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I am a Registered Nurse who enjoys educating others in health related topics. Read more ....

Colgate, Wisconsin, United StatesHospital & Health Care

Education

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Bachelor's and Master's degrees , Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse

Role:

Registered Nurse

Location:

Wisconsin, United States

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Background

Summary

My current focus is on Ambulatory Surgery pre-op, recovery and post-op care. Instructor of BLS, provide In-Service presentations for employees continuing education and participate with the orientation of new nurses. I also review charts for a variety of documentation surveys.

Throughout my career I provided hands on, face to face contact with patients and their families. My passion is teaching staff and patients, using an approach to help them understand. In the past I have taught a Nursing Assistant class and served as an Inservice instructor for a large long term care facility. I have worked in ICU/CCU, Home Care and Elderly care. I am passionate about my career and plan to work for many years to come. I am one of the lucky ones!

Experience

Registered Nurse

AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTER

November 1998 – Present(21 years 2 months)

In my current position I am responsible for assessing patients physical, social, emotional and spiritual needs. Having the pleasure of meeting patients from many different countries, religions and social groups, and have taught myself to adapt to many different personalities and learning needs.

In the recovery room I'm guiding patients as they awaken from anesthesia, managing their comfort while communicating closely with doctors.

When patient's are ready for home, I teach the necessary cares for home and successful recovery.

My current career track is twofold,

First I have the opportunity to support patients and families through a rough day of their lives.

Secondly, I find much enjoyment teaching and guiding new and experienced healthcare providers through the life support class maze. I teach BLS, formerly taught ACLS, so I provide mock codes for staff learning.

Registered Nurse

Ambulatory Surgery Center

November 1998 – Present(21 years 2 months)Menomonee Falls, Wisconsin

I am currently working on an update. Here is a brief summary.

I am a Registered Nurse currently working in an Ambulatory Surgery Center. My experience includes pre-op, acute recovery and discharge. The patient population ranges from infants as young as 9 months to adults well into their 90's. I am certified in BLS, ACLS and PALS.

I have experience in hospital nursing, medical-surgical, CCU, ICU, Home Care and Long Term care for both the elderly and Developmentally Disabled. I have trained and tested Certified Nursing Assistants, as well as in Educational Development iin long term care. I currently instructing BLS and have in the past taught ACLS. I volunteer as staff educator at my current location.

I have my Bachelor's and Master's degree in Nursing from U.W.-Milwaukee.

Education

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Bachelor's and Master's degrees , Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Skills & Expertise

Training

Leadership

Medical Records

Sales

PALS certified

Healthcare Management

Communication

Elder Care

Nursing

Time Management

BLS

Patient Safety

Nursing Education

Hospitals

Long-term Care

Public Speaking

Nursing Assistant Training and Testing

Acute Care

Cardiology

Telemetry

Customer Service

In-Service Training

Inpatient

Patient Education

Working with Physicians

Medication Administration

ACLS

Documentation

Home Care

Healthcare

Critical Care

Medical-Surgical

CPR Certified

Intensive Care

Certifications

Basic Life Suport Instructor

American Heart Association, License

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Advanced Cardiac Life Supprt

American Heart Association, License

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Pediatric Advanced Life Support Provider

American Heart Association, License

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Jodi Glickman on Pitching Yourself

LinkedIn, License

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