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From 2011-2014 she served as the Secretary of the University of Pittsburgh Senate and Senate liaison to the Board of Trustees, Health Sciences Committee. She has served as a pro-tem member of the Tenure and Academic Freedom Committee since 2008 and Senate faculty representative from GSPH from 2008-2011.

She is a Fellow, American Academy of Nursing; AIDS United Public Policy Committee, Washington, DC; Distinguished Alumnus, University of Pittsburgh, School of Nursing (2004); Pennsylvania State University, School of Nursing Distinguished Alumni (2001); HRSA, HIV/AIDS Bureau Outstanding Performance Award (2000); Association of Nurses in AIDS Care, HIV Educator Award (2002); AIDS Nursing Leadership Award (2008) and in 2010, the University of Pittsburgh, Chancellor's Public Service Award.

She has been recognized by national organizations, universities, and federal agencies for her leadership, expertise, and continued commitment to serving and improving the care for persons with HIV disease and the underserved. She has served on regional and national boards, and engages legislators, government officials, and other leaders to improve access to care, reduce disparities, and improve health of individuals and communities.