Rachel Pelato

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Medical Surgical RN-BC

O'Fallon, Illinois, United StatesHospital & Health Care

Previous positions

RN Case Manager at Unity Hospice Care, LLC

Staff Nurse, Telemetry at Memorial Hospital - Belleville, IL

Education

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, BSN, Nursing

Experience

Staff RN

St. Elizabeth's Hospital

September 2014 – Present(5 years 5 months)Belleville, Illinois

I'm looking forward to transferring down to work with amazing and dedicated staff in the Emergency Room.

RN Case Manager

Unity Hospice Care, LLC

July 2013 – May 2014(10 months)collinsville, illinois

Staff Nurse, Telemetry

Memorial Hospital - Belleville, IL

March 2012 – May 2013(1 year 2 months)

Worked with Acute Coronary Care (ACS), Chronic Heart Failure (CHF), Renal failure, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), Emphysema patient populations for both chronic and acute disease management under guidance of physician.

Staff Nurse

BJC

May 2011 – March 2012(10 months)Greater St. Louis Area

Student Nurse Technician

Barnes-Jewish Hospital

June 2010 – June 2011(1 year)

\* Working under the guidance of a physician, nurse or other healthcare professionals assisting with or performing independently patient care procedures, treatments, and comfort measures for patients with diverse ages and needs.

\* Able to communicate effectively with staff, patients and families to assure that concerns are addressed, needs are met and safety is maintained.

\* Ability to adjust rapidly to new environments and situations.

Medical Technician

United States Air Force

October 1991 – September 1997(5 years 11 months)

\* 2.5 years experience working medical-oncology as medical technician in large teaching hospital

\* 2 years working Postpartum/Maternal-Child/Newborn N

Nursery as medical technician

\* 1 year experience flying as Aeromedical Evacuation Technician overseas

Education

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

BSN, Nursing

2008 – 2011

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Activities and Societies

Member of Golden Key International Honor Society, Phi Kappa Phi & Sigma Theta Tau; Fall 2010- worked as tutor in Student Tutoring Program; Spring 2011- worked as research assistant for nursing professor as part of the Undergraduate Research and Creative Arts Program; Volunteer with Hospice of Southern Illinois (11/08-current); Participated in Relay for Life - April 2009 & 2010 (over $600 raised for cancer research)

Solano Community College

Associate Degrees in Science and Liberal Arts, Pre-Nursing

1999 – 2005

Graduated with honors

Activities and Societies

Dean's List- Fall 1999, Spring 2000

Communication Officer- Alpha Gamma Sigma (1999-2000)

Skills & Expertise

Epic Systems

Cpr Certified

Nursing Documentation

Triage

CPOE

Nursing

Medical Terminology

BLS

Patient Safety

Hospitals

HIPAA

Health Promotion

IV

Acute Care

Telemetry

Phlebotomy

Quality Patient Care

EHR

Nursing Care

Inpatient

Patient Education

Healthcare Information Technology

Direct Patient Care

EKG

Medical/Surgical

EMR

ACLS

Venipuncture

Community Health

Critical Care

Vital Signs

Health Education

Infection Control

Patient Advocacy

Certifications

Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers

, License

February 2012 – February 2014

Advanced Life Support Certification (ACLS)

, License

November 2012 – November 2014

Volunteer Experience & Causes

Volunteer- Respite Care

Hospice of Southern Illinois

November 2008 – August 2013(4 years 9 months)Health

Providing respite care to the families of individuals on hospice either on a routine basic or as needed.