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Medical Professional, Nursing

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To secure a full/part-time position within your company that will allow promotion of health, continuous learning and placement advancement, while applying/utilizing the skills I have acquired.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Health Care Unit Administrator

IDOC

September 2020 to Present

To provide direction to clinical and medical staff. Point of contact between Correctional Health Partners and Jail administration. Works closely with the Manager and Onsite Clinical Operations to develop and maintain delivery of essential healthcare services. Acts as a subject matter expert to develop, implement and monitor the delivery of essential health services. Oversees the prison health services function and processes to ensure appropriate access to professional health services to include: nursing schedules, intake screening, medications, physicals, sick call, chronic care, emergency, specialty care, mental health and dental services. Conduct ongoing evaluations of performance against standard benchmarks and objectives set by OHS. Report monthly and quarterly utilization, quality, risk management and infection control statistics.

Clinical Welfare Nurse Specialist

Department of Children and Family Service - Chicago, IL

April 2019 to August 2020

RN Consultant, review medical documentation, collaboration amongst providers, hospital social worker, investigator, school nurse, caseworker, counselor, and Caregiver (bio parent/foster), to complete nurse referrals. Knowledge of policy and procedures, assist in home visits, conference calls and team meetings.

Registered Nurse- Emergency Department

Medial Staffing Network - Naperville, IL

August 2019 to May 2020

Agency RN, work in a fast pace environment, care for pediatric/adult population, use of critical thinking skills, working as part of a team with physicians, other nurses and healthcare professionals to provide care, monitor health conditions, plan long-term/ short-term care needs, administer medicine (PO/IV/ Rectal), knowledge and use of various medical equipment, EHR, perform minor medical procedures, conscious sedation, advise patients and their families on illness, care and continued care as directed by MD, provide education, assist with SS concerns, respond to codes.

Registered Nurse- Emergency Department

Ingalls Memorial Hospital - Harvey, IL

January 2018 to March 2019

The ED is a fast pace environment, requires critical thinking skills, working as part of a team with physicians, other nurses and healthcare professionals to provide care, monitor health conditions, plan long-term care needs, administer medicine, knowledge and use of various medical equipment, EHR, perform minor medical operations, advise patients and their families on illness, care and continued care.

Charge Nurse/Registered Nurse -Operating/Holding Room

Advocate Christ Medical Center - Oak Lawn, IL

April 2016 to May 2018

Perioperative duties and responsibilities of the department and staff, Level 1 Trauma facility, Circulate/scrub various surgical procedures. Knowledge of instrumentation. The ability to act in a Code situation. Team building and leadership skills. Adequate and effective communication skills. Critical thinking. Call

Charge Nurse/Staff Nurse-Agency (Various Areas)

Med Call Healthcare - Chicago, IL

October 2013 to May 2016

Areas of function are SDS/PACU, OR, Endoscopy, Pain Management and Surgicenters. Available for Per-diem and contract assignments. Care provided across the lifespan.

Familiar with teaching hospitals and Level 1 trauma institutions.

Ability to scrub/circulate various surgical procedures in various specialties within Operating Room setting except for Ophthalmology and Open Heart procedures. No specialty preferences. Knowledge of various equipment and instrumentation, positioning, prepping. EMR documentation, assess paperwork (Consents, lab values, orders). Assigned in SDS/PACU settings. Able to preop/post op patients. Assess vital signs, phlebotomy skills, IV insertion, critical thinking, assessment of patients, heart monitoring, hand off communication, discharges, educational teaching, interventions as needed as well as working under pressure. Assigned Charge duties as needed.

Registered Nurse/Relief Charge Nurse-PACU

John H. Stroger Hospital of Cook County - Chicago, IL

October 2014 to December 2015

Level 1 Trauma

Pre-op/Post-op, rotate to Endoscopy and OR prn, manage patients admission process, check consents, patient knowledge of procedure, site and ID verification, initiate IV, assess status/condition/vital sign, EMR documentation, monitor condition, initiate patient education, perform interventions as needed. Care provided across the lifespan.

