

Biography



Adriane Burgess PhD, RNC-OB, CCE, C-ONQS, CPHQ, FAWHONN

Adriane Burgess has over 25 years of experience in clinical and academic settings, and in healthcare leadership. She is the Co-Founder of Perinatal Quality Consultants and works as the Director of Innovation in Patient Safety and Quality at the Maryland Patient Safety Center. She supports hospitals and health systems in identifying areas of risk and leveraging opportunities to build systems of safer care. Her interest in building multidisciplinary teams, engaging stakeholders across hospitals and healthcare systems, expanding skill sets in quality and safety, and motivating teams toward change is critical to these efforts.

Dr. Burgess received her PhD in Nursing from the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, her MSN in Nursing Education from Drexel University, and her BSN from Villanova University. She holds certifications in quality and safety, obstetric quality and safety, childbirth education and in inpatient obstetrics. She is active in the Association of Women's Health Obstetric and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN) at the state and national level. In 2023, Dr. Burgess received AWHONN's Award for Excellence in Leadership and was inducted as a fellow.

Adriane works actively to publish and present her work and has earned several national awards including the AWHONN Outstanding Innovative Program Award, as well as awards through Safe Healthcare for Every Woman and the Department of Health and Human Services for quality improvement projects focused on improving the quality and safety of obstetric and gynecologic care.