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**CAREER  
SUMMARY**

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Senior executive with a broad spectrum of global health experience. Successful leader with a strong record of accomplishments in strategic planning, fundraising, advocacy, corporate communications, health systems strengthening, and management of complex programs in both the public and private sector. Highly regarded advisor who has served on international boards, high-level committees and multi-agency working groups. Technical expertise in key global health issues including health system strengthening, pre-service education, reproductive health, child health and HIV/AIDS.

**PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS**

**Senior Global Health Advisor (Consultant)**

Washington, DC  
March, 2010 – present

Has provided strategic planning, advocacy and communications support in key global health areas including health systems strengthening, pre-service education, maternal-child health, reproductive health/family planning, clinical services and HIV/AIDS.

**IntraHealth International**

Chapel Hill, NC  
April, 2007 – March, 2010

Director, Capacity Project

Provided strategic and technical leadership to the USAID-funded 5 yr flagship health systems strengthening project, a \$250 million global cooperative agreement; represented the Project at senior levels externally with partners, donors and NGO/PVOs.

**Key Accomplishments:**

- Led the technical and strategic agenda to a successful conclusion meeting all key performance indicators and exceeding most
- Led the successful transition of 5 country programs to Associate Awards
- Led the mid term evaluation process which resulted in an outstanding project rating from external evaluators
- Successfully negotiated for Intrahealth to co-lead the 2005 Global Health Council annual meeting
- Strengthened partnerships at both the global and country levels and with key organizations including the Global Health Workforce Alliance, WHO and the World Bank
- Led the design and partnership building for the 5 year, \$300 million follow-on project which was awarded to the Intrahealth partnership

Vice President

Through participation in the IntraHealth Executive Leadership Team provided leadership re the organization's strategic planning, financial stability and visibility.

**Key Accomplishments:**

- Contributed to annual strategic planning
- Identified opportunities for Intrahealth to increase organizational visibility
- Identified potential new Board members
- Represented the organization at senior level meetings
- Provided analysis of political issues' potential impact on the organization
- Contributed to technical documents

**IntraHealth International**Director of Technical Resources

Chapel Hill, NC  
2006 to April, 2007

Ensures achievement of the USAID-funded 5 yr cooperative agreement, Capacity Project, technical objectives, including core and field support workplan and performance monitoring plan objectives, ensures cohesion in the technical vision and leadership areas, provides leadership for selected core activities and oversight for others, provides mentoring and problem solving across technical areas, serves as a member of the senior leadership team and represents the project at senior levels externally.

**Program for Appropriate Technology in Health (PATH),**Vice President and Director

Washington, DC  
1997 to 2006

*PATH, a global health-focused non-profit, works in more than 100 countries worldwide, has more than 460 staff and \$87 million in annual revenues.*

Provided leadership for strategic planning, systems improvement, capacity building, risk management and application of analyses of international public health trends. Executive leadership included forging collaborative partnerships with international non-governmental, public- and private-sector organizations, country leaders and donors including USAID, the U.S. Peace Corps, The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, the Packard Foundation, the World Health Organization (WHO), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), and the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF).

**Key Accomplishments:**

- Led PATH's HIV, TB and Malaria program portfolio including monitoring program quality and integration of best practices
- Strengthened and expanded collaborative partnerships with donors, colleague organizations, the media, U.S. and international governments.
- Expanded global health programs for adolescent sexual and reproductive health, women's health, HIV/AIDS and tuberculosis.
- Facilitated collaborative leadership in systems strengthening and capacity building, as well as in development, implementation, and evaluation of effective and innovative strategies.
- Recruited key technical leaders in RH and FP, HIV, TB, microbicides advocacy,

- gender and maternal health.
- Provided organizational leadership for enhancing mentoring for young professionals and systems to increase effectiveness and efficiency.
  - Increased senior staff retention through expanded flexible work arrangements, including telecommuting, teleconferencing, and flex time.
  - Expanded program advocacy and policy initiatives.
  - Led private and public sector business development and fundraising.
  - Designed and implemented three large-scale projects funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation: *The African Youth Alliance project* (5 yrs, four African countries, grant total - \$57 million); *the China Youth Program* (5 yrs, reach to 8.8 million youth, grant total \$7 million); and *Interact* (3 yrs, 6 provinces of India, grant total \$5 million). Also increased the number and amount of PATH DC's other private sector funds.
  - Provided leadership for USAID HIV-focused grants: *AIDSMARK*, *Horizons*, *Impact* (for \$15 million), *PEPFAR* grants (Scouting for Solutions – 5 yrs, 3 African countries, \$10 million), *Human Capacity Development project* (5 yrs, global, \$700,000).
  - Led the design of one of the first community-based HIV prevention projects funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation: *Tarang* (4 years, 6 states in India, grant total - \$5.4 million)

**Advances in Health Technology,**  
Director of Education and Training

Washington, DC  
1996 to 1997

**Key Accomplishments**

- Managed the dissemination of information for a new, controversial drug, *Mifepristone*, to potential consumers and clinical providers.
- Designed and implemented training programs for physicians and nurses.
- Accompanied the president of the organization on calls to prospective donors, seeking support for promoting the product to medical schools and clinical provider networks.

