

SHANNON KOSTKA

RN, BSN.

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Dedicated, compassionate and professional ER Nurse with over 24 years of experience caring for patients, primarily in a trauma setting. Calm and confident under pressure, strong clinical judgement, outstanding IV skills, focused, self-motivated, decisive and culturally responsive; seeking a position treating home-infusion therapy patients.

Experience

Amita Health - Hinsdale Hospital Emergency Department 2000 - Present

- **ER Nurse** - Comprehensive patient care management, from triage to discharge. Assessed, evaluated, treated and documented care for patients with myriad conditions, from minor to life-threatening. Experience with Pyxis medication distribution machine and Cerner computer charting.
- **Trauma Registrar** - Extracting and analyzing data, for entry and submission. 2018 - Present

Loyola University Medical Center

- **Telemetry Nurse** - Monitored and cared for critically ill cardiac patients. 1995 - 1998
- **Interventional Radiology** - Prepared, sedated and monitored patients who were undergoing a variety of procedures. 1998 - 1999
- **ER Nurse** (Level 1 Trauma Center) - Cared for critically ill patients in a high volume, fast paced, often chaotic environment Utilized life-saving skills on a regular basis. 1998 - 1999

Education and Certificates

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, St. Joseph College of Nursing **University of St. Francis - Joliet, IL**

- Trauma Nurse Core Course (TNCC),
- Pediatric Cardiac Life Support (PALS),
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS),
- Emergency Communications Registered Nurse (ECRN),
- Emergency Nurse Pediatric Course (ENPC),
- Cardiac Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)