benefits for parents who Kangaroo Care in the NICU*, Clearwater Beach, FL**
- 2008, October 21, Loma Linda Medical Center, *Touch, The Universal Language*, Loma Linda, CA**
- 2008, November 3, Albany Medical Center, *Family Attachment Through Touch*, Albany, NY**
- 2008, November 4, Stony Brook University Medical Center, *Touch: The Art and Science of Infant Handling*, Stony Brook, NY**
- 2008, November 5, March of Dimes, *Family Attachment Through Touch*, Springfield, MA**
- 2008, November 7, University Hospital Cincinnati, *Touch: The Art and Science of Infant Handling*, Cincinnati, OH**
- 2008, December 4, Research Medical Center/March of Dimes, *Family Attachment Through Touch*, Kansas City, MO**
- 2007, March 21, Southeastern Michigan Association of Neonatal Nurses (SMANN), *Wee Touch*, Detroit, MI**
- 2007, April 27, SEK-CAP Head Start, *Touching Lives: Babies, Brains, Bonding and Touch*, Girard, KS**
- 2007, February 9, Capper Foundation/Easter Seals, *Touch Therapy Strategies for the Child with Special Needs*, Topeka, Kansas**
- 2006, October 26 and 27, Pinnacle Health, *The Nurturing NICU Workshop*, Harrisburg, PA**
- 2006, October 17 and 18, Sacred Heart Medical Center/PeaceHealth, *Wee Touch, The Art and Science of Touch*, Eugene, Oregon**
- 2006, September 15, Holston Valley Medical Center, *The Nurturing NICU Workshop*, Kingsport, Tennessee**
- 2006, May 5, 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Developmental Therapists in the NICU Conference, *Touch and Its Impact on the Developing Infant*, Carefree, Arizona**
- 2006, March 4, Summerlin Hospital, *The Role of Touch Therapy in the Antepartum and Neonatal Population*, Las Vegas, Nevada**
- 2006, January 25-28, The 19th Annual Gravens Conference on The Physical and Developmental Environment of the High-Risk Infant, *The Role of Touch Therapy in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, The Tender Touch® Program at St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri, Orlando, Florida***
- 2005, August 17, 19, Scottsdale Healthcare Center, *The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*, Scottsdale, Arizona**

**2005, July 23, 24, St. Luke's Hospital, *The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*,**  
Kansas City, Missouri

**2005, February 19, 20, St. Luke's Hospital, *The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*,**  
Kansas City, Missouri

**2004, July 16, 17, St. Luke's Hospital, *The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*,**  
Kansas City, Missouri

**2004, March 6, 7, Boulder College of Massage Therapy, *The Nurturing NICU®***  
*Workshop*, Boulder, Colorado

**2003, October 25, 26, Boulder College of Massage Therapy, *The Nurturing***  
*NICU® Workshop*, Boulder, Colorado

**2003, April 4, 5, Boulder College of Massage Therapy, *The Nurturing NICU®***  
*Workshop*, Boulder, Colorado

**2002, September 12, 13, St. Luke's Hospital, One day staff training, *The***  
*Nurturing NCIU® Workshop*, Sioux City, Iowa

**2002, May 13, Miami Valley Hospital, One day staff training, *The Nurturing***  
*NICU® Workshop*, Dayton, OH

**2002, April 27, 28, Two day *Nurturing NICU® Workshop* for Nursing and Non-**  
Nursing Professionals, Kansas City, MO

**2002, March 25, 26, Children's Hospital Los Angeles, Two-day staff training,**  
*The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*, Los Angeles, CA

**2001, October 29, Delaware Valley Association of Neonatal Nurses, "The**  
Neonatal Brain: Basics and Beyond" Conference, *The Tender Touch Program*  
*and "Therapeutic Touch for the Neonate"*, Cherry Hill, NJ

**2001, October 12, 13, 14, Two and one-half day *Nurturing NICU® Workshop* for**  
Nursing and Non-Nursing Professionals, Kansas City, MO

**2001, September 27, 28, Children's Hospitals and Clinics, Two-day staff**  
training, *The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*, Minneapolis, MN

**2001, May 19, 20, 2001, Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital, Two-day**  
staff training, *The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*, Cleveland, OH

**May 3, 4, Stormont-Vail Hospital, Shawnee County Infant and Toddler**  
**Services, Two-day staff training, *The Nurturing NICU® Workshop*, Topeka, KS**

**2001, April 12, 13, 14, Two and one-half day *Nurturing NICU® Workshop* for**  
Nursing and Non-Nursing Professionals, Kansas City, MO