**Center for Population, Health and Nutrition, USAID**  
Senior Advisor

Washington, DC  
1992 to 1996

**Key Accomplishments:**

- Provided senior level technical guidance in reproductive health planning, implementation and evaluation including development of contraceptive technology guidelines.
- Assisted USAID field missions and other collaborating agencies in managing the delivery of reproductive health services in developing countries.
- Led the preparation of executive briefing materials on reproductive health issues; reviewed and edited technical materials including clinical protocols and manuals; acted as a resource for clinical field staff; and managed contracts and agreements.

- Led the design of USAID/Population, Health, Nutrition Center's first global project for adolescent reproductive health (1994 to 1995), and succeeded in getting Congressional approval for funding.
- Chaired the USAID/PHN Center Post Abortion Care Working Group resulting in post abortion care as a focus area for PHN contracts and cooperative agreements.
- Chaired the Reproductive Tract Infection working group responsible for developing a USAID/PHN strategy for STI/HIV prevention and related services.
- Represented USAID on the Maximizing Access and Quality (MAQ) Initiative committee to improve client-provider interactions.
- Evaluated clinical protocols for women's reproductive health programs.

**U.S. Peace Corps**  
International Health Manager

Washington, DC  
1990 to 1992

**Key Accomplishments**

- Managed the delivery of health care services to Peace Corps volunteers worldwide.
- Delivered training programs to Peace Corps Medical Officers (physicians and nurses) deployed to overseas posts in standards of care.
- Introduced guidelines for addressing sexually transmitted infections, including hepatitis B, gonorrhea, syphilis, and HIV/AIDS.
- Monitored the effectiveness of the Peace Corps contraceptive support for volunteers.

**Development Associates**  
Project Director/Nurse Practitioner Training Coordinator

Arlington, VA  
1985-1990

**Key Accomplishments**

- Led first HIV/AIDS education program for the Department of State's supervisory staff.
- Supervised international Women's Health Nurse Practitioner Training programs.
- Developed FP/RH curricula and other training materials; provided direct FP training.

**Earlier Clinical Work Experience**  
Service Provider and Counselor

Arlington, VA  
1973 to 1985

**Key Accomplishments:**

- Provided direct public health client services to women and children in metropolitan Washington, DC and surrounding areas.
- Trained clinical staff in the promotion of public health services and referral.

Coordinator, Burn Unit, University of Pennsylvania Hospital

Philadelphia, PA  
1971-1973

Coordinator, Intensive Care Unit, University of Pennsylvania Hospital

Philadelphia, PA  
1969-1971

Clinical Manager, High Risk Maternal-Infant Care Project

New York, New York  
1968-1971

<u>Peace Corps Volunteer, Ecuador</u>	1966-1968
<u>Director, Bellevue Hospital Emergency Ward</u>	New York, New York
	1963-1966

### **INTERNATIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE**

Armenia, Barbados, Bolivia, Botswana, Brazil, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guatemala, Haiti, India, Jamaica, Jordan, Kenya, Mauritius, Mexico, Peru, Philippines, Rwanda, Southern Sudan, St. Lucia, Tanzania, Thailand, Trinidad, Uganda, Vietnam. *Spanish language fluency*

### **EDUCATION**

**M.S.N**, *with distinction*, Nursing, **Catholic University of America**, Washington, DC.  
**B.A.**, *with honors*, Spanish/Anthropology, **University of Pennsylvania**, Philadelphia, PA

### **MEMBER/BOARD AFFILIATIONS/AWARDS**

Christian Connections for International Health	2010
White Ribbon Alliance	2000 - 2006
Global Health Council	1998 – 2009
University of Michigan Population Fellows Advisory Board	2000 - 2006
PATH President’s Award for outstanding leadership	1998
USAID Superior Unit Leadership citation	1995
Emmett Cocke Social Justice Award	1995

### **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS, PRESENTATIONS AND ACTIVITIES**

Anne Wilson, Comprehensive Review of USAID’s Support for Pre-service Education during the Past Twenty five Years: for Abt Associates Health Systems 20/20 Program. Bethesda, MD, May 2011.

Paul Marsden and Anne Wilson, Ghana Pre-service Education Assessment: Final Report. Capacity Plus Project USAID. October 4-15, 2010.

Wilson, McCaffery, Stilwell, *The Lancet*, “Non physician clinicians in sub-Saharan Africa.” May 10, 2008.

*Creating and Sustaining Collaborative Alliances: A Practical Guide*, PATH, 2003

Wilson A. Cost and Quality of Reproductive Health Programs. Presentation at Population Association of America Annual Conference, 2001.

Wilson A. When the Client is an Adolescent. Presentation at China Quality of Care Seminar, 2000.

Wilson A. What Do Adolescents Really Want to Know? Psychosocial Workshop on Reproductive Health, 1999.

Contributing author: *Preventing AIDS: The Design of Effective Programs*. Ronald O, Valdisseri NJ, Rutgers University Press: Piscataway, NJ, 1989.

Contributing author: *Contraceptive Technology, 1994-98*. Hatcher R, Trussell J, Stewart F, Stewart G, et al. Irvington Publishers, Inc.: New York, 1998.

Wilson A. *AIDS Protocols for Reproductive Health Care Settings*. National Family Planning and Reproductive Health Association: Washington, D.C., 1987.

Wilson A. "The Reproductive Health Awareness Model: A Qualitative Perspective," *Advances in Contraception*, 1997; 13:339-342.

Contributing author: *The Cesarean Experience: Theoretical and Clinical Perspectives*. Appleton, Century, Croft, Inc.: New York, 1981.

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