

# Nicole A. Dean, MSN, BSN, PMHNP-BC

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## Professional Summary

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Talented and qualified board-certified Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner that acts as a patient advocate and is driven to build strong relationships with patients and their families. Seeking opportunities that will cultivate professional growth while promoting preventative, holistic mental health care services in efforts to promote positive patient outcomes across the life span including desired population of children and adolescents.

## Skills

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- Medication management
- Highly effective organizational skills
- Diagnosis and treatment across the life span
- Communicate effectively with the treatment team
- Task-oriented with excellent leadership skills
- Psychiatric population familiarity

## Experience

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**7/2020-12/2020** **Grace Point Behavioral** **Montgomery, AL**  
Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

- Provided psychotropic medication evaluation and management.
- Collaborated with interdisciplinary team members to coordinate patient care.
- Performed mental health evaluations and utilized various psychotherapeutic techniques.

**5/2020-7-2020** **Floyd Medical Center** **Rome, GA**  
Registered Nurse (Contractor)

- Management of medications, ventilators, vasoactive drips, administration of blood products, and wound care.
- Provided direct patient care in COVID-ICU and Medical ICU units, COVID-19 pandemic relief worker.
- Documented patient findings, ensured HIPPA compliance, and utilized EMR system (Cerner).

**2/2014-4/2020** **VA Medical Center** **Montgomery, AL**  
Registered Nurse

- Provided direct patient care in the Emergency Department for veterans having medical and psychiatric health issues.
- Documented patient findings, ensured HIPPA compliance, and utilized EMR systems (CPRS, VISTA).
- Served as charge nurse, triage nurse, and new hire preceptor.

**6/2013-2/2014** **Jackson Hospital** **Montgomery, AL**  
Registered Nurse (Internal Contractor)

- Provided direct patient care in a critical care setting on a 24-bed unit for surgical and cardiac patients.
- Management of medications, ventilators, vasoactive drips, and wound care.
- Documented patient findings, ensured HIPPA compliance, and utilized EMR systems (McKesson, Paragon).

**2/2013-6/2013** **Palmdale Regional Medical Center** **Palmdale, CA**  
Registered Nurse (Contractor)

- Responsible for cardiac and surgical patients in 20 bed critical care unit caring for cardiac.
- Also care for patients experiencing respiratory failure, sepsis, and neurological disorders.
- Documented patient findings, ensured HIPPA compliance, and utilized EMR system (Cerner).
- Served as a student nurse preceptor.

**8/2012-11/2012** **Dominican Hospital** **Santa Cruz, CA**  
Registered Nurse (Contractor)

- Worked primarily in 16-bed critical care unit caring for cardiac and surgical patients.
- Cared for patients experiencing respiratory failure and acute alcohol withdrawal symptoms.
- Documented patient findings, ensured HIPPA compliance, and utilized EMR system (McKesson).

**1/2012-7/2012**

**DaVita Dialysis Center**

**Montgomery, AL**

Dialysis Nurse

- Provided assessment and care to end-stage renal patients at a 27-chair chronic dialysis clinic.
- Managed complications of and accessed grafts, fistulas, and central venous catheters.
- Monitoring and management of hemodynamic.

**2009-2012**

**Jackson Hospital**

**Montgomery, AL**

Registered Nurse

- Provided direct patient care for surgical and cardiac patients in a critical care setting on a 24-bed unit.
- Managed medications ventilators, vasoactive drips, and wound care.
- Served as a charge nurse and nurse preceptor.
- Documented patient findings, ensured HIPPA compliance, and utilized EMR system (McKesson).

**2007-2009**

**Baptist Medical Center South**

**Montgomery, AL**

Registered Nurse

- Served as registered nurse & charge nurse on a 27-bed post-surgical unit, as well as, a 36-bed inpatient psychiatric unit.
- Cared for patients after vascular, reconstructive, and gastrointestinal surgeries.
- Cared for psychiatric patients with acute, chronic, and severe mental illness.
- Documented patient findings, ensured HIPPA compliance, and utilized EMR system (Cerner).

## **Education**

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**Master of Science in Nursing for Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, May 2019**

Eastern Kentucky University

Richmond, KY

**Bachelor of Science in Nursing, May 2007**

Auburn Montgomery

Montgomery, AL

**Bachelor of Arts in Psychology and Communication Studies, May 2002**

Huntingdon College

Montgomery, AL

## **Licensure & Certifications**

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**Alabama Registered Nurse Compact Licensure**

(License #1-114108) Expires 12/2021

**Alabama Advanced Practice Registered Nurse**

(License #1-114108)

**Board-Certified Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner**

(American Nurses Credentialing Center Certification #2019055474)

**Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)**

(American Heart Association)

**Basic Life Support (BLS)**

(American Heart Association)

**Crisis Prevention Institute (CPI)**  
(Certification #NEA5F533)

**Prevention and Management of Disruptive Behavior (PMDB)**  
(Veterans Health Association)

### **Professional Organization Memberships & Honors**

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**American Nurses Association (ANA), October 2019**

**Alabama State Nurses Association (ASNA), October 2019**

**American Psychiatric Nurses Association (APNA), May 2019**

**Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, April 2019**

**Omega Nu Lambda Honor Society, April 2019**

**National Honor Society, March 2019**

**Preceptorships at VA Hospital, Alabama Psychiatry, and Montgomery Area Mental Health Authority**

**References:** Available upon request