Skills Used

assessment, critical thinking, communication, autonomy, cultural competence and leadership.

Registered Nurse - Operating Room

Little Company of Mary Hospital - Evergreen Park, IL

February 2014 to March 2015

Perioperative room circulator/scrub nurse, Meditech user, assessing, hand off communication, knowledge of procedure/instrumentation, patient positioning, delegating, critical thinking, teamwork, call. Care provided across the lifespan.

Registered Nurse-Agency, Med/Surg/Tele

Medical Staffing Network - Naperville, IL

January 2013 to April 2014

Responsibilities

Agency nurse. Nursing duties on Medical Surgical and Telemetry Units. Assignments at various institutions. Per diem or contract schedules.

Skills Used

Autonomy, critical thinking, EMR, assessment skills, delegation of duties, admissions, discharges, education to patients and families as required, phlebotomy skills.

Charge Nurse/Registered Nurse- Med/Surg, Tele

Methodist Hospitals - Gary, IN

February 2012 to February 2014

Level 3 Trauma facility

Medical Surgical/Telemetry Unit, EPIC Super user, tele monitoring, IV therapy, customer service, electronic record documentation, interdepartmental communication, delegation of duties, oversee function of unit, IV insertion and management, use of clinical assessment skill and judgement, critical thinking, patient education. Care provided to adult and geriatric population.

Registered Nurse/Supervisor

VILLA - Evergreen Park, IL

October 2011 to May 2012

Customer service, admissions/discharges, paper charting, implementing the plan/ treatment of care, applying critical thinking skills, assessments, medication administration, IV therapy/care, teaching, unit supervisor as needed.

Surgical Technologist

Ingalls Health System - Harvey, IL

June 2010 to October 2011

Customer service, 1st/2nd scrub on various cases, rotated through various specialties, prepping/ positioning, knowledge/use of aseptic/sterile technique, equipment/ instrumentation, rotated through OR, L&D, Endo, call

Student Nurse Trainee

Jesse Brown VA Medical Center - Chicago, IL

May 2008 to November 2010

Shadowed nurses, CNA duties, rotated on various units, transporter, knowledge of VA system, met the needs of veterans

Surgical Technologist

Advocate South Suburban Hospital - Hazel Crest, IL

January 2001 to June 2007

Customer service, 1st/ 2nd scrub on various cases, rotated through various specialties, prepping/ positioning, knowledge/use of aseptic/sterile technique, equipment/instrumentation, rotated through OR, Endo, L&D, anesthesia tech duties, call

Education

Master in Business Administration and Master of Science in Nursing

Grand Canyon University - Phoenix, AZ

December 2021

Bachelor of Science in Nursing in Nursing

Indiana Wesleyan University - Marion, IN

August 2015

Associate Applied Science in Nursing

South Suburban College - South Holland, IL

May 2011

Diploma/CNA in Nursing

South Suburban College - South Holland, IL

August 2008

Certificate in Surgical Technologist

Everest/ Horizon Career College - Merrillville, IN

October 2000

Skills

- Nursing
- Triage
- Phlebotomy
- Basic IV
- Venipuncture
- Caregiving
- Critical care experience
- Pain management
- Communication skills
- ICU experience
- Experience administering injections
- Order entry
- Leadership
- Blood sampling
- Hospital experience
- Patient care
- Social work
- Cerner
- Statistics
- Charge experience

- Medical documentation
- Nurse management
- Infection control
- Patient monitoring
- Ophthalmology
- Teaching
- Case management
- Medication administration
- EMR systems
- Meditech
- Aseptic technique
- Epic
- Customer service
- Medical records
- Laboratory experience
- Vital signs
- Child protective services
- CPR

Certifications and Licenses

RN License

CPR Certification

BLS Certification

TNCC Certification

PALS Certification

ACLS Certification

Additional Information

Strong leadership skills. Effective communication. Team oriented. Directed by an ethical and moral compass.