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Erin LaCross, DNP, RN, NEA-BC, CENP joined Parkview Health in 2003 and currently serves as chief nursing officer for Parkview Regional Medical Center & Affiliates in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Throughout her tenure at Parkview, Erin has led initiatives aimed at supporting nurses with successful onboarding, continued growth and development and succession planning programs. Erin also played an instrumental role in helping Parkview achieve Magnet® designation in 2017. Erin has authored or co-authored scholarly articles in international nursing journals on nursing manager succession planning and innovative methods of retaining an experienced nursing workforce. She also has represented Parkview Health as a presenter at local and national conferences.

Erin obtained her Doctor of Nursing Practice at the University of Indianapolis, Ind.; her Master of Science in Nursing at the University of Saint Francis, Fort Wayne, Ind.; and her Associate of Science in Nursing at Indiana-Purdue University, Fort Wayne, Ind. She also holds a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology and Criminal Justice from Trine University, Angola, Ind. She is a member of the American College of Healthcare Executives, the American Organization for Nursing Leadership, the Indiana Organization for Nursing Leadership, the Northeast Indiana Organization of Nurse Executives, and the American Nurses Association. She is a member of the inaugural Nurse Executive Fellowship Cohort (2019) through AONL. Erin serves on the board of directors for Parkview Hospital; the American Red Cross of Northeast Indiana; and Saint Anne Communities.

Erin resides in Huntertown, Indiana with her husband, Chad LaCross, and children Ava (14), Bryce (11), and Mya (8). You can find the LaCross family at basketball, volleyball and baseball tournaments around the region on any given weekend.

