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Dr. Mankekolo Mahlangu-Ngcobo joined Health Information Management Department at Coppin State University as an adjunct professor in the fall of 2009.

She is a native of South Africa. She received Diploma in General nursing and Midwifery at Baragwanath Hospital School of Nursing, Johannesburg, South Africa in June 1972 and 1973. She studied Nursing Education at University of the North from July 1975 to 1977. She assisted Dr. Sam Fershen, the Principle Investigator in research on malnutrition in children at the Medical University of Southern Africa (MEDUNSA) Ga-Rankwa, South Africa 1979-1980

In United States of America, she received four degrees. Bachelor of Science, (BS) at Morgan State University,(1984) Master of Public Health (MPH), The Johns Hopkins University, (1985) Master of Arts (MA) (Theology), St Mary's Seminary (1988) and University and Doctor of Ministry (D. Min.), United Theological Seminary in Dayton Ohio. (1992)

She also did her Internship and Residency in Clinical Pastoral Education at The Johns Hopkins Hospital (2006-2007).

She began her public health practice at the Baltimore City Health Department as Health Educator from December 1985 to January 1991. 12/1985 to 2/1991. She designed Health Education curricula and cancer, AIDS, and teen pregnancy prevention health education programs. She also developed a health ministry involving the Black Church in health promotion and disease prevention. She gave presentations to schools, community organizations and churches on health issues in Baltimore, e.g. teen pregnancy, chronic disease, substance abuse and sexually transmitted diseases.

She represented the Health Commissioner, Dr. Maxie Collier in various community meetings. She wrote and published articles on health issues in community paper. She worked closely with other departments within the health department especially the Epidemiology department on data collection, statistics information and analysis. She was liaison between the state health departments on issues of community health.

She was the Director of Community Health at, Community Institute for behavioral Services, Liberty Medical Center. She participated in the Urban Health Institute initiative. She coordinated seminars and conferences that integrated Spirituality and Mental Health at Liberty Medical Center. She also served on the Hospital Ethics Committee to resolve advance care for the terminally ill patients and their families.

Dr. Mahlangu-Ngcobo began her academic career as a full-time Adjunct Professor in the Department of Health and Physical Education and Recreation at Morgan University, Fall 1994- Spring 1997, fall 1998- fall 2001

She developed the curriculum, taught students, planned objective and essay tests, graded tests, papers and exams. She organized seminars, conferences related to health care. She taught undergraduate students the following courses: Course: Healthful Living-Required course, Readings in Public Health and Introduction to Epidemiology- Health Majors

Health Practicum- Supervision of Health Majors during their internship, International Health and Health Care of Women.

She also taught Health Policy and Management course and assisted with the HIV/AIDS Vaccine research in the school of Public health at Morgan State University

At Sojourner Douglass College she developed various curricula in health education and administration. She taught various courses in health for example, health education, women's health, international health, bioethics, healthcare financing, health economics, policy and management and research and religion and health.

She developed a Doctor of Ministry with concentration on "The Black Church and Public Health at United Theological Seminary in Dayton Ohio 2002-2005.

As a consultant for The Johns Hopkins Health Systems-Community Outreach, Dr. Mahlangu-Ngcobo planned a conference of Faith Leaders to remove the stigma of Depression. At Mercy Family Care, Mercy Hospital, she developed curriculum on Postnatal care and taught and Parenting to teen parents. She assisted in Grant Writing. She was a consultant with the U S Public Health Service, Maternal and Child Health Bureau and conducted evaluation of a Healthy Start Program in Boston  
Dr. Mahlangu-Ngcobo is also an ordained minister in the African Methodist Episcopal Church. (AMEC)

She is an author of nine books. Her recent published book is "Restore Me: 40 Healing Sermons by iUniverse publishers. It can be found on [www.iuniverse.com](http://www.iuniverse.com). ISBN 978-1-4502-1631-9, LCCN: 2010914984

The other eight books are out of circulation. They are *AIDS In Africa :An African and Prophetic Perspectives*, *100 Ways of Empowering women*, *Women In the Ministry: Their Trials and their Triumphs*, *One A Day: Spiritual Vitamins*, *Men Empowering Men*, *The Preaching of Bishop John Bryant and To God be the Glory: The Life of Bishop Frederick C. James*.