**2001, April 5, Kansas Spring AWHONN Conference, "Infant Massage and**  
*Therapeutic Touch*", Manhattan, KS

**2001, March 29, 20, Lutheran Hospital of Indiana, Two-day staff training, *The***  
*Nurturing NICU® Workshop*, Ft. Wayne, IN

**2000, October 27, Neonatal Critical Care Update, Overland Park Regional**  
**Health Center, "Touch and it's Importance to the Premature Infant", Overland**  
Park, KS

**2000, September 29, Two and one-half day *Nurturing NICU® Workshop* for**  
Nursing and Non-Nursing Professionals, Kansas City, MO

2000, September 16, Brachial Plexus/Erbs Palsy Conference 2000, St. Joseph  
Health Center, *"Pediatric Massage"*, Kansas City, MO

**2000, May 11, Neonatal Critical Care Update, University of Kansas Medical Center, "Touch and it's Importance to the Premature Infant", Kansas City, KS**  
**2000, March 11, Midwife Means with Woman, Greater Kansas City Chapter, American College of Nurse Midwives, "Infant Massage and Therapeutic Touch", Kansas City, MO**  
**1999:** Two and one-half day *Nurturing NICU® Workshop* for Nursing and Non-Nursing Professionals, Kansas City, MO  
**1999: Dr. Daniel and Doris Aks Obstetrical Symposium, "Infant Massage", Health Midwest, Kansas City, MO**  
**1998: La Leche League Missouri State Conference, "Infant Massage", Jefferson City, MO**  
**1998:** Two and one-half day *Nurturing NICU® Workshop* for Nursing and Non-Nursing Professionals, Kansas City, MO  
**1998: Children's Mercy Hospital, Pediatric Skin Care Conference, "Touch Therapy for the Premature Infant", Kansas City, MO**  
**1998:** Three-Day *Tender Touch® Workshop for Professionals*, St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City, MO  
**1998: International Association of Infant Massage National Conference, "Touch and It's Impact on the Premature Infant", Orlando, FL**  
**1997: Nursing Research Day, St. Luke's Hospital, "The Impact of Touch on the Premature Infant", Kansas City, MO**  
**1995 to Present: Annual Lunch-N-Learn, "Infant Massage", St. Luke's Hospital**  
**1995 to Present: Core II Classes, Intensive Care Nursery, "Touch and the Premature Infant", St. Luke's Hospital**  
**1995: Great Plains Organization Conference, "Premature Infant Massage", Kansas City, MO**  
**1992 to 1998:** Bi-monthly Well Baby Infant Massage Classes, St. Luke's Hospital

## **MEDIA COVERAGE**

**CNN Headline News**, August 17, 1999, "*Preemies Benefit from Loving Touch*"  
**WNYX New York Television Good Day New York** August 15, 1999, "*Lasting Impressions with Infant Massage*"  
**Fox News Focus Four Report**, August 2, 1999, "*Lasting Impressions with Infant Massage*"  
**Kansas City Nursing News**, August 17, 1998, "*Newborns Have Tender Touch*"  
**Time Magazine**: July 27, 1998, "*Touch Early and Often*"  
**KC Parent Magazine**, July 1998, "*Infant Massage*"  
**St. Joseph News-Press**, February 10, 1998, "*The Healing Power of Touch*"  
**St. Luke's Hospital Connections**, First Quarter 1997, "*Baby, Mom Benefit from Tender Touch*"  
**KMBZ Channel 9 Morning News**, October 1996, "*Massage for All Ages*"  
**Lifepoint Newsletter**, September 1995, "*Massage Therapy Program Offers Something for Everyone*"  
**Kansas City Star**, November 7, 1993, "*A Gentle Touch of Love*"

**Medstar Communications Nationally Syndicated News**, August 26, 1993,  
*"Infant Massage"*

### **EDUCATION**

- 2005 Education Specialist Training, Children's Medical Ventures,  
Norwell, MA
- 2005 Infant Massage Instructor Trainer Workshop, International Association of  
Infant Massage, Ventura, CA
- 1992: Certification, Infant Massage, International Association of Infant  
Massage, Crestone, CO
- 1991: Certification, Massage Therapy, Massage Therapy Training Institute,  
Kansas City, MO
- 1981: Associate of Arts, Business Administration, Culver-Stockton College,  
Canton, MO
- 1979: General Education Diploma, Belton Senior High School, Belton, MO

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Associated Bodywork and Massage Professionals  
International Association of Infant Massage  
Association for Pre- & Perinatal Psychology and Health  
American Association for Premature Infants