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Specialty:

Emergency Department

Licenses and Certifications:

BLS- Basic Life Support: AHA American Heart Association, Expires: October 2020

PALS- Pediatric Advanced Life Support: AHA American Heart Association, Expires: March 2021

NIHSS Stroke Certification

Licensed Registered Nurse, MA: RN2279772

Licensed Registered Nurse, SC: 233521

Licensed Registered Nurse, AZ: RN 1638695

Licensed Registered Nurse, IL: 041.478987

ACLS- Advanced Cardiac Life Support: AHA American Heart Association, Expires: August 2021

TNCC- Trauma Nursing Core Course: ENA- Emergency Nurses Association, Expires: March 2020

Licensed Registered Nurse, NC: 301101

Licensed Registered Nurse, CO: RN.1638695

Licensed Registered Nurse, HI: RN-87588

Licensed Registered Nurse, NV: 819632

Experience:

Trident Medical Center, Charleston, SC- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, April 2019- present

Served as RN in a busy 45 bed, level 2 trauma center

- 4-1 patient ratio
- Teaching facility

NSMC Union Hospital, Lynn, MA- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, August 2018- April 2019

- Served as RN in a 20 bed community hospital
- Charge RN experience
- 4-1 patient ratio

Kaiser Maui Memorial Medical Center, Wailuku, HI- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, February 2018- July 2018

- Served as RN in a busy 28 bed, level 2 trauma center
- 3-1 patient ratio

Good Samaritan Medical Center, Lafayette, CO- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, October 2017- January 2018

- Served as RN in a busy 40 bed, level 2 trauma center
- 3-1 patient ratio

Lutheran Medical Center, Wheat Ride, CO- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, July 2017- October 2017

- Served as an RN in a busy 60 bed, level 3 trauma center
- Worked as triage RN
- 4-1 patient ratio

Chandler Regional Medical Center, Chandler, AZ- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, January 2017-July 2017

- Served as an RN in a busy 65 bed, Level 1 trauma center
- Worked as triage RN
- 4-1 patient ratio

Kaiser Sunnyside Medical Center, Clackamas, OR- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, September 2016-December 2016

- Served as an RN in a busy 40 bed ER
- 4-1 patient ratio
- Worked as Triage RN

Good Samaritan Hospital, Puyallup, WA- Emergency Department

Agency Nurse/Contract, March 2016-September 2016

- Served as an RN in a busy 47 bed, level 3 Trauma Center
- Triage trained
- 4-1 patient/nurse ratio

West Virginia University Hospitals- Ruby Memorial, Morgantown, WV- Emergency Department

Staff Nurse, November 2014-January 2016

- Level 1 trauma center, stroke center, teaching facility and Magnet recognition
- Assisted in the care of multiple traumas, cardiac arrests, stroke codes, sexual assaults and conscious sedations
- Provided care to people across the lifespan from infants, children, pregnant women, and the elderly
- Experience with placing ultrasound guided PIVs, IO placement, ABG draws, OG placement, arterial line set up and use of the Level 1 transfuser and the massive blood transfusion protocol
- Administered critical IV medications such as Propofol, Dopamine, Nitroglycerine, Adenosine, and various others
- TPA administration and monitoring of patients receiving TPA
- Responsible for orienting new nurses to the Emergency Department

West Virginia University Hospitals-Ruby Memorial, Morgantown, WV- 8NE Step Down

Staff Nurse, November 2012-November 2014

- Serve as an RN for a busy 24 bed medical-surgical/trauma/bariatric unit
- Administer blood products and monitor for adverse transfusion reactions
- Assess patency of central lines and PICC lines and perform sterile dressing changes
- Re-access ports
- Monitor post-surgical incisions, chest tubes and drains
- Experience with telemetry: monitoring, reading, and acting upon telemetry monitor information
- Initiate and maintain tube feedings via PEG, Dob-Hoff, NG
- Responsible for orienting new nurses to the unit
- Floated to med-surg unit 10% of the time

Charge Nurse

- Supervise staff engaged in direct patient care
- Address complaints/issues in a timely, professional manner to ensure patient and staff satisfaction
- Serve as a resource to staff to ensure quality patient care
- Respond quickly to emergency situations
- Manage daily staff assignment to ensure adequate coverage

Computer Skills:

Epic
Cerner
Meditech

Education:

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Boston, MA
Bachelor of Science- Nursing (August 2009-May 2012)