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EDUCATION

Ph.D. 1977 Southern Illinois University; Health Education

M.A. 1975 Ball State University; Health Science; Counseling

B.S.E. 1974 State University New York- Cortland; Health

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2007- Associate Dean, Faculty Affairs, College of Health and Human Performance
Higher Education Resources Services Summer Institute for Women in Higher Education,
July 2007.

1994- present

Professor University of Florida, Department of Health Science Education
Associate Director, Center for Spirituality and Health, July 2002- 2006.
Graduate Program Coordinator, -1996

1982 - 1994

Associate Professor University of Florida, Department of Health Science Education
Graduate Program Coordinator, 1978-1996
Interim Department Chair, August, 1986 - August, 1987
Director, Center for Allied Health Education, 1984 - 1987
Visiting professor, Florida University System London Center, Jan-May, 1985.

1977 - 1982

Assistant Professor University of Florida, Department of Health Education.
Graduate Program Coordinator

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS, CO-AUTHORED

- Button JW, Rienzo BA, Croucher, S. *The Quest for Economic Equality: Black Employment in Southern Cities*. The Pennsylvania State University Press, in press.
- Button, JW, Rienzo, BA. *The Politics of Youth, Sex, and Health Care in American Schools*. 2002. Binghamton, NY: Haworth Press. (174 pp)
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- Lafferty GF, Rienzo BA, Varnes J. (1983) *Living Well*. Winston-Salem, NC: Hunter Textbooks, Inc.

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- Rienzo BA, Button JW, Wald KD. 1999. "Culture Wars in the Schools: Conflicts Over Sexual Orientation Issues," in Sharp EB (ed) *Culture Wars and Local Politics*, Lawrence KS: University Press of Kansas, (pp. 100-116).
- Ogletree R, Rienzo BA, Drolet, J, Fetro J. 1999 "An Assessment of 23 Selected School-Based Sexuality Education Curricula with Authors' Comments and Recommendations Related to Research," in Gall JP, Gall MD, and Borg WR. *Applying Educational Research: A Practical Guide* (4th ed), NY: Addison Wesley Longman (pp. 453-466).
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- Rienzo BA. 1990. *Guidelines for School Districts to Implement Sexuality Education into Comprehensive Health Education*, Tallahassee, FL: Florida Department of Education.
- Rienzo BA (ed). 1988. *The Eta Sigma Gamma Monograph Series: The Student Monograph* 4(2).
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- Moody LE, Rienzo BA. 1979. *Stress Versus Distress*. Gainesville, FL: Florida Cooperative Extension Service, Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences, University of Florida.
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CREATIVE WORKS

HIGH FIVE high school nutrition promotion package. Includes thirty-minute videotape based on focus-group research with Florida teenagers, *Teacher's Guide* with ten fully-developed educational plans and resource listing, and poster. Developed 1995-1996.

BE A WELLNESS STAR! preschool health promotion package. Includes student activities, teachers' guide, posters, audiotape story, assessment instrument, teacher training module and videotape. Disseminated to every public preschool site (3000) in Florida. Presented at national meetings, U.S. Department of Agriculture. Developed 1991 - 1994.

CATCH THE WELLNESS BUG! elementary school health promotion package. Includes student activity booklets (6), teachers' guide, poster, stickers, and assessment instrument, videotape. Disseminated to every elementary school (1600) in Florida. Presented at national meetings, including U.S. Department of Agriculture. Videotape received Florida Public Relations Association Award of Distinction, presented May 16, 1993. Developed 1987-1988. Revised, September 30, 1988- June 30, 1989; September 30, 1989- August 30, 1990. Development of videotape for package, 1992-1993.

BE A WELLNESS WINNER! middle school health promotion package. Includes student activity booklet, teachers' guide, poster, assessment instrument. Developed 1990- 1991. Disseminated to every middle school (600) in Florida. Presented at national meetings, including U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Human Sexuality Education Audiotape Series for teen-agers on selected topics in human sexuality education. Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, June-August, 1990.

