

MEET DR. JULIE DONLEY, EdD, MBA, RN, PCC



Dr. Julie Donley is passionate about helping healthcare professionals thrive in leadership and create healthy, safe work environments to support the healthcare workforce. An executive coach, author, keynote speaker, and facilitator, Julie's expertise includes helping leaders navigate conflict, become self-aware, communicate effectively, practice empathy, and utilize coaching skills to create an influential culture resulting in highly productive teams.

Julie brings a depth of personal experience to her work. She spent several years working as a psychiatric nurse, and nearly a decade as an executive nurse serving children and adolescents in behavioral healthcare where she also provided internal coaching to leaders and developed leadership training programs, and mentored others to advancement. Her work in behavioral health sparked her passion for nurturing the potential of leaders who then have the power to inspire others to greatness.

Julie founded Nurturing Your Success LLC in 2001 to provide leadership coaching to healthcare professionals. She obtained her Professional Certified Coach (PCC) designation from the International Coaching Federation, Team Coaching certification in the Team Advantage™ process, and is certified in the EQ Profile and the ESCI 360 assessment.

Having overcome much adversity both personally and professionally, Julie believes that leadership begins with self-leadership and understanding the impact of the leader on others. Julie sought to learn and grow her own leadership acumen, and pursued education to help her to equip and grow leadership in others as well. She earned her Doctor of Education in Organizational Leadership from Grand Canyon University where she focused her research on the leader's effect on the workforce by examining the impact of factors of the psychosocial work environment on job satisfaction. She also earned two nursing degrees from Gwynedd Mercy University, an MBA from DeSales University, and an executive certificate in nonprofit management from Georgetown University.



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Julie is the author of two books and more than 300 presentations, publications, and eBooks. For her work, she has been recognized by Leadership Excellence Magazine as a Top 100 Thought Leader in Personal Development and received Main Line Today's "Healthcare Hero" award.

Julie and her husband live in southeastern Pennsylvania and have three adult children, a dog, and a cat. They enjoy traveling and recently began riding motorcycles. She finds this very meditative and enjoys the freedom of being on the road whenever possible.

