

# Krystiaan Williams

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## Work Experience

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### **Clinical Coordinator - Assisted Living**

Brookdale Senior Living - Chicago, IL

August 2019 to Present

Assess the comprehensive nursing needs of each resident. Coordinate care plans for each resident and over see the day-to-day care to ensure care plans are implemented and followed. Monitors and manages the clinical systems programs (i.e PointClickCare, Skin Management, incident reporting). Examines medication and treatment schedules, works with primary care physicians and provide direct care when needed. Reviews complaints and grievances filed by residents and staff. Assists in determining of unit staffing needs; department recruiting of new associates, selection and the orientation of direct care personnel.

### **Advocate at Home ● Coordinator Clinical Review**

Oak Brook, IL

March 2019 to Present

Internal point person for new home care referrals and changes to existing treatment plans. Collaborate with home care team to determine the most effective method to achieve patient treatment goals. Collaborates with Case Manager/Clinical Manager to monitor plan of care and determine if appropriate goals and interventions are being utilized. Communicate with the interdisciplinary team to address any gaps in the plan of care, prior to submitting 485 to physician for signature. Recognize and reconcile appropriate disease specific care plans, care management of chronic conditions, durable medical equipment and medications in home health service delivery.

### **Registered Nurse II - Neurosciences**

Rush University Medical Center - Chicago, IL

October 2018 to August 2019

Provide care to high acuity patients outside of Intensive Care Unit in the Neurological Intermediate Care. Assess patient safety needs consistently, while implementing patient specific precautions to maintain safety (i.e fall precaution strategies). Demonstrate the ability to provide nursing care to a specific subset of medical patients with acute neurological issues, while also managing chronic and comorbid conditions. Utilize critical thinking skills to perform assessments to evaluate the physical and psychosocial needs to patients and their families. Promote quality patient care by adhering to all unit policies and procedures. Nurse preceptor for new graduate nurses.

### **Registered Nurse I**

Rush University Medical Center - Chicago, IL

April 2018 to October 2018

Establish caring and therapeutic relationships with patients and families within the medical center. Acknowledge the patient, caregiver and families perception of health and illness to work in

collaborative goal setting with the patient and medical team. Assess the safety needs of patient's and implement appropriate strategies to minimize those identified safety risk. Support unit goals and change initiatives to achieve unit specific and hospital wide nursing quality indicators. Demonstrate the ability to provide nursing care to various subspecialties within the medical center (i.e Orthopedics, General Medicine, Oncology).

#### Certifications & Trainings

American Heart Association Basic Life Support Chicago, IL

American Heart Association Advance Care Life Support Chicago, IL

Basic Cardiac Arrhythmias Oakbrook, IL

Registered Nurse Chicago, IL

Clinical Nurse Leader Chicago, IL

#### **Student Nurse**

Rush University Medical Center - Chicago, IL

September 2017 to October 2017

Site description: Magnet academic health systems whose mission is to improve the health of patients in diverse communities.

#### **Student Nurse**

General Medicine Unit - Chicago, IL

January 2016 to August 2017

Advocate Trinity Hospital

Site Description: The Advocate Health System is grounded in a faith-based and integrated care model that delivers holistic care to create the best place for patients to heal.

- Labor and Delivery, Post-partum, Nursery

Haymarket Alcohol Detoxification and Substance Rehabilitation Center

Site Description: Nonprofit community-based adult detoxification, residential, and outpatient substance abuse treatment facility whose mission is to aid people in their recovery

- Women's Seven Day Detoxification Unit, Women's 28 Day Detoxification Unit

Lurie Children's Hospital

Site Description: Recognized as the Best Children's Hospital in Illinois by US News & World Report for 2017-2018 and Magnet recognized academic institution committed to improving the health and well-being of all children.

- Kidney, Liver, and Small Bowel Transplant Unit

Northwestern Memorial Hospital

Site Description: Magnet designated academic health system whose mission is to improve the health of the communities.

- General Medicine Unit

Rush University Medical Center

Site Description: Magnet academic health systems whose mission is to improve the health of patients in diverse communities.

- Neuroscience Intensive Care Unit, Emergency Department, Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, Hematology/Oncology Unit, Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Cardiac Intensive Care Unit.

Saint Anthony Hospital

Site Description: Independent, nonprofit, acute care community hospital whose mission is to improve the health and wellness of families on the West and Southside of Chicago

- Inpatient Psychiatric Unit

#### Simpson Academy

Site Description: Alternative all-girls school for grades 6-12 whose mission is to prepare, educate, and empower adolescent mothers for success in college, career, and life

- Rush's school-based health clinic that focuses on providing health promotion strategies for adolescent mothers such as contraception, sexual transmitted infection screening and prevention, developmental milestones of children.

## Education

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### **MS in Nursing in CNL**

Rush University - Chicago, IL

2016 to 2017

### **MS in Health Administration in Health Administration**

University of St. Francis - Joliet, IL

2011 to 2013

### **BS in Community Health in Health Planning & Administration/Health Education & Promotion**

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign - Champaign, IL

2006 to 2010

## Skills

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- Utilized critical thinking skills to make clinical decisions to deliver safe, quality patient care across the lifespan and health-illness continuum.
- Actively participated in interdisciplinary patient rounds, initiated consultations with the interdisciplinary team based on patients' plan of care, and collaborated with the interdisciplinary team in order to optimize clinical outcomes of patients.
- Communicated effectively to establish and maintain therapeutic relationships with patients and families from diverse backgrounds.
- Administered medications and vaccinations via intravenous, oral, subcutaneous, nasogastric, orogastric routes under the supervision of clinical instructors and RNs.
- Measured and evaluated vital signs and rhythm strips of adult patients on cardiac monitors and mechanical ventilators per protocols.
- Set up and monitored IV fluids, blood administration, nasogastric, gastric tube feedings of pediatrics and adult patients.
- Provided care to patients with various catheters such as triple lumen central lines, peripherally inserted central catheters, port-a-cath, intravenous catheters, and urinary catheters.
- RN

## Certifications and Licenses

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**Registered Nurse (RN)**

March 2018 to May 2020