SERVICE ON EDITORIAL ADVISORY BOARD

Editorial Board, *Journal of Gay and Lesbian Politics*. 2004-2005

Editorial Board, *Journal of Health Education*, 1991-1994.

REVIEWER FOR SCHOLARLY JOURNAL

Journal of School Health, 1985 -

Journal of Health Education, 1990 -

Eta Sigma Gamma Student Monograph, 1985-1993

American Journal of Health Behavior, 1996-2006

PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES

INTERNATIONAL REFEREED

Rienzo BA, Button JW, Wald KD. "School-Based Programs Addressing Gay/Lesbian/Bisexual Youth Issues," The 38th World Congress of the International Council for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, Sport and Dance, July 12, 1995, Gainesville, FL.

Rienzo BA, Hocker AG. "Development of Statewide Health Promotion Activities for Elementary School Students," XIII World Conference on Health Education, August 29, 1988, Houston, TX.

NATIONAL REFEREED

"Creating Safer Schools: Addressing Sexual Orientation Issues," American School Health Association Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, October 16, 2004. (with J Button).

"White Women and Affirmative Action in Employment in the South," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, August 28-31, 2003.

"The Politics of SBHCs: Lessons from our history, strategies for our future" National Assembly on School-Based Health Care Convention, Washington, D.C., June 28, 2003.

“Political Advocacy: Basics for School Health Professionals,” American School Health Association Annual Conference, Charlotte, N.C., October 5, 2002.

"Race, Gender, and Ethnicity: Competition for Employment in Southern Cities," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Boston, August 30, 2002 (with James Button).

"The Impact of Affirmative Action: Black Employees in Southern Cities," Mid-West Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 25, 2002, (with James Button).

“The Politics of Providing Sexual Health Care in American Schools,” American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors, and Therapists, May 5, 2001, San Francisco, CA (with James Button).

“Politics and the Success of School-Based Health Centers,” American School Health Association Annual Convention, October 25, 2000, New Orleans, LA (with Barbara Rienzo).

“Sex, Kids, and Politics: Reproductive Health Care in American Schools,” Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 30, 2000, Chicago, IL (with James Button and Kenneth Wald).

“Schools and Social Change: Addressing Gay and Lesbian Youth Issues,” National Convention of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, March 24, 2000, Orlando, FL.

“Politics of Sustaining School-Based Clinics,” 1999 American School Health Association Conference, October 28, 1999, Kansas City, MO.

“Sexual Orientation and Educational Politics: Gay and Lesbian Representation in American Schools,” Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 4, 1999, Atlanta GA.

“A Cross-Generational Look at the Evolving Role of the Health Educator,” 1999 AAHPERD Convention, April 22, 1999, Boston MA.

Moore MJ, Rienzo BA. “The Effect of State Sexuality Education Mandates: A Comparison of Required and Elective Courses in One State,” American Public Health Association annual meeting, November 10, 1997, Indianapolis, IN.

Rienzo BA, Button JW. “Responses of Local School Officials to Sexual Orientation Initiatives: A National Study,” Research Council presentation, American School Health Association annual convention, October 24, 1997, Daytona Beach, FL.

Moore MJ, Rienzo BA. “The Importance of Teacher Attitudes in the Implementation of

School-Based Sexuality Education” Research Council presentation, American School Health Association annual convention, October 24, 1997, Daytona Beach, FL.

Fraze C, Rienzo BA. “High 5 and Calcium: Teen-Generated Nutrition Messages,” Florida Conference on School Health, Kissimmee, FL, May 13, 1997.

Moore MJ, Rienzo BA. “State Sexuality Education Mandates: Compliance in One State,” American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, St. Louis, MO, March 21, 1997.

Rienzo BA, Fraze C. “Disseminating Nutrition Promotion Program Materials—Florida’s Nutrition Education and Training Experiences,” American School Health Association Conference, St. Louis, MO, November 1, 1996.

Rienzo BA, Button J. “Politics and School Health,” American School Health Association Conference, St. Louis, MO, November 1, 1996.

