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I have been involved with the Illinois ENA since 2007, when I became a student member and active contributor to the Spring Symposium Committee. I continue to serve on this committee and am the Co-Chair of Symposium Exhibits. In addition, I am a member of the Communications Committee and the Co-Chair of the Finance Committee. I also assist the Chair of the Newsletter Committee with the design and layout of the *CounterShock* Newsletter. I will serve in the Treasurer-Elect role for 2010 and as the Treasurer for 2011-2012.

Prior to becoming a nurse, I was involved in EMS. I've been a paramedic for 7 years and have worked for a county ambulance service, as well as in Level I & II trauma centers and critical access hospital emergency departments.

I am presently a RN at Children's Memorial Hospital in Chicago. I graduated from Harper College with an associate degree in nursing and from Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science in North Chicago with a master's degree in healthcare administration and management. I previously received a baccalaureate degree in psychology with a biology minor from Roosevelt University in Chicago and am presently a DNP student in the Acute Care and Pediatric Nurse Practitioner programs at the University of Illinois at Chicago.