

Kristin Curtis

Nurse

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To obtain a position as a registered nurse where my skills and knowledge can be used to provide exceptional patient care.

Work Experience

Home Health and Hospice Nurse

Presbyterian Healthcare Services - Clovis, NM

July 2018 to September 2019

- *Train to deliver care both as a home health and hospice nurse
- *Deliver quality nursing care to patients in their home by conducting a thorough assessment and completing a comprehensive OASIS assessment for each patient
- *Assess, develop plan of care, and coordinate care with referring physician or specialty physician as needed
- *Perform skills to include but not limited to wound care, wound VAC care and management, disease process education, teaching care to patient or primary caregiver
- *Develop patient schedule based on patient census, patient needs, admissions and discharges as well as professional development meetings

Staff Nurse

Fresenius Kidney Care - Alamogordo, NM

January 2018 to June 2018

- * Administer medications and delivered dialysis as prescribed by physician
- * Perform pre and post assessments on patients, monitored patients during dialysis treatments, reviewed laboratory values and educated patients on adherence to diet, medications, and treatment prescription
- * Serve as patient advocate to communicate patient needs to the physician
- * Work alongside members of the interdisciplinary team to develop and implement plans of care
- * Complete all monthly responsibilities such as foot checks, medication reviews, monthly progress notes, and access flow monitoring

Clinical Manager

Fresenius Kidney Care - Las Cruces, NM

April 2017 to January 2018

- * Coordinates all aspect of patient care with appropriate staff members, from admission through discharge of the patient
- * Responsible for aggressively addressing and acting on adverse events and action thresholds
- * Accountable for timely completion of patient care assessments and care plans, education of patients regarding quality measures, vaccination schedule, access care, transplant options, modality awareness, and treatment adherence

- * Accountable for outstanding quality patient care as defined by company and CMS standards, compliance with federal, state, and local laws and regulations, compliance with data collections and audits, implementing appropriate staff training in accordance with regulations and risk management, and developing actions plans and facility goals

Charge Nurse II

Fresenius Medical Care - Mesa, AZ
October 2016 to April 2017

- * Provide support and direction to direct patient care staff in providing patient care, implementing policies and procedures in accordance with company guidelines while continually providing feedback and guidance
- * Meet on a routine basis Facility Administration to discuss personnel and patient needs or concerns, assist in interviewing and hiring process, disciplinary actions, and scheduling of direct patient care staff
- * Supervise overall clinical staff operations and patient care activities of the facility including but not limited to care planning, documentation, safe use of equipment, patient scheduling, patient concerns, training and orienting of new staff, and communicating with the Medical Director and physicians

Education Coordinator

Fresenius Medical Care - Phoenix, AZ
May 2015 to October 2016

- * Responsible for clinical orientation and on-going training of all direct patient care staff and preceptors
- * Responsible for CPR certification for staff
- * Ensure all policies and procedures developed are implemented and consistently followed
- * Collaborate with Clinical Managers, Facility Administrators, and Director of Operations with training of existing employees, providing inservice, conducting infection control audits as needed, as well as any needs identified by the above individuals

Team Leader/Relief Clinic Manager

Fresenius Medical Care - Las Cruces, NM
February 2013 to May 2015

- * Responsible for Anemia Management, Hepatitis B Vaccination Program, completing all Comprehensive Interdisciplinary Assessments and Care Plans, and Access Flow Monitoring
- * Complete monthly Staff Schedule
- * Assist in hiring, training new employees, continuing education, and evaluation of team members
- * Trained in Clinic Manager's duties and responsibilities
- * Attend monthly Quality meetings with Regional Quality manager, Clinic Manager, Medical Director, and other Interdisciplinary Team
- * Coordinate with interdisciplinary team members to develop and implement plans of care

Staff Nurse

Fresenius Medical Care - Clovis, NM
August 2012 to February 2013

- * Provided inpatient and chronic dialysis in the clinic and hospital setting
- * Administer medications and delivered dialysis as prescribed by physician

* Performed pre and post assessments on patients, monitored patients during dialysis treatments, reviewed laboratory values and educated patients on adherence to diet, medications, and treatment prescription

Staff Nurse

Fresenius Medical Care - Las Cruces, NM

August 2010 to August 2012

* Worked as an acute nurse in the hospital performing hemodialysis treatments and peritoneal dialysis.

* Educate patient and families on dialysis options, dietary restrictions, treatment prescription and laboratory values

* Served as patient advocate to communicate patient needs to the physician

* Worked alongside members of the interdisciplinary team to develop and implement plans of care

* Completed all monthly responsibilities such as foot checks, medication reviews, monthly progress notes, and access flow monitoring

Education

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

New Mexico State University - Las Cruces, NM

August 2007 to May 2010

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: May 2020

State: NM

RN

Skills

- RN
- Staff Nurse
- Home Health
- Patient Care
- Healthcare
- Microsoft Office
- Wound Care
- Medication Administration
- Time Management
- Microsoft Word
- Excel

Certifications and Licenses

BLS, ACLS