# CHRISTINE THIEDE

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## SKILLS

- Acute Care
- Patient care
- Supervising
- Wound care
- Ventilators
- Managerial
- Precepting

# EDUCATION

Chamberlain College of Nursing Addison, IL • 11/2014

Bachelor of Science: Nursing

# PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dedicated and compassionate Registered Nurse (RN) with progressive career history in direct patient care, critically ill ventilated patients in fast-paced environment. Proven ability to remain calm under pressure and skillfully handle difficult patients and high-stress situations. Consistently developing strong relationships with patients and families through empathetic communication, respectful attitude and excellent customer service.

## WORK HISTORY

Stroger Hospital - Registered Nurse - Travel Chicago, IL • 06/2021 - Current

- Administered medications and treatment to patients and monitored responses while working with healthcare teams to adjust care plans.
- Delivered outstanding care to patients with various diagnoses and managed care from treatment initiation through to completion.
- Administered medications via oral, IV and intramuscular injections and monitored responses.
- Taught patients how to improve lifestyle choices, dramatically reducing chance of symptom reoccurrence.
- Delivered high level of quality care to diverse populations while overseeing patient admission and triaging based on acuity and appropriate department admission.

# RML Specialty Hospital - Registered Nurse

Hinsdale, IL • 06/2017 - Current

- Maintains accountability for the overall care management of patients
- Accepts and responds to written and verbal physician orders
- Coordinates and participates in emergency and "code" situations
- Performs clinical assessments, administers and monitors patients' responds to medications, blood products and nutritional support, and performs complex patient treatments
- Care and management of patients on ventilators, g-tubes, drains and severe wounds
- All aspects of nursing for taking care of critically ill patients

## King Bruwaert House - Registered Nurse

Burr Ridge, IL • 11/2015 - 12/2021

- Perform physical exams and health histories upon admission
- Provide health promotion and education to resident and family
- Administer medications, wound care, and numerous other personalized interventions
- Interpret patient information and make critical decisions about needed actions
- Coordinate care, in collaboration with a wide array of healthcare professionals
- Direct and supervise care delivered by other healthcare personnel

Good Samaritan Hospital - Registered Nurse - IMCU Downers Grove, IL • 08/2020 - 04/2021

- Taught patients how to improve lifestyle choices, dramatically reducing chance of symptom reoccurrence.
- Monitored patient condition, including interpreting and tracking EKG readings, identifying irregular telemetry readings and updating team members on changes in stability or acuity.
- Delivered outstanding care to patients with various diagnoses and managed care from treatment initiation through to completion.
- Oversaw various aspects of telemetry by administering vasoactive drugs, titration, thrombolytic therapy, dysrhythmia interpretation.
- Responded rapidly to critical codes to coordinate stabilization treatments and restore vital functions.

#### Manor Care - Unit Manager

Hinsdale, IL • 08/2019 - 02/2020

- Oversee the care management of a population of patients within an assigned area, unit or clinical function.
- The position conducts the nursing process, assessment, planning, implementation, and evaluation under the scope of the State's Nurse Practice Act of registered Nurse licensure.
- Coordinates resource utilization, timely and appropriate care interventions, and interdisciplinary communication to enhance patient and family satisfaction, adherence to center's clinical systems and regulatory compliance.

## Lexington Healthcare - Registered Nurse

LaGrange, US, US • 11/2016 - 09/2018

- Monitor, record, and report symptoms or changes in patients' conditions.
- Order, interpret, and evaluate diagnostic tests to identify and assess patient's condition.

- Supervise and monitor responsibilities of CNA's.
- Administration of medications via G-tube.
- Application and monitoring of wound VAC.
- Treatments of skin and other wounds.
- All aspects of tracheostomy care.
- Admission and discharge of patients.

## Marianjoy Rehabilitation Hospital - Rehabilitation Care Assistant II

Wheaton, IL • 04/2011 - 11/2013

• Assist patients with activities of daily living, transfers, mobility skills, skin, bowel and bladder programs.

#### Good Samaritan Hospital - Patient Care Tech II Downers Grove, IL • 12/2008 - 04/2011

• Planning and assessments including charting daily vitals, blood vitals and post op vitals.

## Sprint-Nextel - Datafill Technician Elmhurst, IL • 12/1994 - 03/2008

- Maintain cell sites in the Midwest area.
- Completions of numerous site migrations, DSO changes, daily maintenance of power frequency changes, T1 adds and many other parameter changes with impeccable accuracy.