

Kathryn Anne Morel

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OBJECTIVE:

To obtain a Registered Nurse (RN) FT Days Position.

LICENSURE:

Active Missouri RN License

April 2017

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS:

Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska

GPA: 4.0

Nursing Class '16 Valedictorian

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

May 2016

RN Licensure

May 2016

Basic Life Support Certification (BLS) w/ AED:

Aug 2016

Pain Ambassador

Mar 2017

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

Centerpoint Medical Center
Orthopedic Surgical Nurse

May 2016-Present

- Assessed surgical, orthopedic, & bariatric patients pre & post op
- Prepped admitted patients for surgery
- Monitored vital signs for early post-op complications
- Drew labs and called critical values to physicians
- Performed patient education about plan of care, diet, and expectations after bariatric surgery
- Prioritized problems and formulated patient-specific care plans
- Analyzed telemetry rhythms & EKG's
- Relayed critical clinical information/changes to physician in timely manner
- Managed post-operative pain with multimodal drugs & nonpharmacologic interventions
- Called physician to update on patient condition & to advance diet
- Assisted patients with safe transfers and ambulation post-op

CHI Mercy, Council Bluffs, IA
Senior Student Nursing Capstone

Spring 2016

- Supported anxious family members and gave anticipatory guidance
- Managed the care
- Charted all patient assessments and vitals
- Administered IV and PO medications and managed IV pumps
- Identified priority nursing assessments, diagnoses, interventions, and outcomes for all patients
- Participated in palliative care consult with family and provided MD with assessment data

Bergan Mercy Medical Center, Omaha, Nebraska: Multi Client Med-Surg
Student Nurse

September 2015

- Managed the care of 2-3 post-surgical orthopedic patients
- Managed care of lines, drains, and ventilators
- Interpreted EKG strips daily
- Identified priority nursing diagnoses and clinical outcomes based on patient assessments
- Participated in interdisciplinary care rounds and gave input to charge nurse for patient needs
- Provided patient education and health promotion teaching

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ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE :

Scottsdale Center for Women's Health and Hormones, Scottsdale, Arizona
2014-2015

Summer

Dr. Burt Webb Secretary and Patient assistant

- Assisted MD with in office procedures (bio-identical hormone pellet implantation, ablations, IUD insertions & removals)
- Assisted in the coordination of appointment scheduling for OBGYN clients
- Collaborated with physician on clinic patient needs & meetings
- Communicated with office vendors regarding new product samples
- Acquired all required documents & faxed surgical paperwork for scheduling
- Obtained HPI of OB-GYN patients of all ages being seen for problems/conditions such as fertility concerns, heavy menstrual bleeding, fibroids, routine prenatal appointments, genetic testing, STD panels, postpartum visits, bladder/rectal prolapses, hysterectomies, D&C's, ablations, and temporary and permanent birth control options
- Provided expecting mothers with resources and contact information on local classes, programs, support groups, etc.

CLINICAL SKILLS:

- Performing a thorough health history & head to toe assessment
- Care of post-surgical Bariatric patients (sleeve & bypass)
- Recognizing early and late complications of orthopedic, bariatric, & general surgeries
- Performing pain assessments and managing post-op pain
- NG tube placement & management
- Injections & IV starts
- Wound assessments & care (wound vac's, sterile dressing changes, etc.)
- PICC line care
- Excellent intra-professional communication skills
- Advanced computer & MediTech skills
- Accurate & complete documentation of all assessments/reassessments

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS & HONORS:

Creighton University Dean's list

2011-2015

Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing

Inducted Fall 2015

ATHLETICS:

Creighton Women's Golf Team Member

August 2011-2015

Academic All American

April 2014

Big East Conference All-Academic Team

2013-2014 Season

Creighton Golf 'Most Inspirational Award'

April 2014

Big East Player of the Week Women's Golf

March 2015

REFERENCES:

Alicia Call

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