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Work Experience

Travel Nurse

Buchanan County Health Center - Independence, IA

May 2022 to Present

Critical Access Hospital triage/emergency room services

Travel Nurse

DIVINE SAVIOR HEALTHCARE - Portage, WI

October 2021 to April 2022

Anticipate aspects of cares involved in emergency department, triage evaluation, skills to include and not limited to emergency department cares

ER Travel Nurse

University of Kentucky Good Samaritan Medical Center - Lexington, KY

October 2020 to August 2021

Emergency room nurse anticipating immediate cares and services to community populations

Travel RN

Walworth County Jail - Elkhorn, WI

May 2020 to September 2020

On arrival to intake, assess for withdrawal of drugs or alcohol, triage and if appropriate obtain medical clearance, review medical history and screen for other behaviors including self-harm, suicidal thoughts or acts of potential violence. Administer medications as indicated, document treatments, follow up on medical complaints, provide treatments and respond to emergency calls

ER Travel Nurse

University of Wisconsin-Madison Hospital and Clinics - Madison, WI

April 2020 to April 2020

cancelled due to facility low census

ER Travel Nurse

North Hawaii Community Hospital - Kamuela, Hawaii

January 2020 to March 2020

Travel ER nurse special project opening new ER. Assisting to help current staff become familiar with new equipment and technologies, providing nursing care services

Travel Nurse ER

MercyOne Medical Center - Newton, IA

September 2019 to December 2019

Critical Access Hospital

Travel Nurse

Altru Health System - Grand Forks, ND

May 2019 to August 2019

Level 2 trauma center/teaching facility

Travel Nurse ER

Wheaton Franciscan Healthcare - Racine, WI

October 2018 to April 2019

ER nurse in level 3 trauma center approx 36 bed ER.

Nurse Manager

Rehabilitation Hospital of Wisconsin - Waukesha, WI

July 2018 to October 2018

Rehabilitation nurse manager adjusted scheduling, budget, census grid, performance evaluations, and coaching

Travel RN, Emergency Department

Tennova Health Care - Dyersburg, TN

April 2018 to June 2018

Critical Access hospital, work collaboratively with ED team to provide emergency services, perform skills which include, IV insertion, EKG, monitor vital signs, administer blood products, interpret lab results, anticipate needs and intervene as indicated, CPR if indicated

Travel RN ER

Mercy Health System - Williams Bay, WI

February 2018 to April 2018

Provide emergency room services to various ages ranging from birth across the lifespan. ER duties include: IV insertion, lab draw, EKG, interpretation of lab and EKG findings, splinting, teaching ortho post-care, and other emergency needs

Travel Registered Nurse

POST ACUTE MEDICAL SPECIALTY HOSPITAL - Hales Corners, WI

November 2017 to February 2018

ER Nurse Traveler

ThedaCare Regional Medical Center - Appleton, WI

August 2017 to November 2017

Level 3 trauma center

assess and implement emergency care services

ER Travel Nurse

University Wisconsin Madison Hospital & Clinics - Madison, WI

October 2016 to August 2017

Level 1 trauma center

Assess and initiate treatment plan, IV insertion, lab draws and interpretation, EKG and cardiac monitoring, assist in all aspects of emergency services

ER Nurse traveler

Watertown Regional Medical Center - Watertown, WI
July 2016 to October 2016

Rapid assessment and initial treatment phase of illness. IV insertion, lab interpretation, cardiac monitoring

ER Nurse traveler

Mercy Gilbert Hospitals & Chandler Regional Float - Gilbert, AZ
March 2016 to June 2016

Float staff between Level 1 & Level 3 hospital in ER, Direct patient care in all areas of ED. Assist in trauma areas, triage, and fast track bedding

ER Nurse traveler

Mile Bluff Medical Center, Mauston WI - Mauston, WI
December 2015 to March 2016

Triage from UC and ED, includes direct patient care as Emergency Room staff, assess and treat as indicated

ER nurse traveler

Queens medical center - 'Ewa Beach, HI
June 2015 to October 2015

Responsibilities

Prioritizing direct Patient care in emergency environment. Not limited to but including patient assessments and evaluations, EKG interpretation, IV insertion including medi-port access, medication administration, dose titrations, pain management, community referrals, patient and family education

Registered Nurse Traveler

Mercy gilbert medical center - Gilbert, AZ
January 2015 to May 2015

Direct patient cares in all areas of ED. Assessment treatment and evaluation of patient care, assist in bedding patients in all areas of ED including trauma areas, triage and fast track beds. Tasks include but are not limited to Performing EKG, IV insertion, RSI, assistance with performing CPR when indicated, medication administration, Titration of medications, pain management

Emergency Room Registered Nurse

Wheaton Franciscan - Racine, WI
May 2013 to December 2014

Rapid assessment and initial treatment of patients in the initial phase of illness or trauma. IV insertion, accessing medi-ports or other catheters including PICC lines, medication administration, lab interpretation, cardiac monitoring, telemetry interpretation, patient and family education and teaching, discharge planning, verifying insurance for pre-authorizations and making appropriate referrals as needed

Nurse Educator/Staff Development Coordinator

Milwaukee County - Milwaukee, WI

November 2010 to May 2013

Responsibilities

Duties: Coordinate and schedule various training and new employee orientation programs. Teach orientation materials both medical and behavioral following hospital policies and procedures. Participate in planning of orientation programs for all levels of health service staff. Train new staff, Assist with individualized learning needs of new staff and the staff development of existing employees. Perform employee performance improvement plans. Maintain new employee training materials, write teaching plans and revise curriculum, prepare power points and reports related to educational activities, participation in the development of annual staff development plan, be a resource to staff, and use the knowledge of effective methods of nursing. Certified CPR instructor, Certified Crisis Intervention Instructor.

Charge RN/Hospital South

Lakeview Neuro-Rehabilitation Hospital
January 2010 to November 2010

Duties: General over site of unit/patient care, patient care assignment delegation, establish patient acuity, monitor nurse interaction with nursing students, assist in teaching clinical skills, evaluate and update nursing instructor on student task performance, cover for house supervisor PRN, implement rehabilitation recommendations, provide patient and family teaching, documentation of teaching outcomes for discharge and reimbursement criteria, direct patient care performing tasks and skills including telemetry, vent weaning process & passy-muir trials, physical assessment with emphasis on neurological function, behavioral changes, utilization of de-escalation techniques, certified in professional crisis management.

Charge RN/Shift Coordinator

Froedtert Hospital - Wauwatosa, WI
August 2008 to January 2010

Duties: Telemetry, ER step-down unit, Internal Medicine
Disperse patient care assignments, orient and assign new staff on unit, staffing reports, coordinate admissions and discharges with bed control, direct patient care assignment, patient and family teaching regard illness and special needs.

Education

ADN-BSN program in nursing

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee - Milwaukee, WI

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: February 2022

State: WI

Skills

- ER
- RN
- Emergency Room
- Triage
- Medication Administration
- Nursing
- Nurse Management
- Hospital Experience
- Pain Management
- Crisis Management
- Epic
- Cerner
- Employee Orientation
- Nursing
- Critical Care Experience
- Experience Administering Injections

Certifications and Licenses

BLS, ACLS

PALS Certification

Additional Information

BLS Instructor
ACLS certified
PALS
TNCC
NIHSS
Crisis Intervention