BRIANA KELLEY

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SUMMARY

Highly trained critical care nursing professional accomplished in managing patients' conditions and delivering key treatments. Expert in monitoring health and care to proactively meet individual patients' needs. Fully qualified and certified to care for patients with varying ranges of health histories and care requirements. Committed to increasing patient satisfaction through successfully advocating patient needs and streamlining care using critical thinking for effective interventions.

SKILLS

- RESPIRATORY MAINTENANCE
- ENDOTRACHEAL INTUBATION
- HEMODYNAMIC MONITORING AND INTERVENTION
- CRITICAL CARE PROCEDURES, IMPLEMENTATION, AND SETUP
- PATIENT ASSESSMENTS AND CARE PLAN DEVELOPMENT
- MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION, TITRATION, AND EVALUATION BASED ON PATIENT CONDITION

- PRIORITIZATION AND TIME MANAGEMENT
- EMR: EPIC, CERNER, SOARIAN, MEDITECH
- LAB RESULT INTERPRETATION
- STRONG CLINICAL JUDGEMENT AND CRITICAL THINKING
- PATIENT AND FAMILY ADVOCACY

EXPERIENCE

NOMAD HEALTH

Chicago, IL

Surgical Intensive Care Registered Nurse

01/2022 to 04/2022

- 14 bed ICU for critically ill surgical patients in a 464 bed, public, level I trauma and teaching facility, in Chicago
- Identified abnormal and critical respiratory patterns through direct pulmonary assessments.
- Prioritized and organized tasks to efficiently accomplish service goals.
- Demonstrated self-reliance by meeting and exceeding workflow needs.

HUMBOLDT PARK HEALTH

CHICAGO, IL

Intensive Care Registered Nurse

09/2021 to 11/2021

- 12 bed ICU in a 200 bed acute care community hospital with a comprehensive stroke center designation
- Received and assessed more overdose patients than any other hospital and became extremely familiar with maintenance protocols
- Navigated the process of final wishes for patients with no family nor living will, involving state guardianship
- Worked alongside Gift of Hope nurses frequently and gained valuable information to put in practice.
- Provided care for critically ill patients with issues regarding COVID pneumonia, drug/alcohol withdrawal, STEMI, NSTEMI, and DKA patients.

MALONE STAFFING SOLUTIONS

HARVEY, IL

Intensive Care Registered Nurse

05/2021 to 07/2021

- Assessed and managed various patient treatments for numerous patient diagnoses from sepsis to acute respiratory distress
- Coordinated with healthcare staff from various disciplines to devise, carry out and manage personalized care plans to benefit patient health and recovery
- Provided targeted care and treatment to critically ill patients

ADVOCATE CHRIST MEDICAL CENTER

OAK LAWN, IL

- Busiest Level I Trauma and Magnet-designated teaching hospital in the Chicago area
- Implemented interventions, including medication and IV administration, catheter insertion and airway management
- Adapted to 4 different temporary ICU spaces while transitioning from the Surgical Trauma ICU to COVID ICU to facilitate the flow of hospital operations
- Managed and administered critical care medications including multiple vasoactive infusions, sedatives, paralytics, dysrhthymics, and many more high acuity drips based on patient's condition and vital signs
- Continually adjusted to nursing and hospital protocols upon the pandemic as new knowledge and recommendations were provided following CDC guidelines

FAVORITE HEALTHCARE AGENCY

CHICAGO, IL

Registered Nurse, COVID-19 Intensive Care Unit

02/2020 to 05/2020

- 18 bed ICU in a 300 bed nonprofit and Magnet-designated teaching hospital
- Managed COVID positive intubated patients in crisis, ventilated ICU patient ratio of 2-4:1 RN.
- Responded to the COVID-19 pandemic and crisis as a frontline ICU nurse within a health system holding 95% COVID positive patients
- Worked with interdisciplinary healthcare team to develop, implement and manage care plans, ensuring the inclusion of patients' individual needs
- Recognized and treated COVID-19 symptoms according to established policies and practices

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER

NASHVILLE, TN

Surgical Intensive Care Registered Nurse

02/2019 to 02/2020

- Nationally ranked and consistently on the Best Hospitals Honor Roll, Level I Trauma, Magnet-designated, and teaching hospital
- Provided exceptional care to high-acute patients needing complex care such as ventilator management, extensive wound care, surgical drain care and rehabilitation
- Guided and educated patients and caregivers on diagnoses, disease management, preventive measures, medication use and self-care to foster consistency in care administration
- Conducted patient assessments, recorded vitals and analyzed records and charts to define care requirements
- Used critical thinking to break down problems, evaluate solutions and make decisions.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE: NURSING MARIAN UNIVERSITY, INDIANAPOLIS, IN

12/2018

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE: DIETETICS

05/2017

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI, OXFORD, MS

LICENSES/ CERTIFICATIONS

• Registered Professional Nurse

License: 041491051

State of Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

• Registered Professional Nurse

License: 235875 (compact)
Tennessee State Board of Health

• Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Provider

American Heart Association

• Basic Life Support (BLS) Provider

American Heart Association

• NIHSS Certification

American Heart Association; American Stroke Association