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 Work History

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| Company Name: |   Home; Manning S.C. | 01/01/2016 - Present |
| Job Title: |   Registered Nurse Kindred |
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| Company Name: |    | 01/01/1998 - 11/01/2019 |
| Job Title: |   Nurse Manager OB/ L&amp;D |
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| Company Name: |   Med/ Surg | 01/01/1998 - 11/01/2019 |
| Job Title: |   Nurse Manager |
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| Company Name: |    | 01/01/1998 - 11/01/2019 |
| Job Title: |   Nurse Manager ICU |
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| Company Name: |   Clarendon Health Systems | 01/01/2014 - 01/01/2016 |
| Job Title: |   Registered Nurse /Charge Nurse Surgical Services |
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| Company Name: |   Regional Medical Center of Orangeburg and Calhoun Counties | 01/01/2007 - 01/01/2014 |
| Job Title: |   Registered Nurse/ Nurse Manager OR, Cath Lab, PACU Educator for OR, Team Leader, Charge Nurse, Staff Nurse |
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| Company Name: |   Home Health; Carolinas Hospital System - Florence S.C. | 01/01/2002 - 01/01/2007 |
| Job Title: |   Registered Nurse/ Staff Nurse MICU |
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| Company Name: |   McLeod Regional Medical Center | 01/01/2000 - 01/01/2002 |
| Job Title: |   Registered Nurse/ Director of Emergency Services |
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| Company Name: |   Carolinas Hospital System - Kingstree S.C. | 01/01/1998 - 01/01/2000 |
| Job Title: |   Registered Nurse/ Chief Nursing Officer |
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| Company Name: |    | 01/01/1998 - 12/31/1999 |
| Job Title: |   Interim Chief Nursing Officer |
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 Education

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| School: |   Walden University | Graduation Date: |  |
| Major: |    |
| Degree: |   Master's Degree |
| School: |   Medical University of South Carolina College of Health Professionals | Graduation Date: |  |
| Major: |    |
| Degree: |   Bachelor's Degree |
| School: |   Florence Darlington Technical College | Graduation Date: |  |
| Major: |    |
| Degree: |   Associate Degree |

 Additional Skills And Qualifications

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| Security Clearance: |   No |  |  |

 Desired Position

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| Desired Relocation: | No |  |

