

# Traci L. Fuller, RN, BSN, CCRN

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Objective: To obtain an ICU Staff RN position at Highland Park Hospital

## Education

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING | MAY 16, 1987 | THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO

## Qualifications

I have 32 years of Critical Care experience with the majority of those in a Cardiac Intensive Care Unit, 2 years in a Neurosciences ICU, and 2 years in a Surgical ICU in Saudi Arabia. I am able to care for patients with any type of pressure and monitoring lines and patients on CRRT. I am proficient with many devices such as ECMO, IABP, VAD and Impella. I care for patients on vasoactive drugs needing to be titrated as well as on ventilators. I have also started and served on Practice Councils on many of the units I have worked to write practice and procedure guidelines to increase patient care quality and safety. My past and recent experience have helped me form expert clinical judgment and critical thinking skills. My job in Saudi Arabia was in a culturally diverse setting and required me to further develop interpersonal communication skills working with health care workers from multiple countries, as well as learn some basic Arabic. This experience has prepared me to further my experience working with an interdisciplinary health care team.

## Experience

**TRAVEL RN, MEDICAL SOLUTIONS, ICU, CALIFORNIA PACIFIC MEDICAL CENTER-VAN NESS, SAN FRANCISCO, DECEMBER 2018-PRESENT.**

WORK IN A LARGE MEDICAL/SURGICAL ICU, CARING FOR A VARIETY OF CRITICAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL PATIENTS.

**STAFF RN, NORTHWESTERN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, JANUARY 2016-JULY 2018.**

Worked in a large Cardiac and Transplant ICU caring for very critically ill patients post-op, post-transplant with a variety of medical devices including ventricular assist devices, continuous dialysis machines and ECMO devices. I started a Practice Council and served as the Chairperson as we wrote and submitted numerous practice and procedure guidelines for our unit.

**TRAVEL RN, MEDICAL SOLUTIONS, ICU RN, KENOSHA HOSPITAL, WISCONSIN, JUNE 2015-DECEMBER 2015**

Worked in general ICU as staff RN caring for a variety of critical medical and surgical patients.

**STAFF RN, CLEVELAND CLINIC ABU DHABI, ICU, DECEMBER 2014-MAY 2015**

Worked in the ICU helping to set-up unit and develop and write policies, procedures and guidelines, readying the hospital for opening and treatment of patients.

**SN1 | KING FAISAL SPECIALIST HOSPITAL AND RESEARCH CENTER | 8 NOVEMBER, 2012-OCTOBER 2014**

Care for critically ill or high risk surgical patients post-op. Have learned routines for admitting complicated liver transplant patients as well as various other complicated surgeries that require close monitoring, post-op ventilation weaning and requirement of administration of vasoactive drugs.

I have participated in hospital wide committee "Speak Up Campaign: Pain Management", as well as SSCU-B's Magnet committee by developing an educational Magnet board for the staff as well as doing 1:1 teaching.

I have worked with a co-worker to bring in-line vamps for pressure lines to draw blood without opening line or wasting blood by going through practice councils.

I have served in the Unit Based Practice Council and am involved in PI project for documentation.

**STAFF RN, OREGON HEALTH AND SCIENCES UNIVERSITY, NEUROSCIENCES ICU, DECEMBER 2010-NOVEMBER 2012**

Care for critically ill patients with a variety of neurological disorders. Recover and care for a variety of neurosurgical patients, managing patients on ventilators and patients with ventriculostomy drains.

I frequently precepted nursing students as well as taught EKG classes and was a CRRT super trainer.

**STAFF RN/ ASSISTANT HEAD NURSE, PROVIDENCE PORTLAND MEDICAL CENTER, CARDIAC ICU, FEBRUARY 2002-DECEMBER 2010**

Provide critical care for post open-heart recovery patients as well as critical MI patients and critical overflow medical-surgical patients. I also performed charge RN duties and assisted with unit scheduling and performance evaluations.

I participated in Unit based practice council, hospital wide Resuscitation committee, Education committee, as well as developed and revised policies and procedures for CICU.

**STAFF RN, OREGON HEALTH AND SCIENCES UNIVERSITY, CARDIOTHORACIC SURGICAL ICU, SEPTEMBER 1999-FEBRUARY 2002**

Provide care for cardiac surgical patients, which included post-open heart and heart transplant patients. I regularly acted as preceptor to nursing students and new graduate RNs. I also performed charge nurse duties on a regular basis.

**STAFF RN, PROVIDENCE PORTLAND MEDICAL CENTER, CICU, SEPTEMBER 1990-AUGUST 1999**

Provided cardiac critical care in part-time and on-call positions.

**STAFF RN, UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI HOSPITALS AND CLINICS, THORACIC ICU, AUGUST 1989-JULY 1990**

Provided critical nursing care for critically ill patients recovering from thoracic and open-heart surgeries.

**STAFF RN, PROVIDENCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, ICU, EL PASO, TX, MAY 1987-JULY 1989**

Provided critical care nursing to a variety of critically ill medical-surgical patients.

## **Licenses/Certifications/Awards**

October 2003-present CCRN.

Current BLS and ACLS.

Current RN licenses in states of California, Illinois and New York.

Nurse of Year, Portland Providence Medical Center, 2008

Preceptor of Year, Oregon Health and Sciences University, 2012

## **Volunteer Experience:**

Raphael House—Portland, Oregon, USA. Crisis advocate in shelter for women and children fleeing domestic violence. Jan 2012-Dec. 2012.

World Relief Chicago, Chicago Illinois. Jan 2018-July 2018. English tutor for refugees.

Palestine Medical Relief Society, Palestine. October 2018. Volunteer with mobile medical clinic.

