

# Cristina Mora

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## CAREER OBJECTIVE

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Proactive professional with 15 years of experience and a proven knowledge of acute care facility, managed care, and patient safety. Aiming to leverage my skills to successfully fill the RN GI Lab role at your company.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### LITTLE COMPANY OF MARY HOSPITAL, Evergreen Park , IL

*PCU RN, Aug 2015 - May 2019*

- Assess patients' pain levels and sedation requirements.
- Monitor patients for changes in status and indications of conditions such as sepsis or shock and institute appropriate interventions.
- Set up and monitor medical equipment and devices such as cardiac monitors, mechanical ventilators and alarms, oxygen delivery devices, transducers, and pressure lines.
- Administer medications intravenously, by injection, orally, through gastric tubes, or by other methods.
- Evaluate patients' vital signs and laboratory data to determine emergency intervention needs.
- Prioritize nursing care for assigned critically ill patients based on assessment data and identified needs.
- Document patients' medical histories and assessment findings.
- Advocate for patients' and families' needs, or provide emotional support for patients and their families.
- Conduct pulmonary assessments to identify abnormal respiratory patterns or breathing sounds that indicate problems.
- Administer blood and blood products, monitoring patients for signs and symptoms related to transfusion reactions.
- Monitor patients' fluid intake and output to detect emerging problems such as fluid and electrolyte imbalances.
- Compile and analyze data obtained from monitoring or diagnostic tests.
- Collaborate with other health care professionals to develop and revise treatment plans based on identified needs and assessment data.
- Assess patients' psychosocial status and needs including areas such as sleep patterns, anxiety, grief, anger, and support systems.
- Perform approved therapeutic or diagnostic procedures based upon patients' clinical status.
- Identify patients who are at risk of complications due to nutritional status.
- Collect specimens for laboratory tests.
- Identify patients' age-specific needs and alter care plans as necessary to meet those needs.
- Coordinate patient care conferences.
- Assist physicians with procedures such as bronchoscopy, endoscopy, endotracheal intubation, and elective cardioversion.
- Assess family adaptation levels and coping skills to determine whether intervention is needed.
- Identify malfunctioning equipment or devices.
- Participate in professional organizations and continuing education to improve practice knowledge and skills.
- Participate in the development, review, and evaluation of nursing practice protocols.
- Ensure that equipment or devices are properly stored after use.
- Provide post-mortem care.
- Document patients' treatment plans, interventions, outcomes, or plan revisions.

*ICU RN, Jan 2015 - Aug 2015*

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- Identify patients' age-specific needs and alter care plans as necessary to meet those needs.
- Coordinate patient care conferences.
- Assist physicians with procedures such as bronchoscopy, endoscopy, endotracheal intubation, and elective cardioversion.
- Supervise and monitor unit nursing staff.
- Identify malfunctioning equipment or devices.
- Assess family adaptation levels and coping skills to determine whether intervention is needed.
- Participate in professional organizations and continuing education to improve practice knowledge and skills.
- Participate in the development, review, and evaluation of nursing practice protocols.
- Provide post-mortem care.
- Specialized CVA pt's  
Cardiopulmonary Arrest  
Septic Shock  
Treating Arrhythmias  
Pulmonary disorders  
Renal Failure  
GI bleeds/dissorders  
Anaphylaxis

*RN General Medical Floor, Sep 2004 - Jan 2015*

- Monitor, record, and report symptoms or changes in patients' conditions.
- Maintain accurate, detailed reports and records.
- Record patients' medical information and vital signs.
- Order, interpret, and evaluate diagnostic tests to identify and assess patient's condition.
- Monitor all aspects of patient care, including diet and physical activity.
- Instruct individuals, families, or other groups on topics such as health education, disease prevention, or childbirth and develop health improvement programs.
- Prepare patients for and assist with examinations or treatments.
- Prepare rooms, sterile instruments, equipment, or supplies and ensure that stock of supplies is maintained.
- Provide or arrange for training or instruction of auxiliary personnel or students.
- Consult and coordinate with healthcare team members to assess, plan, implement, or evaluate patient care plans.
- Modify patient treatment plans as indicated by patients' responses and conditions.
- Specialized in Geriatric care  
Palliative Care  
Hospice care

## **EDUCATION**

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### **THE RICHARD DALEY COLLEGE**

**Chicago, IL**

*Associate in science Nursing (May 2004)*

## **ADDITIONAL SKILLS**

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- Spanish (business level)

## **CREDENTIALS AND LICENSES**

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- Registered Nurse
- ACLS/BLS certified
- Stroke Certified

## **REFERENCES**

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**KATHERINE HUNT, Director of acute care services, Little Company of Mary hospital**  
*(708) 229-5898 - Former Manager*

**JUANBOSCO DR.AYALA, In charge of Critical Care/Pcu units, Little company of Mary hospital**  
*(773) 710-3519 - jayalaagh@gmail.com - Critical Care Pulmonary specialist*