

Shanika James

Registered Nurse

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

- An enthusiastic and compassionate registered nurse with a keen interest in patient cares. In depth knowledge of assessing, planning and implementing nursing care for patients. Extensive experience in working directly with patients by providing advanced nursing care and educational information.

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Critical Care Nurse

Ochsner Health System - New Orleans, LA

October 2020 to Present

- Checked pulmonary evaluation in order to identify A patterns.
- Carefully designed strategies to meet identified learning needs.
- Provided service to patients suffering from acute and chronic illness, eg. Vascular telemetry CABG etc.
- Took care of patients and complaints with patient's rights.
- Ability to perform documentation using software application
- Equipment: cardiac telemetry, tracheotomies, chest tubes, provocateurs, bi-pap, and c-pap machines, oxygen, trachea collars, humidified mask and bi-nasal canulas.
- Medication administration & maintenance of IV push and drips, including Aminophilline, Cardizem, Lidocaine, Digoxin, Verapamil, Steroids etc.
- Care and teaching of diabetic patients

Medical Surgical Registered Nurse

Ochsner Medical Center - Kenner, LA

February 2019 to October 2021

- Readied patients for stress testing, echocardiograms, peripheral diagnostic studies, cardiac catheterization procedures and the operation room.
- Administered blood and blood product transfusions and monitored patients for adverse reactions
- Monitored chest tubes, JP drains, PD catheters, nephrostomy tubes and pacer wires.
- Prepared and administered oral, rectal, NG/PEG tubes, SUBQ, IM, IV, and recorded prescribed medications.
- Managed and provided clinical direction to LPNs and CNAs.
- Offered patient and family guidance and support in illness management, home-care, medication and side effects, diet, nutrition and exercise.

Pediatric Nurse

Plantation Nursing Rehabilitation Center Kidz Korner - Plantation, FL

February 2012 to January 2019

1. Focus on medical needs of infants, children and young adults

- Assess patients for preliminary evaluation
- Take medical history and recount to the physician
- Draw blood and administer medication as instructed
- Administer vaccinations to children
- Educate patients and their families about precautions
- Assist pediatrician during examinations

Provide care to trash and ventilator pediatric resident

Assist Respiratory Therapist with Tracheotomy and Ventilators pediatric residents.

Education

Bachelor's in Nursing

Broward College - Davie, FL

January 2013 to December 2013

Associate in nursing

Broward College - Davie, FL

May 2009 to August 2011

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: April 2023

State: FL

Skills

- Leadership
- Communication
- Strategic Planning
- Strong decision making
- Charge Nurse (5 years)
- Training (6 years)
- IV Therapy (6 years)
- Problem Solving
- Teamwork
- Observation
- RN (9 years)
- Attention to Detail (6 years)
- Staff Nurse

- Med Surg
- Medication Administration
- Hospital Experience (2 years)
- Venipuncture
- Cardiac Catheterization
- Epic (2 years)
- Vital Signs
- EMR Systems
- Supervising Experience
- Patient Care
- Nursing
- Critical Care Experience
- ICU Experience
- Patient monitoring

Certifications and Licenses

Basic Life Support (BLS)

June 2020 to June 2022

ACLS

January 2021 to January 2023

BLS, ACLS

AED Certification

CPR Certification

Compact State Nurse License

Assessments

Electronic Health Records: Best Practices — Highly Proficient

September 2020

Knowledge of EHR data, associated privacy regulations, and best practices for EHR use

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Indeed Assessments provides skills tests that are not indicative of a license or certification, or continued development in any professional field.

Groups

Florida Nurse Association

Present

Additional Information

AREA OF EXPERTISE

- PATIENT ASSESSMENT
- DEVELOPMENTAL DELAY
- VARIOUS SYNDROMES
- CEREBRAL PALSY
- EXTREME PREMATUREITY
- ORTHOPEDIC AND NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS
- SENSORY INTEGRATION DEFICITS

Registered Nurse Multistate License