

# BRENDA CLEARY, MSC. RN

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Masters Prepared Nurse fluent in French, English and Spanish.

## Experience

### **Nurse Researcher, Shriners Hospital for Children Montreal** January 2019-Current

- Inclusive nursing practice for children with complex healthcare needs developed with Dr. Warren Linds, Dr. Elizabeth Fast and Dr. Argerie Tsimicalis, Shriners Hospital/Concordia
- **Major contracts Sept 2016-Dec 2018:** First Nation Youth Well-being Indicators: *First Nations Information Governance Centre & McGill University's Department of Transcultural Psychiatry*  
First author Pittsburgh municipal government policy on childhood lead poisoning: *CC Incorporated; Concordia University's Indigenous Directions Leadership Group; War-affected Youth Family Social Work Interventions. FRSQ; McGill University Institute for Human Development and Well-being*

### **Pediatric ICU Nurse: Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario** October 2020- January 2021

### **Geriatric/Palliative Care Private Duty Nurse** Montréal June 2019-September 2020

### **Labor and Delivery Translator/Perinatal Doula** Denver/Montreal Area January 2009- July 2020

- Trained doula, lactation educator and L &D Spanish-English translator: *St. Anthony's North Hospital, Private clients and Montreal Doula Collective.*

### **Summer Arts Program Director**, Digital Media Academy, July 2016 - September 2016 Montreal, QC

- Managed \$200,000 in assets, staff, and curriculum delivery for 300+ students

### **Program Director**, Project YES! Youth Envisioning Social Change July 2014 - July 2016 Greater Denver area, CO

- Recruited, hired, managed, trained staff and volunteers delivering programs for 520 participants; Collaboratively drafted curriculum; Founded community social work internship program; Secured \$60,000 increase in budget; Managed payroll and budget

### **Director and Artist In Residence**, Trillium Connections LLC May 2007 - October 2013 Greater Denver Area ([www.trilliumconnections.org](http://www.trilliumconnections.org))

- Founded LLC to develop funding, design and implement large scale collaborative community art programs/murals focusing on youth development (see [www.trilliumconnections.org](http://www.trilliumconnections.org) for details)

### **Clinical Case Manager/Group Prenatal Care Facilitator**, Clinica Family Health

August 2011 - August 2012 Greater Denver Area

- Education and case management for 400 patients in primary health care, DM, pediatric and mental health registries. Prenatal CenteringPregnancy \*TM facilitation and lactation support.

## Education

**Master's of Science in Nursing McGill University, 2020 GPA 3.7 BA/B.Sc French Literature/Health Science**