Martha Adams

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Registered Nurse at Tucson Medical Center

Tucson, Arizona, United StatesHospital & Health Care

Education

Jefferson College of Health Sciences, Bachelor's Degree, Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse

Summary

I am presently RN working at Tucson Medical Center on the Medical Surgical unit. I am ACLS, PALS, and BLS certified. My past experience includes Neonatal ICU level 3 and level 4. Twenty years of my career as an RN was spent in the NICU and Pediatric area. I also worked full time and per diem in pediatric home health. In March of 2007 I changed my career focus to the Post Anesthesia Care Unit working with adults and pediatric patients. At Duke University I had the opportunity to work in an adult 24 hour observation unit. Since arriving in Tucson I have been able to expand my skills even further to include Pre op area and PACU. In the fall of 2014 I plan on entering Graduate degree program obtaining my MSN. In May of this year I am taking the ASPAN certification exam for post anesthesia nursing.

Experience

RN III

Banner - University Medical Center Tucson

Present

My responsibilities include providing care to post surgical patients ranging from newborn to elderly. Provide bedside care to phase 1 to phase 2 patients in the only trauma center in Tucson Az. I also pre op patients for elective surgery as well as emergency or urgent surgical patients. Our patient population includes providing care to lung, kidney and pancreas transplant patients, trauma ICU and Surgical patients. I presently work night shift and I am serve as charge nurse working closely with bed placement and Clinical nurse Supervisor to promote patient progression within the system.

Registered Nurse

Community Bridges Incorporated

March 2019 – Present(10 months)Tucson,Arizona

RN in Community based Alcohol and Substance Abuse Detox Center

Registered Nurse

Banner UMC Tucson

November 2016 – Present(3 years 2 months)Tucson Arizona

Staff RN on a surgical oncology PCU

RN III

University of Arizona Medical Center

May 2010 – Present(9 years 8 months)

Registered Nurse II

Duke University Health System

March 2009 – April 2010(1 year 1 month)Durham North Carolina

Registered Nurse

Vidant Medical Center

March 2007 – February 2009(1 year 11 months)Greenville, North Carolina Area

Registered Nurse

Phoenix Children's Hospital

May 2006 – February 2007(9 months)Phoenix, Arizona Area

Registered Nurse

Carilion Clinic

September 1988 – May 2005(16 years 8 months)Roanoke, Virginia Area

Education

Jefferson College of Health Sciences

Bachelor's Degree, Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse

1998 – 2002

Jefferson College of Health Sciences

Obtained a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing

Virginia Western Community College

Associate's Degree, Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse

1980 – 1984

Virginia Western Community College

Obtained an Associates Degree in Nursing

Languages

English

Skills & Expertise

Pediatrics

PALS

Registered Nurses

Hospitals

Post Anesthesia Care

Neonatal Nursing

EMR

Pre op

ACLS

Certifications

Certification in Perianesthesia Nursing

ASPAN, License

May 2014 – May 2020

Certified Medical Auditor

AAPC, License