

Katie Lunning

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EDUCATION

Bethel University, Roseville Minnesota

Bachelor of Science Nursing

May 2012

GPA: 3.7

Dean's List: Seven Semesters

Graduated with Honors- Cum Laude

LICENSURE

Registered Nurse- Minnesota State Board of Nursing

17 June 2012

Iowa State Board of Nursing

11 November 2018

CERTIFICATIONS

CPR- BLS, ACLS

TNCC

PALS

CALS

EXPERIENCE

Mercy Des Moines

Cardiac Surgical Intensive Care Unit

November 2018- Currently Employed

Serves as a Registered Nurse in a critical care setting. Providing specialized care for critical post surgical patients. Highly respected by physicians and staff for responding to emergency situations, collaborative team settings, and competency in complex medical procedures.

Experience in: open heart recovery, LVAD, ECMO, impella, tandem heart CRRT, balloon pump placement and monitoring, moderate sedation, catheters and lines, respiratory ventilators, post anesthesia wake up, code procedures and protocols, wound care and assessment, laboratory draws, and assessment of the critically ill patient.

Key accomplishments

- Completed rigorous training program for the care of the critical post surgical patient
- Completed in depth training on specialized cardiac and respiratory equipment to include; open heart recovery, LVAD, ECMO, impella, tandem heart, swan-ganz catheters, balloon pump, and several types of respiratory ventilators
- Provide quality and compassionate care for both patients and families in the critical care setting
 - Works as part of an interdisciplinary team in daily rounds to provide the best patient care

VA Medical Center- Minneapolis

Registered Nurse- Post Anesthesia Care Unit/ Surgery Center

February 2016- November 2018

Works as a team with Anesthesiologists and Certified Nurse Anesthetists, recovering patients after various procedures requiring both general and monitored care anesthesia. Prior to procedures, provides health assessments, obtains accurate medical and medication history. Post operatively, monitors airway and vital signs, assessing for any adverse reactions to anesthesia. Responds quickly and competently to

emergency situations. Administers medications as determined by protocols and nursing assessment for pain and nausea. Provides post operative teaching to patients and family.

Key accomplishments

- Serves as Charge Nurse
- Serves as Unit champion for patient suicide prevention program
- Serves as Unit Environment of Care champion
- completed rigorous training program for the care of perioperative patients

Registered Nurse- Medical/Surgical Intensive Care Unit

April 2013- February 2016

Serves as a Registered Nurse in a critical care setting. Providing specialized care for critically ill medicine and post surgical patients. Highly respected by physicians and staff for responding to emergency situations, collaborative team settings, and competency in complex medical procedures. Experience in: CRRT, balloon pump placement and monitoring, moderate sedation, catheters and lines, respiratory ventilators, open heart recovery, post anesthesia wake up, code procedures and protocols, wound care and assessment, laboratory draws, and assessment of the critically ill patient.

Key accomplishments

- Serves as Charge Nurse
- Serves as unit champion for patient suicide prevention program
- Trained and educated fellow staff and physicians on policies and procedures for the suicidal patient to keep patient safe
- Completed rigorous training program for the care of the critically ill patient
- Completed in depth training on specialized cardiac and respiratory equipment to include swan-ganz catheters, balloon pump, and several types of respiratory ventilators
- Provide quality and compassionate care for both patients and families in the critical care setting
 - Works as part of an interdisciplinary team in daily rounds to provide the best patient care

Air National Guard

Nurse

March 2013- present

Serves as a critical care nurse on a Critical Care Air Transport Team. Member of the specialized three person medical team that operates a portable intensive care unit on an aircraft. Provides critical care and stabilization to the critically injured or ill patient during the stressors of flight. Completed in depth specialized training to manage the care of trauma, shock, burns, respiratory failure, and other critical medical scenarios during en route care to ensure the safe transport of patients to the next level of care.

Bethesda Hospital- St. Paul

Registered Nurse- Float Pool

August 2012- April 2013

Serves as a Registered Nurse in an acute care setting. Assigned to the float pool, experience includes, ICU step down, cardiac telemetry monitoring, respiratory care to include tracheostomy and ventilators, complex acute medical care, wound dressings, traumatic brain injuries, and behavior and psychiatric patients. Actively participated in interdisciplinary care of patients with long term acute medical problems. Ensured that provider's orders were carried out effectively across the wide variety of settings

in the hospital.

Key Accomplishments

- Selected as one of only five new graduate RN's to be admitted into the Nurse Residency Program at Bethesda after a rigorous selection process
- Completed training in 12 Lead ECG and telemetry cardiac monitoring
- Completed training in "Code Green" response to violent behaviors and training in deescalation of behavior patients.
 - Provided excellent customer service and patient care to patients in a variety of settings, with a wide variety of medical problems, across the entire hospital.