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Anne is the Network Coordinator for the Central South Infection Control Network. She obtained a Bachelor of Nursing from Dalhousie University and started her career as a nurse in the Canadian Armed forces. She has worked in a variety of acute care clinical settings including surgery, general medicine, emergency and outpatient clinics. She obtained her certificate in critical care from George Brown College in 1988 and worked in both small and large ICUs. Critical care was her passion until she assisted the facility ICP with educating staff during a large outbreak and was bitten by the IPAC bug in 1996.

She has been certified in Infection Control since 1999 and has lectured on IPAC at the local, provincial and national level. As a Network Coordinator and a member of the Provincial Infectious Diseases Advisory Committee she is involved in numerous programs and projects to support and improve IPAC best practices across all healthcare sectors. One such project was to chair the Regional Infection Control working group that assisted with the development and launch of the first four pilot infection control networks. She is currently completing her Masters of Nursing with a clinical focus in Infection Control at D'Youville College in Buffalo, NY.