 Resume

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| Dear Sir or Madam,Please accept this letter as an expressed interest in Quality Assurance, Case Management. I amcurrently employed as a remote Quality Assurance RN in a Manger of Clinical Practice Role with'Kindred at Home' Home Health Services in Manning SC. During my tenure within this and pastpositions, I have accumulated more than 30 years of nursing experience in healthcare. As you willsee from my resume, I have a strong background and interest in providing safe quality patient care.Additionally I have previous management, supervisory, quality, and case management experience.Based on my experience, diverse professional skills, diverse clinical skills and strong work ethic,I am confident that I would quickly become an asset to your team.It would be my pleasure to meet with you to further discuss my qualifications. Thank you for yourtime and consideration. I look forward to speaking with you soon.Respectfully submitted,Miranda L. Adams-Upp BHS MSNMiranda M. Adams-Upp RN BHS MSN1546 Cottage Dr.Summerton S.C. 29148803-478-8966843-245-4059OBJECTIVE: To obtain a position as an RN where my experience in Home Health FieldWork and Quality Assurance Management, Critical Care, Surgical Services, Emergencynursing, Case Management Skills, Quality, Educational and Administrative Managementbackground will be utilized.SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS: Proven experience as a Chief Nursing Office, Director, NurseManager, House Supervisor, Case Manager and Field and StaffNurse. Strong background in Nursing Management, Critical Care, Education,Quality and Case Management. Nursing experience includes Nursing Administration,Surgical Services, Critical Care, Emergency and Home Health Nursing. Dedicated motivated self-starter who demonstrates the ability to provideprofessional leadership skills, effective and efficient patient care.EDUCATION:Masters Science Nursing Education (MSN), 2009Walden University Honor graduate GPA 4.0Bachelor in Health Sciences , 2001Medical University of South Carolina College of HealthProfessionals Honor graduate magna cum laude GPA 3.82Associate Degree in Nursing , 1986Florence Darlington Technical College Honor graduate; Graduated seventh in class with a GPA 3.32LICENSURE &amp; CERTIFICATION: Certified Nurse in OR (CNOR) 2013 Registered Nurse, 1986, South Carolina State Board of Nursing (current) Certification course for Certified Nurse Operating Room (2011) Certification course for Nurse Executive (2011) ACLS (Advanced Cardiac Life Support) (current) PALS (Pediatric Advanced Life Support) (current) BCLS (Basic Cardiac Life Support) (current) TNCC (Trauma Nurse Core Certification) (not current) Critical Care Courses, 1977; 1980; 1999, 2004 - AACN Chemotherapy Course Home Health SCDHECNURSING EXPERIENCE:Registered Nurse Kindred at Home 2016 - CurrentManning S.C. Served as the Manager of Clinical Practice - QA onsite and remote Collaborated with the Branch Director and Manager of Clinical Practice -Operations to ensure Stateof SC, Federal Medicare, and CHAPS standards were compliant Audited Medicare PPS, Medicare Advantage Plans, VeteransAdministration, Medicaid and Private payors for release. Audited OASIS C, C2 and Dcharts for compliance with Medicare standards. Responsible for Medicare 5-star rating with increase from 2.5 to 4 stars Responsible for Quality Assurance Performance Improvement Audits, quarterly reports, meetingagenda with committee and implementing improvement plans Responsible for staff education for OASIS, state and federal Medicare standard updates andcompliance Responsible for completion and compliance of the Medical Record Software applications Microsoft Office, Webmail, Validation within OASIS, SHP validation, GentivaLink, Kindred Link and other associated programs.Registered Nurse /Charge Nurse Surgical Services 2014- 2016Clarendon Health Systems - Manning SC. Served in an assistant role to the Nursing Manager of the OR Audited and reviewed surgical services documentation for quality Finalized documentation and OR charges for appropriateness and completeness Responsible for new policy development and annual editing Coordinated the daily OR schedule and staffing Responsible for daily operations in the absence of the Nurse Manager Participated on the Surgical Services Administrative Team Meetings Collected, complied, documented and reported OR data for the department Supervised the OR staff on a daily basis Participated in Lean Team activities and implementation of projectsRegistered Nurse/ Nurse Manager OR, Cath Lab, PACUEducator for OR, Team Leader, Charge Nurse, Staff Nurse 2007-2014Regional Medical Center of Orangeburg and Calhoun CountiesSurgical Services Responsible for assisting the Director with daily operations for the OperatingRoom and Cath Lab Ensure patient safety and quality by participating in SCIP Committee andactivities Responsible for successful implementation of SC Safe Surgery 2015, Ensuredpatient safety by assuring interactive time-out for each patient, Performs dailyaudits of process