Moore MJ, Rienzo BA. “The Nature and Scope of Sexuality Education in Florida Public High Schools,” American School Health Association Conference, St. Louis, MO, November 1, 1996.

Rienzo BA, Button J, Wald K. "School District Programs Related to Sexual Orientation: A National Study," American School Health Association Conference, Milwaukee, WI, October 26, 1995.

James DCS, Rienzo B, Fraze C. "Developing a Nutrition Promotion Packet for High School Students," American School Health Association Conference, Milwaukee, WI, October 26, 1995.

Moore MJ, Rienzo BA. “Sexual Harassment Policies in Florida School Districts,” American School Health Association Convention, Milwaukee, WI, October 28, 1995.

Wald KD, Button JW, Rienzo BA. “The Politics of Gay Rights in American Communities: Explaining Antidiscrimination Ordinances and Policies.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, September, 1995.

Fraze C, Rienzo BA, James D, Maple M. “Changing Teens’ Eating Habits,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Nutrition Education, Washington DC, July 17, 1995.

Fetro JV, Drolet JC, Olgetree RJ, Rienzo BA. “Evaluating Sexuality Education Curricula for Comprehensiveness and Potential Effectiveness: A Workshop,” American School Health Association Conference, Houston, TX, October 8, 1994.

Button J, Rienzo B, Wald K. “The Politics of Gay Rights in American Communities,” Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New York, September 1,

1994.

Rienzo BA, Frazee C. "Be A Wellness Star!", Annual Meeting of the American Home Economics Association, San Diego, CA, June 21, 1994.

Rienzo BA, Frazee C. "NET Health Promotion Resources for Preschool, Elementary, and Middle School Students." American School Health Association National Convention, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2, 1993.

Rienzo BA, Button JW. "Planning for Controversy: Learning from the Experience of School-Based Clinics," American School Health Association National Convention, Orlando, FL, October 9, 1992.

Rienzo BA, Frazee C, Young AS. "Be A Wellness Star!" American School Health Association National Convention, Orlando, FL, October 10, 1992.

Rienzo BA. "Teaching Techniques Forum," American School Health Association National Convention, Orlando, FL, October 9, 1992. (Presider)

Rienzo, BA. "HIV/AIDS Research: ASHA Research Council Presentations," American School Health Association National Convention, Dearborn, MI, October 19, 1991. (Presider)

Dorman SM, Collins ME, Rienzo BA. "Bridges to School Health: Building Partnerships with School Librarians," American School Health Association National Convention, Long Beach, CA, October 18, 1990.

Rienzo BA. "Findings of the Florida School Health Education Survey," American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Convention, New Orleans, LA, April 1, 1990.

Chen W, Rienzo BA, Dorman SM, Varnes JW, D'Annunzio D, Hocker AG. "The Impact of a Competency-Based Health Education Inservice on Teachers' Perceived Competencies," American Public Health Association National Convention, Chicago, IL, October 25, 1989.

Bentrup K, Dorman SM, Rienzo BA, Small P. "Team Pack: A Cooperative Learning Technique for HIV Education," American School Health Association National Convention, Chicago, IL, October 19, 1989.

Rienzo BA, Frazee C, Hocker AG. "Catch the Wellness Bug--Health Promotion for Florida Elementary Schools," American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Convention, Boston, MA, April 21, 1989.

Drolet J, Fetro J, Rienzo BA, Perryman J. "Adolescent Fears: A Comparative Study," American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Convention,

Boston, MA, April 22, 1989.

Rienzo BA. "Teen-Age Pregnancy: Classroom Strategies for Prevention," American School Health Association National Convention, Orlando, FL, September 30, 1988.

Rienzo BA. "How to Apply the Process of Moral Reasoning to Ethical Issues in Health Education," American School Health Association National Convention, Orlando, FL, September 30, 1988.

Rienzo BA, Dorman SM. "The Impact of AIDS on the Health Education Profession," Society for Public Health Education National Convention, New Orleans, LA, October 24, 1987.

