**Dana Denton**, MPT

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#### **Education**

MPT Physical Therapy, University of Utah, 1998

BA Mass Communication, University of Utah, 1990

#### **Experience**

· NICU Physical Therapist	January, 2008 - current
Intermountain Medical Center (IMC), Salt Lake City, UT	
<ul> <li>Clinical Specialist/ Vice-President</li> </ul>	November, 2012 - current
Catapult Products, LLC Salt Lake City, UT	
• Early Intervention Physical Therapist	June, 2006 – January, 2008
DDI Vantage, Salt Lake City, UT	
· Pediatric Physical Therapist	July, 1998 – November, 2005
Primary Children's Hospital, Salt Lake City, UT	
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## **Publications/ Presentations**

- Instructor for Developmental Care for all new Level 2 nursing staff at IMC
- Author of "Implementing Research Based Best Bathing Practice in the NICU and Well-Baby Nursery: Swaddle Bathing." *Neonatal Intensive Care* 2018: 31(1); 27-30
- Presented "Families in the NICU" to University of Utah Department of Education
- Presented a Swaddle Bathing Webinar to Idaho AWHONN

## Professional Development (please refer to attached continuing education)

- · Certified in Neonatal Touch and Massage
- Specialized training in Brazelton Behavioral Assessment, Pediatric NDT, sensory integration and feeding/swallowing for infants
- Co-Founder of Catapult Products, LLC
- · Co-Developer of the TurtleTub Swaddle Bathing System
- Design Patent # US D786,570 S for Infant Bathtub

# **Affiliations/Membership**

AWHONN- Association of Women's Health, Obstetric and Neonatal Nurses NANT- National Association of Neonatal Therapists APTA – American Physical Therapy Association

## Interests

Professionally, I strive to give infants the most optimal functional outcomes by educating parents and caregivers on research-based strategies for infant care. Life begins in the NICU, and our impact lasts a lifetime. I strive to make it a positive one.

Personally, I spend my time with my husband and three children. I live in Utah to be close to the activities I love, including biking, hiking and skiing.