

### Education

2013	MN	University of Calgary, AB
1998	BSN	University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, SK

### Licensure and Certification

Current	Registered Nurse	College and Association of Registered Nurses of Alberta
2010	Advanced Studies in Critical Care Nursing Certificate	Mount Royal University, Calgary, AB

### Academic Appointments

2015	Interim Director	University of Calgary, Faculty of Nursing, Clinical Simulation Learning Centre, Calgary, AB
2012-present	Instructor	University of Calgary, Faculty of Nursing, Calgary, AB

### Research Funding

2016-2018	<i>Teaching And Learning Safe Medication Administration in Undergraduate Nursing Education: Identifying Critical Issues and Fostering Safe Practice.</i> PI: Hnatyshyn, T.; Co-Is: <b>Ens, T.</b> , Estefan, A., Kirkpatrick, M. University of Calgary - Taylor Institute Teaching and Learning Grant	\$31,290
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### Presentations, Refereed

1. Kirkpatrick, M., Hnatyshyn, T., **Ens, T.**, Estefan, A., & Patel, P. (2018, February). *Lessons learned: Administering medications in a complex environment*. Paper presented at the Western & North-Western Region Canadian Association of Schools of Nursing Conference, Calgary, Canada.
2. Goldsworthy, S., **Ens, T.**, & Morgan, P. (2017, June). *The impact of CPR booster training among undergraduate nursing students*. Paper presented at the International Nursing Association for Clinical Simulation & Learning, Washington, DC.

3. Mannion, C., **Ens, T.**, Poelzer, K., Bang, R., Ortiz, M. M., & Woods, P. (2017, April). *The quality of life for families with children using the ketogenic diet for treatment of epilepsy*. Poster presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> London-Innsbruck Colloquium on Status Epilepticus and Acute Seizures, Salzburg, Austria.
4. Sedgwick, L., **Ens, T.**, Pascal, S., Kitt, C., & Garcia, S. (2017, February). *Bridging the gap between lab and clinical: A simulation integration pilot project*. Poster presented at the Western and Northern Region Canadian Association of Schools of Nursing Conference, Victoria, Canada.
5. Hnatyshyn, T., **Ens, T.**, Estefan, A., Kirkpatrick, M., & Patel, P. (2017, February). *Learning how to learn, learning how to teach: An action research inquiry into teaching and learning about medication errors*. Paper presented at the Western & North-Western Region Canadian Association of Schools of Nursing Conference, Victoria, Canada.
6. Huynh, D., An, M., Lee, O., Mannion, C., & **Ens, T.** (2016, November). *Questioning the use of bedrails to prevent falls of adults in long term care*. Poster presented at the Margaret Scott Wright Research/Canadian Nursing Students' Conference, Edmonton, Canada.
7. Tait, S., Bernal Contreras, I., Sinclair, H., **Ens, T.**, & Mannion, C. (2016, November). *Evaluating the necessity of prophylactic erythromycin for neonatal eye infection*. Paper presented at the Margaret Scott Wright Research and Innovation Day, Edmonton, Canada.
8. Oh, Y., Yeon, J.J., **Ens, T.**, & Mannion, C. (2016, September). *A review of the effect of nurses' use of smartphones to improve patient care in acute care*. Poster presented at the Campus Alberta Student Conference on Health, Calgary, Canada.
9. Parker, S., Smith-McDonald, L., & **Ens, T.** (2016, June). *Trauma informed care: A simulation utilizing a female Canadian Afghanistan veteran*. Poster presented at the International Nursing Association for Clinical Simulation and Learning Conference, Washington, DC.
10. **Ens, T.**, Prince, P., & Stefura, J. (2016, May). *The creative platform of simulation for learning emergency healthcare situations: Utilizing inter-professional education*. Paper presented at the University of Calgary Learning and Teaching Conference, Calgary, Canada.
11. Parker, S., Smith-McDonald, L., & **Ens, T.** (2016, March). *"I hear guns in my head and they won't go": Application of trauma informed care*. Paper presented at the College and Association of Registered Nurses of Alberta Centennial Conference, Edmonton, Canada.
12. Ferreira, C., **Ens, T.**, Simpson, M., & Sosa-Ponce, M. (2015, May). *Behind the scenes: A glimpse into why simulation works*. Poster presented at the University of Calgary Conference on Postsecondary Learning and Teaching, Calgary, Canada.
13. Mannion, C., & **Ens, T.** (2015, April). *Dietary supplements and prescription medication use in older adults: A systematic review*. Poster presented at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics European Region Congress, Dublin, Ireland.
14. Bang, R., Ortiz, M., Poelzer, K., Woods, P., **Ens, T.**, & Mannion, C. (2014, November) *The Ketogenic diet and the quality of life of families with children who have epilepsy*. Paper presented at the Margaret Scott Wright Conference, Edmonton, Canada.

### **Publications, Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles**

1. Singh, P., **Ens, T.**, Hayden, K. A., Sinclair, S., LeBlanc, P., Chohan, M., & King-Shier, K. M. (2018). Retention of ethnic participants in longitudinal studies. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health, 20*(4), 1011-1024. doi:10.1007/s10903-017-0618-0
2. Singh, P., Hayden, K. A., **Ens, T.**, Khan, N., Quan, H., Plested, D., . . . King-Shier, K. M. (2017). Ethno-cultural preferences in receipt of heart health information. *American Journal of Health Behavior, 41*(2), 114-126. doi:10.5993/ajhb.41.2.2
3. **Ens, T. A.**, Seneviratne, C. C., Jones, C., & King-Shier, K. M. (2014). Factors influencing medication adherence in South Asian people with cardiac disorders: An ethnographic study. *International Journal of Nursing Studies, 51*(11), 1472-1481. doi:10.1016/j.ijnurstu.2014.02.015
4. **Ens, T. A.**, Seneviratne, C. C., Jones, C., Green, T. L., & King-Shier, K. M. (2014). South Asians' cardiac medication adherence. *European Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing, 13*(4), 357-368. doi:10.1177/1474515113498187