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- Wisconsin Department Of Health Services/ License Practical /CWM
- Health Association Of Long-Term Care/LPN/Certified Wound Management in Long Term Care Facilities,

Objective

Anticipating a position as a LPN or Wound Care Nurse where I am able to utilize my communication and educational skills specializing in the position as listed above. I am a quick learner and very competent in this field with over 18 years of Geriatric, Hospice, Rehabilitation, L-Tach, Wound Care, Dementia and Alzheimer care. If offered this chance of being on the team, I will promise of being a true asset to your organization

- Aria Of Brookfield----LPN, Certified Wound Nurse
- Maintains a safe, clean working environment, including unit-based safety and infection control requirements.
- Takes patient vital signs, wound measurements, and removes/applies dressings, performs capillary glucose monitoring, exercises clean and sterile technique procedure
- Follows all wound care policies and procedures
- Under direction of RN, demonstrates competence in patient and family education on common topics, including, but not limited to, wound care, dressing applications, compression therapy, diabetic foot care, venous life-style changes and wound off-loading.
- Utilizes available resources effectively by appropriate consultations and collaboration to maximize effectiveness of care.
- Under direction of RN, implements and evaluates plans for care reflecting appropriate nursing and medical diagnoses, goal development, outcome criteria and target dates while assuming patient advocate role protecting all patient rights.
- Takes direction from supervising RNs or physicians, adhering to guidelines or standards of practice, community, hospital and all current wound care policies and procedures.
- Demonstrates competent utilization of interview, examination and observation techniques with patients and significant others reporting data to RNs or physicians in a timely fashion and documents appropriately..
- Utilizes safe procedures in infection control, exposure control, equipment, supplies, facility, emergency, safety, fire and disaster plans, adhering to guidelines or standards of practice in the community, the hospital and all current wound center policies and procedures. Assist nursing and medical staff with basic medical tasks, such as administering medication
- Update patient records in a confidential manner
- Evaluate the patient's wellbeing, reporting any needs to medical staff
- Explain treatments and procedures to patients and families
- Demonstrates consistent use of OSHA guidelines and Standard/Universal Precautions and proper body mechanics
- Provided quarterly and spontaneous In Services to staff, family members and Department Management team on Alzheimer/Dementia training
- Develop strong relationships with Hospice, Physicians and other Clinicians in the community while promoting a higher census for the company
- Competent with medical terminology
- Assisted with Care Planning of residents by providing assessments both upon admission and quarterly with the residents and family members

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