Dawn Suermann

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• To exceed personal career expectations

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

PACU RN

Campus Surgery Center - Daly City, CA February 2020 to Present

Experience with highly qualified Surgeons, anesthesiologist and RNs.

Pre-op and recover patients from surgeries.

RN

Continuity Care Home Nurses - North Hollywood, CA April 2018 to September 2019

- Supervisory RN
- Wound Care Specialist
- IV home Infusion Adult/Peds
- Triage patients
- Carried out the care plan planning
- Directed and managed critical care patients
- Monitored and documented patient's vitals
- Provided education and discharge instructions
- Trained new staff
- Supervised student nurses

Travel RN- White Memorial

Peds/PICU/NICU - Los Angeles, CA October 2017 to March 2018

Travel RN- City of Hope

Adult M/S and Tele - Duarte, CA May 2016 to November 2017

Travel Nurse

Santa Rosa Memorial - Santa Rosa, CA January 2016 to April 2016

Travel Nurse

Texas Children's - Houston, TX August 2015 to November 2015

Travel Nurse

St. Louis Childrens Hospital - St. Louis, MO April 2015 to July 2015

Travel RN- Banner Health

Peds/PICU/NICU - Phoenix, AZ November 2014 to March 2015

• Perform assessments and ensure patients were educated on acute and chronic conditions

• Work as a team member and making sure effectively taking care of patients needs while optimizing cost for the facility

• Maintained flexibly in scheduling and accountability for patient care

Travel Nurse

Rady Childrens Hospital - San Diego, CA March 2014 to November 2014

• Float between units Medical, Pulmonary, MBU, NICU and CVICU

• Perform total patient assessments including neurologic, cardiovascular, respiratory gastrointestinal, genitourinary, IV site/ line, picc lines, CVP lines, post-surgical wounds, nephrostomy tracheostomy, urinary catheters, ng tubes, g tubes, chest tubes and ostomies

- Educate patients and families on disease processes, medical-surgical procedures and broad aspects of therapeutic regimens, including medications and pain management techniques
- Followed aseptic technique and universal precautions for the safety of patients and staff
- Work effectively with an interdisciplinary team and perform accurate charting procedures

Travel Nurse

Cardon Childrens Hospital - Mesa, AZ December 2013 to March 2014

- Float between units including NICU, PICU and Medical
- Maintain professionalism and provide quality care to patients
- Maintain a good rapport with family and staff
- Ensure the patients are getting safe and effective care
- Explain medical procedures and teach patients and families for a safe discharge home

Travel Nurse

St. Mary-Corwin Medical Center - Pueblo, CO March 2013 to December 2013

- Medical Nurse on an Adult/Pediatric floor
- Provide safe care for 4-6 patients
- Float between multiple units and departments including ICU, Cardiac, Medical and Ortho
- Pass medications using computer scanning system
- Draw labs and obtain IV access

Staff Nurse

Ranken Jordan Pediatric Bridge Hospital - St. Louis, MO

May 2011 to March 2013

- Deliver care for neonatal, pediatric and/or adolescent patients with a wide variety of medical conditions
- Perform physical assessments
- Obtain IV access
- Administer medications and calculate pediatric dosages
- Care of patients with tracheostomies and ventilators
- Computer Charting and Medication Scanning
- Transport patients to outside facilities for test, procedures and emergency care
- Perform beyond the bedside care, getting children integrated into society through various therapies
- Coordinate medical appointments and assure patients are receiving appropriate medical care while out of the hospital setting
- Ensure parents are informed about their child's medical condition
- Working as a team member

Staff Nurse

Barnes Jewish Hospital - St. Louis, MO August 2009 to August 2011

- 1252 Bed Teaching Facility
- Charge Nurse
- Implement care for up to 7 inpatients.
- Schedule patient admissions and discharges
- Assess patient status and notify physicians of clinical changes
- Interact with departments regarding patient care
- Educate patients, families and staff
- Evaluate staffing requirements including floor assignments
- Maintain patient charts and confidential files
- Perform clinical tasks per hospital policies
- Assist clinical staff in the care of all patients including bathing, changing and feeding
- Administer IM, IV and Subcutaneous injections
- Obtain IV access
- · Coordinate Home care visits for patients and inform them about plan of care

•Perform tasks such as administering blood products, maintaining tube or drain patency and a multitude of other tasks performed on a Medical/ Surgical Unit

School Nurse RN- Maxim Healthcare Services

Per Diem School - St. Louis, MO October 2010 to May 2011

Education

Bachelors of Science in Nursing in Medicine

Goldfarb School of Nursing 2007 to 2009

None in NURSING LICENSES

St. Louis Community College

2005 to 2007

Nursing Licenses

RN

State: CA

RN

State: MO

Skills

- ACLS (8 years)
- CERNER (6 years)
- EPIC (8 years)
- Meditech
- Electronic Health Records (10+ years)
- EKG
- Kronos
- Oracle
- LIAISON (Less than 1 year)
- Pediatrics (8 years)
- RN
- Telephone Nursing Skills: Clinical Judgment
- Computer Charting- Epic, Kiddos, Cerner, Meditech, Compass
- BLS
- Accessing implanted vascular access device
- ACLS
- Pain Liaison for unit
- PACTS/PALS
- CPS
- CPI
- NRP
- Proven record of reliability and responsibility
- Remain calm and professional throughout critical incidents
- Strong analytical skills, capable of assessing conditions and implementing appropriate interventions
- Resourceful problem solver capable of implementing solutions to complex problems
- Possess special sensitivity to meeting diverse needs in varied situations.
- Develop rapport with patients, family, staff and physicians
- Implement cost saving efforts to organization
- Med Surg
- Home Health
- Staff Nurse
- Hospital
- Critical Care
- Medical Surgical
- Customer Service

- Computer Skills
- Discharge Planning
- Excel
- Hospitality Experience
- Home Health
- ICU Experience
- Sales Experience
- Time Management
- Troubleshooting
- Travel Nursing
- Teaching Experience
- Expert December 2019 Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention. Full results: https://share.indeedassessments.com/share_assignment/lpyk2-gelqfwa7g8 Indeed Assessments provides skills tests that are not indicative of a license or certification, or continued development in any professional field.
- Anesthesia
- Operating Room
- PACU
- Oncology
- PALS
- Hospital Experience
- Pain Management
- Medication Administration
- Tube Feeding
- Triage
- EMR Systems
- Experience Administering Injections
- Medical Imaging
- Laboratory Experience
- Phlebotomy
- Supervising Experience
- Hospice Care
- Vital Signs
- Nurse Management
- Aseptic Technique
- Venipuncture
- Medical Records

Assessments

Medical Terminology – Proficient

December 2019

Understanding and using medical terminology. Full results: <u>Proficient</u>

Nursing Skills: Clinical Judgment — Expert

December 2019

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention. Full results: <u>Expert</u>

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