

**BRENDA MYERS, RN, BSN**  
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**PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

- Retired Cardiac Service Line Director
- Volunteer Cardiac Educator
- 30 Years of Nursing Experience in Cardiac, Adult Critical Care, and Trauma

**CREDENTIALS**

**Texas Compact RN License**

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Divisional Director, The Center for Heart Disease** 2009-2019

*Medical Center Hospital, Odessa Texas*

Service Line Leader responsible for all functions relating to the Cardiac Service line at a 400 bed Hospital. Four cath labs, an EP lab, a vascular service line, In and Outpatient Echo and Vascular Ultrasound as well as Cardiac Rehab Services. Was a charter member of the Texas Purchasing Coalition and the President of the Cardiology CVAT.

**CV Nurse Specialist** 1997-2009

*Medical Center Hospital, Odessa, Texas*

Served in positions of increasing responsibility from Cardiac Catherization Nurse to starting the Electrophysiology lab and serving as the Echo Lab Director and the CV Nurse where the responsibilities included data collection (ACC, STS, Core Measures ) for all of the departments in The Center for Heart Disease and Quality Improvement Projects associated with those departments

**Public Health Nurse** 1996-1997

*Texas Tech Rural Health Clinics, McCamey and Monahans, Texas*

Served as the Public Health Nurse for two large counties in West Texas. Provided prenatal care, immunizations, cancer screenings, public health education and WIC to low income populations.

**Travel Nurse** 1992-1996

*American Mobile Nurses, Texas, Colorado, California*

Worked at Teaching Hospitals in the west in ICU doing Trauma and Cardiac Critical care contracts.

**Critical Care Staff Nurse** 1991-1992

*University Medical Center, Tucson, Arizona*

Completed an Intensive Care Internship to take care of Trauma and Cardiac Critical Care patients and worked in the Trauma ICU.

**Charge Nurse Telemetry** 1990-1991

*University Medical Center, Tucson, Arizona*

Charge Nurse on a 24 bed Telemetry Unit.

**EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Science in Nursing** 2002

*University of Phoenix*

**Associate Degree in Nursing** 1990

*Cuesta College, San Luis Obispo, California*

**Undergrad Student in Animal Science and Ag Management** 1984-1987

*California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo California*

COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Crisis Center	2005-2012
Goodwill of West Texas	2003-2004
Texas Tech Medical School Lecturer	2017-2019

PUBLICATIONS

Percutaneous Balloon Aortic Valvuloplasty: A New Look at an Old Procedure, Jan 2007 Angiology

Twiddling" to the Extreme: Development of Twiddler Syndrome in an Implanted Cardioverter-Defibrillator,  
Mar 2005 Journal of Invasive Cardiology

REFERENCES UPON REQUEST