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OBJECTIVE

Continue to master the multi-faceted discipline of nursing through education and clinical experience.

WHY ME? Years of experience in the customer service and wellness industry, and a combined experience of 1.5 years as an ER nurse has proven I am highly adept at helping people and teaching them to help themselves. I tend to have a great relationship with those who I work with, work for, and those who work for me. I am smart, curious, and an excellent communicator, especially with those in physical or psychological distress. I thrive and adapt quickly in new situations and environments with new people. Finally, my size and strength, coupled with my amiable, tolerant, and compassionate nature makes me an asset in acute hospital settings.

EDUCATION/CERTIFICATIONS

Malcolm X College, City Colleges of Chicago, ADN
May 2017
BLS certified
July 2017
ACLS certified
Oct 2017
PALS certified
Dec 2017
TNCC
Dec 2018
Registered Nurse License
Active: 041454395
BSN in progress - Purdue University
Dec 2019

SKILLS:

EMERGENCY DEPT: Respiratory distress/arrest, cardiac arrest, cardiac emergencies, IV therapy, pain management, substance abuse, wound management, blood transfusions, procedural sedation, end-of-life care, CVA care, sepsis management, abdominal pain management, metabolic emergencies, toxicologic emergencies, STI's, bites and stings.

REHAB: Picc lines, G-tubes, IV fluids, dialysis, trachs, ostomies , wound drains/wound vacs, complex wound management, IV medications, blood transfusions, nutrition/hydration, sleep/restfulness, bowel and bladder management, pain management, skin integrity, efficient swallow, discharge readiness, carryover techniques, knowledge deficits, psychosocial needs, interventions, collaboration with nursing, occupational therapist, physical therapist,

speech language pathology, case management, Physiatrists, MDs, and medical specialists

WORK EXPERIENCE

Advocate Trinity - Full-Time - Emergency Department

2017-present Westlake Hospital - Registry - Emergency Department

2017-present

PERSONAL TRAINER - OWNER

2003-2017

Tapas Barcelona - MANAGER OF RESTAURANT

2000-2003