# Karey Wassam

### **Licensed Practical Nurse**

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To obtain a position as a Licensed Practical Nurse

# Work Experience

# **Nurse Manger**

Top Techs Temporaries, Inc/ Brookfield Rehab - Brookfield, WI August 2019 to Present

Provide nursing services through the greater Milwaukee area. I'm currently a Nurse Manager through my agency . I was offered the job from Brookfield Rehab but remain undecided if I want to be permanent staff . Duties include; managing Nurses and CNAS, care planning of residents , admissions , assessments , critical thinking , team building, staff education , wound care care planning and initiation , overseer and manager of a 41 bed long term care unit , and all other duties under the LPN scope of practice .

# **Nurse Manager**

Five Star Senior Living/Brookfield Rehabilitation Care Center - Brookfield, WI November 2019 to November 2020

Managed a 48 bed long term care unit through Agency. Duties include direct supervision and delegation of duties to RNs, LPNs and CNA staff. Care planning of residents, initiation of clinical policies and procedures, staff education, incident reports, fall reporting, assessments of residents on 24 hour report board, admissions, discharges, psychotropic review of residents medications, working directly with MDS and NPS to collaborate patient care and all other duties under the LPN scope of practice.

### **Wellness Nurse LPN**

Koru Healthcare / Parkview Garden - Racine, WI April 2018 to October 2019

CBRF Wellness Nurse Manager. I managed a 37 bed Memory Care unit/Assisted Living. Duties included; Care planning of residents, initiation of policies and clinical procedures,

educational training of staff , overseeing staff to complete job specific tasks and duties , medication reviews, psychotropic review of residents , fall reporting and implementation of care plans related to falls, assessments of

residents clinically and for pre admission to meet qualification for admission, and all other duties under the LPN scope of practice .

#### **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Post Acute Medical - Greenfield, WI November 2016 to June 2017

Take a team of highly complex/ high acuity patients . Manage vents , administering IV antibiotics, assessments of patients , complex wound care , medication management and all other duties under the LPN scope of practice .

# **CBRF Nurse Manager Clinical coordinator**

Meadowmere - Oak Creek, WI February 2015 to November 2016

#### Responsibilities

Manage a 24 bed CBRF unit. Coordinate patient care. Manage a team of CNAs. Education of employees, and all other duties under the LPN scope of practice.

### Accomplishments

Continuing education of employees.

#### Skills Used

Management, education, and clinical skills.

# **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Compassionate Care Hospice - West Allis, WI January 2012 to January 2015

# Responsibilities

Daily assessment of terminally III patients in a home and or facility setting. Medication management of patients, pain management and IV therapy.

#### Accomplishments

How I was able to help patients at end of life to give them peace and comfort before and during the active dying process.

#### Skills Used

Assessments and a strong compassion for people.

# **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Rehabilitation Hospital Of Wisconsin - Pewaukee, WI April 2011 to April 2012

Individualized patient care in a brain injury and general rehab facility. Management of patients medications, IV therapy, wound care, assessments, FIM scoring, and pain management.

### **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Life Care Hospitals Of Wisconsin - Pewaukee, WI July 2008 to February 2011

Individualized patient care involving vent weaning and management, complex wounds involving VAC dressings, HBO therapy, IV administration, medication administration, assessments, and ICU care.

# **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Staffing Partners - Greenfield, WI April 2008 to July 2008

Worked agency throughout the greater Milwaukee area in nursing homes, hospitals and subacute facilities

#### **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Nursing Centers - West Allis, WI

July 2004 to April 2008

Identified a wide range of complex care problems and implemented nursing interventions evaluating results.

Nursing Centers Wauwatosa, Wisconsin

#### **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Southpointe Health Care Center - Greenfield, WI January 2004 to July 2004

# **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Southpointe Health Care Center - Greenfield, WI April 2001 to January 2004

Worked as assistant manager to RN manager. Made judgements on patient conditions, followed up with Doctors and staff based on those decisions.

# Education

# Licensed Practical Nurse Program in Licensed Practical Nurse Program

Milwaukee Area Technical College - Milwaukee, WI August 1994 to July 1996

# **Nursing Licenses**

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# Skills

- LPN
- Acute Care
- Nurse Management
- Nursing
- Medication Administration
- Critical Care Experience
- Hospice Care
- Triage
- Laboratory Experience
- Pain Management
- Experience Administering Injections
- Epic
- EMR Systems
- Patient Care

- Cerner
- Leadership
- · Nursing home experience
- Hospital Experience
- Memory Care
- Phlebotomy
- Employee Orientation
- Vital Signs

# Certifications and Licenses

# IV certification

April 1997 to Present

# **Telemetry certification**

July 2004 to Present

### **BLS** certification

November 2010 to Present

# **Phlebotomy certification**

April 2001 to Present

# **Vent Certification**

April 2004 to Present

### Fim Certification

August 2011 to Present

# **Reiki Practiconer level 3**

April 2014 to Present

Reiki level 3 practiconer . Provide energy healing in a safe , quiet environment to patients .

# LPN

# Assessments

# **Clinical Judgment — Highly Proficient**

August 2020

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention.

Full results: Highly Proficient

# Patient-Focused Care — Proficient

August 2019

Measures a candidate's ability to address concerns and use sensitivity when responding to needs and feelings of patients.

Full results: Proficient

# **Verbal Communication — Highly Proficient**

August 2020

Speaking clearly, correctly, and concisely

Full results: Highly Proficient

# **Medical Terminology — Proficient**

August 2020

Understanding and using medical terminology

Full results: Proficient

# **Customer Focus & Orientation — Expert**

August 2020

Responding to customer situations with sensitivity

Full results: Expert

# First Aid — Highly Proficient

November 2020

Treating common medical emergencies

Full results: Highly Proficient

Indeed Assessments provides skills tests that are not indicative of a license or certification, or continued development in any professional field.

# Additional Information

Skills; Twenty four years of hands on nursing experience Able to assess patient needs and provide appropriate care BLS, vent, phlebotomy, telemetry and IV certified Work well in a fast pace high pressure environment.