

# **Benita Walton-Moss**

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Nursing expert and practitioner, specializing in advanced health assessment across the lifespan, especially for vulnerable populations

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## **Biography**

Benita Walton-Moss is a clinical associate professor in the Department of Nursing, where she teaches a course on advanced health assessment across the lifespan. Prior to joining USC, she served as director of the master's program at Johns Hopkins University School of Social Work's Department of Nursing. Before that, she worked as a co-track coordinator of the Family Nurse Practitioner program at Johns Hopkins School of Nursing. She has been a registered nurse for more than 35 years and a family nurse practitioner for more than 30 years. Her clinical and research interests focus on health care of vulnerable populations including women's health and substance abuse. She is enthusiastic about community-based research. Walton-Moss received her PhD in nursing science from the University of California, San Francisco, a master's degree in nursing from the University of Rochester, a master's in management and supervision from Central Michigan University, and a bachelor's in nursing from Johns Hopkins University.

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## **Industry Expertise**

Program Development, Health Care - Services, Health Care - Facilities, Health and Wellness, Public Policy

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Healthcare of Vulnerable Populations, Family Health, Health Care Administration, Health Information Technology

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## **Education**

**University of California, San Francisco**  
PhD Nursing Science

**University of Rochester School of Nursing**  
MS Nursing

**Central Michigan University**  
MA Healthcare Administration

## **Accomplishments**

### **Simulation Education Leader**

2011 Awarded by the Maryland Faculty Academy for Simulation Training

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