# Lauren E. Perdue

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**OBJECTIVE:** To obtain a job as a Registered Nurse

#### **EDUCATION:**

Iowa Western Community College Council Bluffs, IA May 2012

• Associates Degree in Nursing

• Associates Degree in Science July 2009

• Diploma in Surgical Technology July 2009

#### LICENSES/CERTIFICATIONS:

- RN State of Iowa-2012
- LPN State of Iowa
- ACLS
- BLS
- Adult/Child Abuse Identification & Reporting
- TNCC
- PALS

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

Emergency Room/ Trauma Registered Nurse

Unity Point Health Des Moines, IA August 2012-Present

- Charge Nurse position
- Place Midline Peripheral IV's.
- Performing patient care duties: placing IVs, lab draws, respiratory cares, NG/OG cares, Catheter cares
- Basic clerical functions: phone operations, communicating with staff, managers and physicians
- Collecting lab samples
- Monitoring and obtaining Vital signs
- Administering IV, PO, IM medications
- Utilizing computer charting
- Assisting physicians with procedures
- Completing patient procedures (NG/OG, catheter, splinting)

### Emergency Room Tech/Unit Secretary

Jennie Edmundson Memorial Hospital Council Bluffs, IA September 2007-July 2012

- Perform EKGs
- Assisting with activities and hygiene related patient care
- Basic clerical functions: phone etiquette, communicating with staff, managers, patients, physicians.
- Reports vital information immediately to the nurse and physician
- Prepares rooms for next patient, cleans clinical equipment, carts, wheelchair, etc.

- Obtain and monitor patients' Vital signs.
- Collects urine, stool and sputum samples.
- Answer call lights, and check on patients routinely for comfort and satisfaction.
- Assist nurses and physicians with procedures (splinting, catheter & NG placement, etc.)
- Perform CPR
- Assists in the transportation of patients for discharge and transfers as needed

# LPN/CNA/ER Tech

Alegent Health Mercy Hospital

Council Bluffs, IA

November 2007-July 2012

- Perform EKGs
- Obtain and monitor patient's vital signs.
- Perform CPR
- Assisting with activities and hygiene related patient care
- Reports vital information immediately to the nurse and physician
- Assists in the transportation of patients for discharge and transfers as needed
- Obtain doctor orders concerning patients medical status
- Administer PO, IM medications
- Prepares rooms for next patient, cleans clinical equipment, carts, wheelchair, etc
- Records and reports any changes in patient conditions to the supervising RN or charge nurse.
- Utilizes a computer to input data and retrieve information

# **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:**

- Medical Surgical: Mercy Hospital, Bergan Mercy,
  - Lakeside & Immanuel Hospital
- Pediatrics: Bergan Mercy
- Labor & Delivery: Bergan Mercy
- Emergency Department: Mercy Hospital
- Heart and Vascular: Bergan Mercy
- ICU: Bergan Mercy
- Psychiatric: Lasting Hope Recovery Center

## **HONORS:**

- Alice Oth Charitable Foundation from Jennie Edmundson
- Iowa Western Community College Foundation Scholarship
- Jennie Edmundson Nursing Education Scholarship Fund
- Dr. Eugene & Mrs. Linda Lloyd Nursing Foundation Scholarship from Iowa Western Community College