

Education:

Bachelor of Science in Education – East Stroudsburg State College (now ESU)
Post Graduate credits in Early Childhood Education – Marywood University
PA Director's Credential – Northampton Community College
Diploma in Religious Education – Diocese of Scranton
American Heart Association Basic Life Support instructor

Background:

I have been a member of the pennaeyc board of director's for approximately 25 years. During that time, many changes have occurred. I believe the present board has an outstanding vision for Pennsylvania's early childhood community.

I have twenty-five (25) plus years in Early Childhood Education. I retired in 2017 from The Growing Place Child Care Centers, but continue to do subbing and teaching staff at the centers. While at The Growing Place, I was a teacher and administrator.

At our parish church, I am involved with the Religious Education program. I am both a teacher and administrator. Currently, I am the First Sacraments Coordinator. Also, I am a member of the church Finance Committee.

I have twenty-nine (29) years of experience in middle management for a national retailer. In that position, I was responsible for inventory, profit and loss and financial management of resources.

I was an EMT with the local ambulance association for twelve (12) years. I retain a life time membership with the association. I was an EMT instructor at the local career and technical institute for eight (8) years. I am currently an American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS) instructor. I teach at LVH-Pocono Learning Center, several child care centers and our church.

My husband Jim and I live in Effort, PA in the Pocono Mountain region.