Rienzo BA. "Hopeful Alternatives for the Nuclear Age--Peace Education," American School Health Association National Convention, Indianapolis, IN, October 8, 1987.

Rienzo BA. "Politics and Sex Education," American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors, and Therapists National Convention, New York, NY, May 1, 1987.

Rienzo BA. "Life Skills Courses in Sarasota County, Florida," American School Health Association National Convention, Pittsburgh, PA, October 11, 1984.

Moody L, Rienzo BA. "An Interactive Model for Health Promotion," Society of Prospective Medicine National Convention, Atlanta, GA, October 28, 1983.

Rienzo BA. "U.S. Department of Education Prevention Program on Drug and Alcohol Abuse," American School Health Association National Convention, Louisville, KY, October 14, 1983.

Rienzo BA. "Issues in the Use of Contraception," American School Health Association National Convention, Phoenix, AZ, October 7, 1982.

Rienzo BA. "Provision of Health Education Through Internships in Clinics and Outreach Programs," American College Health Association National Convention, Seattle, WA, April 17, 1982.

Rienzo BA. "Selecting Professional Courses for a Major in Health Education," American School Health Association National Convention, Washington, DC, October 15, 1981.

Rienzo BA. "Health Promotion in the Workplace--A Model for Evaluation," Sixth National Wellness Promotion Strategies Conference, Stevens Point, WI, July 22, 1981.

Rienzo BA. "Use of a Health Risk Assessment Model for Adolescents," Fifth National Wellness Promotion Strategies Conference, Stevens Point, WI, July 23, 1980.

Rienzo BA. "Health Education for Adolescents," American Public Health Association National Convention, New York, NY, November 7, 1979.

Moody L, Rienzo BA. "Development of a Computerized Health Risk Reduction Model for Adolescents," Society for Prospective Medicine National Convention, St. Petersburg, FL, October 6, 1979.

Vitello EM, Rienzo BA. "Stages of Development of Evaluating Resource Materials in a Patient Education Program," American College Health Association National Convention, Washington, DC, May 24, 1979.

Vitello EM, Rienzo BA. "The Development of Patient Education Resource Materials," American College Health Association Convention, New Orleans, LA, March 31, 1978.

INTERNATIONAL INVITED

Rienzo BA. "Health Counseling: Its Relationship to and Implications for School Health Education," International Symposium on Health Education for Adolescents and Young Adults, Taipei, Taiwan, ROC, December 13, 1991.

Rienzo BA. "Professional Preparation Issues in Health Counseling," International Symposium on Health Education for Adolescents and Young Adults, Taipei, Taiwan, ROC, December 14, 1991.

NATIONAL INVITED

Rienzo BA, Button J. "Reproductive Health Care: Keeping Perspective," Creating Connections for Youth: The Role of School-Based Health Services (sponsored by the New York State Department of Health, the Coalition for School-Based Primary Care, and the Columbia University School of Public Health), New York, NY, October 24, 1995.

Rienzo BA (presider). "Research Perspectives on School-Based Health Clinics," American School Health Association Conference, Milwaukee, WI, October 26, 1995.

Rienzo BA. "Comprehensive School Health: Raising Healthy Children and Youth," 1995 National PTA Convention, Orlando, FL, June 13, 1995.

Rienzo BA. "Sexuality Education, HIV/AIDS Education Curriculum Issues," American Association of School Administrators, National School Boards Association, and Florida Department of Education Conference: Teens and AIDS: Increasingly Vulnerable, Sarasota, FL, September 18, 1992.

Moody L, Rienzo BA. "Is Computerized Health Risk Assessment A Useful Health Promotion Strategy for Adolescents?" Wellness Promotion Strategies Workshop V, Singer Island, FL, August 7, 1980.

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EXTRAMURAL AWARDS

“Blacks and Employment: The Impact of Affirmative Action,” The Russell Sage Foundation, May, 2000- December 2002. \$34,217, 2000-2001 (Co-Principal Investigator, J Button, P.I.).