and debriefing Implemented smoke evacuation in the OR and Cath Lab Introduction of a latex free glove program including double gloving. Participated in go live for Surginet - Cerner Software (2009) ensures, audit andmonitors documentation and patient charge compliance. Transitioned the Safe Patient Care handling program eliminating roller boards inthe OR. Collaborated with Central Processing and administration to decrease flashing inthe OR from over 700 flashes to less than 20 flashes per year. Responsible for auditing and monitoring daily autoclave and laser logs. Collaborated with pathology lab and staff to ensure compliance with specimenlabeling. Actively followed standards put forth by The Joint Commission, DHEC and AORNwhile serving as Educator and Nurse Manager. Participated on the Products Committee and Surgical Value Analysis Team. Ensuredimprovements were made to the environment of care by participating inenvironmental rounding. Monitored, maintained and provided troubleshooting for the patient charge systemin Cerner. Updated physician preference cards on a daily basis. Provided statistical data for daily reports for TOT, First Case Starts,Productivity, Debriefing, and LEAN Projects Member of Steering Committee for Surgical LEAN Projects Served as committee member and partner for Infection Control and Environment ofCare Implemented an evidenced-based orientation program operating room staff andintroduced evidenced-based orientation program for PACU. Collaborated with nursing administration in building a Just Culture safe patientcare environment in the OR by discouraging lateral violence Updated standards for Malignant Hyperthermia for OR and L&amp;D inclusive ofelectronic annual competency Responsible for the orientation of new employees in the OR and PACU Coordinated educational programs and monthly staff meetings for the OperatingRoom Informed legislators of patient safety in the OR by the observation of time outfor every patient as sponsored by AORN Assisted with the transition of Dialysis Access Institute Collaborated with Blood Bank on proper storage of Human Tissue Products. Auditedand Maintained the Human Tissue Log for the OR 2009-mid 2014Registered Nurse/ Staff Nurse MICU, Home Health, 2002 -2007Carolinas Hospital System - Florence S.C.Home Health Services Field PositionResponsible for the management of a caseload of 30 patientsserving multiple counties,duties included, nursing care plan development, patient assessments,admissions,recertification, home visits, supervision of Licensed Practical Nurses,and Nursing Assistants Collaborated with a multi-disciplinary team to achieve optimal safe patient care,inclusive of PT, ST, OT, MSW Staff Nurse Role Providing quality care to patients in a 12 bed Medical Intensive Care Unit. Providing quality care to patients in a 13 bed Surgical Intensive Care Unit on a PRNbasis.Registered Nurse/ Director of Emergency Services, 2000 - 2002McLeod Regional Medical Center - Florence S.C.Served as the Director of Emergency Services for a 64 bed LevelII Trauma Center, Emergency Department, and Heart Reach services Responsible for the daily operations, budget, recruitment, and retention of personnel,supervision of a staff of 114 employees. Special projects included implementation of Medicare APC charge system Implementation of a patient tracking system, redesign of triage from a two-tier level toa five-tier level system Construction and opening of a new fifteen bed Fast Track Construction and opening of a new fifteen bed Urgent Care Unit Implementation of a new document imaging software program for ED medical records.Registered Nurse/ Chief Nursing Officer, 1998 - 2000Carolinas Hospital System - Kingstree S.C.Served as the Chief Nursing Officer for a 90 - bed ruralhospital:Responsibilities included daily operations of the nursingdepartment, managed an employeestaff of eighty-ninety employees, budget, recruitment andretention of nursing personnel,policy and procedure development and revision, staff education,performance improvement,employee counseling, Evaluations. Responsible for JACHO and DHEC regulation compliance Interim Chief Nursing Officer, 1998; 1999 Nurse Manager OB/ L&amp;D, 1998 Nurse Manager Med/ Surg, 1998 Nurse Manager ICU, 1998 House Supervisor, 1997 - 1998Registered Nurse, 1997 - 1999Staff Relief, Inc, (SRI), Charleston, South Carolina PRN assignments at various area hospitals; ICU MICU, EDRegistered Nurse/ Case Manager, 1991 - 1997DHEC Home Health Services - Clarendon County - Manning S.C.Responsible for the management of a caseload of 30 patients duties included,planning of nursing care, patient assessments, admissions, recertification, homevisits, supervision of nursing assistants. Worked with a multi-disciplinary team to achieve optimal patient care, inclusiveof PT, ST, OT, MSWPROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:Association of PeriOperative NursesAmerican Nursing AssociationSouth Carolina Nursing AssociationNurse of the Year for Carolina's Home Health Service - 2006Palmetto Gold Award Nomination - 2006REFERENCES: Available upon request |