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How long have you been a CRNA? Do you specialize? Do you have a favorite type of anesthesia/surgeries? Describe your practice?

I have been a CRNA since 2004. I enjoy doing spinal surgeries, specifically severe scoliosis and trauma cases.

Why do you support the Foundation?

I think it’s extremely important that not only myself but also every CRNA supports OUR Foundation. Our Foundation is the backbone to our profession. It protects OUR interests and fights for our profession. Our healthcare system is undergoing a huge transformation and our financial support enables OUR Foundation to lobby for changes that best suits OUR profession.

What does being professionally involved mean to you?

Unfortunately, I am not as involved professionally as I would like to be; however, I do recognize the importance of financial support. So I try to make sure that I give a generous donation yearly. For me, this means that at least I have given something back to a profession that has given me so much.

What do you like most about your job?

I enjoy utilizing my skills and knowledge and individualizing them to my patients’ care. Knowing that each of my patients receives the best anesthesia care I can deliver is extremely rewarding. I also like the ability to practice autonomously and collaboratively with other healthcare professionals.

What are your future goals?

My short-term goal is to finish my DNaP. A long-term goal is to use the knowledge gained from the DNaP and become politically involved so I may help our profession and my community understands the important role we play in our healthcare system.

How do you spend your free time? What are your hobbies and interests?

I enjoy kite surfing & working out (none of which I have been doing since I’ve been working on my DNaP) and of course hanging out with my family.