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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

A driven and qualified experienced nurse seeking an opportunity for employment in an acknowledged healthcare related field. Demonstrates exceptional leadership, clinical excellence, advocacy, client-focused care, and therapeutic communication skills. Comprehensive knowledge and experience of palliative care services, health care services, community services, oncology and medical terminology.

WORK EXPERIENCE

City of Hope Travel nurse contract - Duarte, California (April 2022-present)

- Caring for cancer patients which included task such as adm chemo, assessing patients, and administer medications
- Caring for hospice/comfort care patients by adhering to comfort care measures, as well as supporting patient's family members during this transition
- Administering blood products and drawing labs
- Critical thinking skills and advocating for patients needs to providers
- Delegating duties to medical assistants

AMN travel contract at Beaumont Hospital-(Dec 2021-March 2022)

Worked as a med surg/onc nurse

- Duties included caring for patients with multiple diagnoses including cardiac and respiratory illnesses, along with various cancer diagnoses
- Administered blood products
- Draw and monitor labs
- Advocated for patient needs to patient's interdisciplinary team
- Delegated appropriate tasks to nursing assistants
- Completed multiple tasks regarding patient care including dressing changes, wound care, medication administration, and assisting with activities of daily living
- Provided therapeutic communication and attentive listening while providing outstanding patient care

Travel nurse Regions Cancer Care Center (May 2021-October 2021)

Worked as an oncology/triage nurse

- Triaged patients with acute and chronic symptoms, chemo side effects, medication refills, as well as questions about medications and treatment plans
- Educating patients on chemo regimens
- Assisted providers during bone marrow and aspiration procedures including premedication/discharge teaching
- Assisted in dermatology clinic with skin biopsies/discharge teaching
- Worked alongside Oncologists and APPs with clinic tasks, filling out FMLA paperwork, prepping for clinic appts and signing off orders
- Helped patients schedule labs/ provider appts/and scans

Minnesota Oncology (Aug 2020-May 2021)

Worked as an oncology nurse in an outpatient clinic

- Duties included administering chemotherapy and injecting , accessing ports, gave flu shot, and starting IVs
- Performed comprehensive assessments on patient before treatment initiation
- Assessed orders for chemotherapy treatments and the corresponding labs for appropriate time and correctness
- Called patients post treatment for follow up with regards to side effects post chemotherapy and to answer questions
- Provided patient teaching before chemotherapy treatment as well as discharge teaching post treatment
- Helped patient with scheduling future appointments
- Made sure a clean environment was maintained and followed COVID precautions are maintained during the work day

Karmanos Cancer Institute Jan 2018 -August 2020

Worked as a medical surgical oncology nurse on a Bone Marrow Transplant Unit specialty

- Duties included caring for hematological and oncology patients, as well as medical surgical patients
- Performed head to toe assessments on patients, developed individualized care plans based on patients diagnosis and treatment options
- Provided education to patients, and patient families in a therapeutic manner on chemotherapy regimen, bone marrow transplant procedure, and what to expect overall
- Demonstrated advocacy and collaboration with multidisciplinary team to ensure patients receiving best possible care
- Provided nursing care to patients, delegated to nursing assistants
- Able to demonstrate time management skills to complete tasks in a timely fashion ● Performed multiple tasks regarding patient care including dressing changes, wound care, medication administration, and assisting with activities of daily living

EDUCATION

University of Windsor Sept 2013 – June 2017 Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BScN)

Member of Dean's Honour Roll

Vincent Massey Secondary School Sept 2009- June 2013

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Hotel Dieu Grace Hospital: Complex/Palliative Care Unit Feb 2017 - Apr 2017 (*192 hours*)

- Provided palliative care services, including comfort care rounds, pain control, performing post-mortem care, and symptom management
- Attended family conferences and viewed client-focused interdisciplinary team discussions
- Completed multiple tasks for client's including wound care, medication administration, and performing/assisting with activities of daily living

Student Health Services: Health Promotion (University of Windsor) Sept 2016 – Dec 2016 (*192 hours*)

- Provided health promotion related to contraceptives, to first year student in residence ● Planned student health fair for beginning of the semester
- Researched areas of needed education for university students
- Communicated with different campus groups to prepare for a mental health fair I helped plan

Windsor Regional Hospital (Metropolitan Campus) 8N Surgical Unit Jan 2016 – Apr 2016 (*160 hours*)

- Performed head to toe assessments per shift on up to 3 patients, performed vital signs, and completed comfort care round every two hours

- Administered medications, performed wound care, provided health teaching, and advocated for patients needs

- Viewed two surgeries in the operating room via shadowing a OR nurse, listened in on interdisciplinary team meetings, and provided discharge teaching

Windsor Regional Hospital (Ouellette Campus) 6W Surgical Unit Sept 2016 – Dec 2016 (88 hours)

- Assisted clients with activities of daily living, completed nursing care tasks in a timely fashion ● Viewed a chest tube being removed, and learned about how chest tubes function

Windsor Regional Hospital (Ouellette Campus) 4 Floor Cardiac Unit Apr 2015 – May 2015 (144 hours)

- Responsible of providing care for 2 to 3 patients per shift
- Provided head to toe assessments, wound care, and administered medications ●

Learned how to read EKG strip

- Experienced a day at the catheterization lab viewing a cardiac angioplasty procedure

Windsor Regional Hospital (Metropolitan Campus) Pediatric Unit Mar 2015 – Apr 2015 (44 hours)

- Provided health teaching to both parents and patients
- Completed pediatric based assessment on children of all ages
- Provided wound care, measuring input and output and medication administration via multiple routes

Community Nursing : Marlborough Public School Jan 2015 – Feb 2015 (44 hours)

- Provided head lice, height, weight, eye sight, and teeth assessments on children aged kindergarten to grade two

- Gathered and analyzed the data plus notified parents with letters if any concerns were noted ●

Providing health teaching presentations to grade seven classes

Windsor Regional Hospital (Metropolitan Campus) 5 North Unit Sept 2014 – Dec 2014 (88 hours)

- Learning more about nursing care provided in a short stay unit

- Strengthening basic nursing skills including vital signs, accuchecks, documentation, and head to toe assessments

Hôtel-Dieu Grace Healthcare: Rehab Unit Jan 2014 – Apr 2014 (*88 hours*)

- Learned about nursing care management as well as documentation
- Provided safe transfer techniques for patients recovering from hip and knee replacements

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Sutherland Global Services. Windsor, ON June 2016 – Sept 2016 • Provided technical support assistance to AT&T and U-verse clients

QUALIFICATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

• LARA Michigan Nursing Licence 2022 • California Nursing License 2022 •
Minnesota Nursing License 2022 • College of Nurses of Ontario Licence 2022 •
Wisconsin license 2022 • Washington Nursing License 2022

CPR level C 2022 • IV Therapy and Phlebotomy certification 2021 • ONS chemo cert 2022

References available upon request