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**Comments**

I have been a nurse most of my life and have enjoyed every phase of my career—public health nursing, working in ICU, and being a nurse practitioner. Now, as I teach nurse practitioner and doctoral students, and carry out my own research studies, I am finding the fulfillment of putting it all together. I can't imagine another career that provides you with the opportunity to experience so many different life settings, and gives you the chance to really get to know other people and understand yourself. Nursing is truly a profession that enables one to grow and become a person who is connected with others in meaningful relationships.

**Education**

PhD, 1993, Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA  
 MSN, 1977, St. Louis University, St. Louis, MO  
 BSN, 1972, Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL  
 Certified as an Adult Nurse Practitioner (American Nurses Credentialing Center) since 1981  
 Coordinator, Family Nurse Practitioner program (2004-2006)  
 Doctoral Program Faculty (2004-present)

**Clinical Expertise**

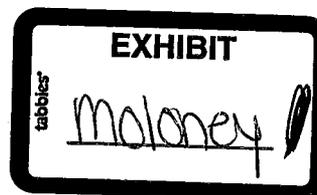
I have practiced as an adult nurse practitioner since 1978, in internal medicine and women's health clinical settings ranging from neighborhood clinics to managed care settings and private practices. I currently practice in a women's health setting that offers gynecological, family planning and menopause services.

**Research**

My research is based on my clinical experience as a nurse practitioner working with women and their health problems. My work with women has taught me that many women with migraines are inadequately treated, and that even those who have appropriate medical treatment often continue to experience problems with migraines that interfere with their daily activities. With my research team, here at Georgia State University and at Emory University, I have conducted three previous studies looking at the experience of women and headaches. Currently I am Principal Investigator on a study entitled "An Internet-Based Diary Study of Women with Migraines," which is funded by the National Institute of Nursing Research (National Institutes of Health). The major purposes of this study are to examine the feasibility of using the Internet to collect daily diary data about women and their headaches, and to track women's prodromal symptoms and trigger patterns and their relationship to headaches. This study is a joint project between the Byrdine F. Lewis School of Nursing at Georgia State University, and the Rollins School of Public Health at Emory University. To learn more about this study, please visit our website: <https://cfusion.sph.emory.edu/Migraine>.

**Recent Publications**

- Moloney, M.F., Strickland, O.L., DeRossett, S.E., Melby, M.K., Dietrich, A.S. (2006). The experience of midlife women with migraines. *Journal of Nursing Scholarship* 38(3):278-285.
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- Strickland, O., Moloney, M.F., Dietrich, A.S., Myerburg, S., Cotsonis, G., Johnson, R. (2003). Measurement issues related to collecting data on the World Wide Web. *Advances in Nursing Science* 26(4):246-256.
- Moloney, M.F., Dietrich, A.S., Strickland, O.L., Myerburg, S. (2003). Using Internet discussion boards as virtual focus groups. *Advances in Nursing Science* 26(4):274-286.
- Deaton, C., Dunbar, S.B. Moloney, M.F., Sears, S.F., Ujhelyi, M.R. (2003). Patient experiences with atrial fibrillation and treatment with implantable atrial defibrillation therapy. *Heart & Lung: the Journal of Acute and Critical Care* 32(5):291-299.
- Risjord, M., Dunbar, S., Moloney, M.F. (2002). A new foundation for methodological triangulation. *Journal of Nursing Scholarship* 34(3):269-275.
- Moloney, M.F. (2002). Headaches in perimenopausal women. *The Female Patient*, 27(4):47-48 (Primary Care Edition); and 27(4):55-56 (OB/GYN Edition).
- Moloney, M.F., Matthews, K.B., Scharbo-DeHaan, M., and Strickland, O.L. (2001). Caring for the woman with migraine headaches. *Dimensions of Critical Care Nursing*, 20(4), 17-25.
- Risjord, M., Moloney, M.F., and Dunbar, S. (2001). Methodological triangulation in nursing research. *Philosophy of the Social Sciences*, 31(1): 40-59.
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- Moloney, M.F., Matthews, K.B., Scharbo-DeHaan, M., and Strickland, O.L. (2000). Care for the woman with migraine headaches. *The Nurse Practitioner*, 25 (2), 17-39. (continued education offering).

**Recent Funding**

- Moloney, M.F., P.I., Myerburg, S., Co-I. (2006-2008). An Internet-based diary study of women with migraines. R-21, National Institute of Nursing Research and the National Institutes of Health, \$266,002 direct costs.
- Moloney, M.F., P.I. (2005-2006). Migraines in midyears women following hysterectomy. P20 pilot grant (Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing, Emory University), National Institute of Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health, \$19,645 direct & indirect costs.

**Professional Service Activities**

- Chair, Graduate Program Committee, Byrdine F. Lewis School of Nursing, Georgia State University, 2007-2008.
- Secretary-Treasurer, 2007- present, and Membership Coordinator, 2004- present, Society for Menstrual Cycle Research.
- Research committee, National Association of Nurse Practitioners in Women's Health, 2001- present.
- Advisory Board, Endo Pharmaceuticals, 2006 - present.
- Graduate Faculty, College of Health and Human Sciences, Georgia State University, 2005 - present.
- Member, Institutional Review Board, Georgia State University, 2005 -2006