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Dr. Placencia has worked at Texas Children's Hospital since completion of her residency, 17 years ago. She is currently a clinical pharmacist in the areas of pain and palliative care. Dr. Placencia also co-chairs the hospital's opioid stewardship committee. Through these roles, she has worked on research and quality improvement projects to improve the safe prescribing of opioids and to optimize the hospital's care of pediatric palliative care patients.