Rienzo BA (P.I.), Button JW, Wald KD (Co-P.I.). “The Politics of Innovation in Education: School-Based Health Care,” The Spencer Foundation, Chicago, IL. May 1, 1998-July 31, 1999. \$12,000.

Rienzo BA. Duplicating, Disseminating, Training, and Evaluating Nutrition Education Promotional Module for High School Students. Florida Department of Education Nutrition Education and Training Program, Tallahassee, FL. October 1, 1995-October 31, 1996. \$45,900.00

Rienzo, BA (P.I.), James, D.C.S. (Co-P.I.), "Researching, developing, pilot-testing, and evaluating nutrition education promotional module for high school students," Florida Department of Education, Nutrition Education and Training Program, Tallahassee, FL, October 1, 1994- October 31, 1995, \$49,800.00

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$76,500.00 "Revision of Wellness Star Preschool Project and Development of Videotape," Florida Department of Education, Nutrition Education and Training, August 1, 1993 - August 31, 1994.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$54,500.00 "Development, Revision, Dissemination, and Assessment of "Catch the Wellness Bug!" Florida Department of Education, Nutrition Education and Training, July, 1992- September 1993.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$44,500.00, "Development, Dissemination, and Assessment of 'Living Well in Florida' Teacher's Guides and Activity Modules for Preschool, Elementary, and Middle School Students," Florida Department of Education, Nutrition Education and Training (NET), July 1, 1991 - September 30, 1992.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$28,500.00, "Development, Dissemination and Assessment of 'Living Well in Florida' Teacher's Guides and Activity Modules for Elementary and Middle School Students," Florida Department of Education Nutrition Education and Training for 1) revision, state-wide dissemination, and evaluation of "Catch The Wellness Bug!" health promotion materials package for elementary school children; and 2) development, state-wide dissemination, and evaluation of "Be a Wellness Winner!" health promotion materials package for middle school children, August 15, 1990- September 30, 1991.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$10,000. "Development of Florida Department of HRS Audiotape Scripts." Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services for the development and field-testing of scripts for audiotapes on human sexuality topics for middle school students, June 29, 1990 - August 31, 1991.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$10,000, (Dorman SM, Co-P.I.) from Metropolitan Life Foundation "Healthy Me" Award to improve health education program, Highlands County Schools, October 1, 1989-August 30, 1990.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$18,600. Florida Department of Education, Nutrition Education and Training. Revision, Dissemination, and Assessment of "Living Well in Florida--Catch the Wellness Bug!" Project, September 30, 1989- August 30, 1990.

Rienzo BA, Co- Principal Investigator. \$500.00. Florida Department of Education Prevention Center for the study of school health education in Florida (with S.M. Dorman and R.M. Pigg), 1988-89.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$12,300. Florida Department of Education, Nutrition Education and Training. Revision, Dissemination, and Analysis of "Living Well in Florida-Catch the Wellness Bug!" Project; health promotion package for elementary school students. September 30, 1988- June 30, 1989.

Rienzo BA, Co-Principal Investigator. \$10,000. "Healthy Me" Award from the Metropolitan Life Foundation for in-service training of selected health teachers from Palm Beach and Sarasota Counties, October, 1987 (with W.W. Chen (Co-P.I.), S.M. Dorman, J. Varnes).

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$15,034.00. Florida Department of Education, Nutrition Education and Training for the development and dissemination of elementary school materials for "Living Well in Florida Month," September, 1987- June, 1988.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$100.00. "Operation: Healthy Lungs." Eta Sigma Gamma, National Health Science Honorary Organization, Muncie, IN, December 15, 1984.

INTRAMURAL AWARDS

Rienzo, B.A. Instructional Development Award, College of Health and Human Performance, \$40.00, January, 2003.

Rienzo BA. Instructional Development Award, College of Health and Human Performance, \$726.00, January, 2001.

Rienzo BA. Research Incentive Program Support, College of Health and Human

Performance, \$1000.00, Spring-Summer, 2001.

Rienzo BA. Support for Course Development, UF Spirituality and Health Group, \$5000.00, August, 2000- April, 2001.

