### Melissa Maxwell

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#### **PROFILE**

- Approximately three years of post-surgical nursing, 18 months of orthopedic/ neurologic emphasis and eight months' float pool.
- Preceptor and mentor for new and transitioning nurses.
- Regular practice of team work, support of fellow co-workers, and providing a positive work environment.
- Dedicated to helping the patient return to a normal and functional life.
- Able to execute fast paced tasks in difficult emergent situations under pressure with a calm demeanor.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# Registered Nurse (RN), Float Pool, Ortho/Neuro

Trident Medical Center, North Charleston

- Provide nursing care to post-surgical, emergency, oncology, trauma, and various medical patients.
- Current American Heart Association (AHA) BLS certified with participation in several codes of varying degrees.
- Current license as a registered nurse to practice in the state of South Carolina.
- NIH stroke scale certified
- Use of the nursing process using assessment, diagnosing, planning, implementation, and planning.
- Knowledge and implementation of aseptic techniques daily.
- March 2014 to present, 40 hours/week

# Clinical Adjunct (RN, BSN), Francis Marion University Francis Marion University, Florence, SC

- Providing fundamental education to new nursing students.
- Providing correct sterile technique instruction for proper procedures.
- Providing practice, supervision, and competency check-offs for each student.

- Instructing the student with didactic and technical instruction while maintaining integrity and dignity of the profession and the university.
- Maintaining organization, collaborative efforts, and incorporating knowledge and experience with instruction to each student.

### **EDUCATION**

# Francis Marion University, Masters in Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner

• January, 2016-present (ongoing)

### Francis Marion University, Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

• December, 2015

## Trident Technical College, Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN)

• May, 2013

# College of Charleston, Bachelor of Physical Education with a concentration in Exercise Science (BS)

• December, 2006

# College of Charleston, Bachelor of Language in Spanish (BA)

December, 2006

#### References

Jeremy Lizotte 843-259-8684 Social Malissa Flynt 843-442-8098 Professional Karen Dykema 843-697-6568 Professional Natalie Magee 843-810-0601 Professional

<sup>\*</sup>Spouse of a deceased Veteran from Operation Enduring Freedom.