Rienzo BA. Instructional Development Award, College of Health and Human Performance, \$250.00, 2000.

Rienzo BA. Instructional Development Award, College of Health and Human Performance, \$494.95, November 1999.

Rienzo BA. Instructional Development Award, College of Health and Human Performance, \$250.00, March 1999.

Rienzo BA. "Developing Cultural Sensitivity in Health Counseling," College of Health and Human Performance Instructional Development Award, \$470.00, February, 1997.

Rienzo BA. "Violence Prevention Program for African American Females," Instructional Development Award, College of Health and Human Performance, \$499.00, March 20, 1995.

Rienzo BA, Wald KD, Button JW. "Study of the Impact of Gay Rights Initiatives at the Local Level," 1994 Research Development Award, UF Division of Sponsored Research, \$23,329.00, May 1, 1994- April 30, 1995.

Rienzo BA, Recipient. \$1,913.55. College of Health and Human Performance Instructional Development Award, March, 1992 (with S. Dorman, W. Chen, D. Lee).

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$1,000.00. "Investigation of the Establishment and Implementation of School-Based Clinics in the United States," University of Florida Division of Sponsored Research Contingency Fund, Gainesville, FL, February - December, 1992.

Rienzo BA, Recipient. \$490.50. College of Health and Human Performance Instructional Development Award, January, 1991.

Rienzo BA, Recipient. \$665.00. College of Health and Human Performance Instructional Development Award, October, 1989.

Rienzo BA, Recipient. \$475.00. Division of Sponsored Research, University of Florida. Funding to seek support for AmFAR Proposal from U.S. Centers for Disease Control (Dr. Laura Kann) and Florida Department of Education Prevention Center (Dr. John Winn), November 1, 1988.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$4,574.00. Division of Sponsored Research, University of Florida, for purchase of the Apple II Microcomputer for the Department of

Health Education and the Center for Physical and Motor Fitness, University of Florida, 1981.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$4,767.00. "Seed Money Award" Graduate School and the Division of Sponsored Research, University of Florida, 1980.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$5,000.00 for one, 1/3-time graduate research assistant for one year. Graduate School and the Division of Sponsored Research, University of Florida, August, 1980- May, 1981.

Rienzo BA, Principal Investigator. \$250.00. Travel support. Graduate School and Division of Sponsored Research, University of Florida, November, 1979.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS: NATIONAL

Association for the Advancement of Health Education

American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors, and Therapists (1985-1995)

American School Health Association (Life Member)

Eta Sigma Gamma, National Professional Health Science Honorary, (Life Member)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Professional Health Educator of the Year, American Association for Health Education, April, 2001

Department of Health Science Education Leadership Award, April, 2001.

University of Florida Research Foundation Professorship, 1997-1999.

Teacher of the Year, Department of Health Science Education, 1997.

Faculty Research Award, Department of Health Science Education, University of Florida, 1995.

UF Teaching Improvement Program award, 1995

University of Florida Teacher of the Year Award, 1994.

Teacher of the Year Award, Department of Health Science Education, 1994.

William R. Jones Most Valuable Mentor Award, Florida Education Fund (McKnight Foundation Award), 1993.

Governor's Conference on Business Responds to AIDS, Orlando, FL, October 21, 1993.
(Invited by Governor Lawton Chiles)

Outstanding Alumna Award, Department of Physiology and Health Science, Ball State University, 1993.

Faculty Leadership Award, Department of Health Science Education, 1993.

Governor's Red-Ribbon Panel on AIDS, 1992-1993. (Appointed as one of 11 members by Governor Lawton Chiles)

National Distinguished Service Award, Eta Sigma Gamma (National Health Science Honorary), 1992.

Faculty Research Award, Department of Health Science Education, 1991.

National Distinguished Service Award, American School Health Association, 1990.

Teacher of the Year, College of Health and Human Performance, 1989.

Teacher of the Year, Department of Health Science Education, 1989.

Fellow, American School Health Association, 1989.

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 1985.

Taylor Dodson Young Professional Award, Southern District of the American Alliance for HPERD, 1986.

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