

CANDICE FRANCE

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SUMMARY

Compassionate, energetic Registered Nurse with eight years of experience and a strong reputation for achieving high levels of patient satisfaction

SKILLS

- Strong communication skills -Excellent in improving processes • Trained in -in and out-patient care-Skilled vascular/phlebotomy technique • Calm under pressure -High Level of Autonomy

EXPERIENCE

02/2021 to Present Next Move Inc Ambulatory Care Nurse

Truman Medical Center-Kansas City,MO

Administer Covid vaccines up to 1300 per day

Patient registration-check in/out of health system

Manage patient care if having an adverse event to vaccination

Provide patient education about Covid-19 i.e post vaccination care, preventative care, medication management

8/2020 to 01/2021 Primary Care Float Nurse

CVS Minute Clinic-Kansas City, KS

Set up and run a kiosk to administer Covid-19 test

Patient registration and intake, assist with wait room management

Clinical responsibilities: include phlebotomy and specimen collection services, vaccine injection, patient assessment activities during intake such as vital signs, and performing diagnostic tests such as EKG and Retinopathy.

Documentation of care, medication administration, infection control precautions, assessing patient educational needs, care coordination.

Demonstrate effective verbal and written communication skills. Demonstrate initiative, problem solving ability, adaptability and flexibility.

Able to demonstrate proper collection techniques in accordance with the laboratory collection services policy and procedure manual.

Maintains knowledge of laboratory tests and appropriate computer ordering codes.

Process specimens maintaining specimen integrity according to individual test requirements

12/2019 to 01/2021 Mid-America Gastrointestinal Consultants

(MAGIC)-Kansas City, MO

Recover patients after receiving an EGD or Colonoscopy

Monitor vitals, administer fluids and other meds as needed

Assess patient's overall well being following procedure (pain, dizziness)

Provide education following procedure

Order additional outpatient test/ labs/ meds per MD's request

Intraop: Assist physician by getting tools or help position patient

12/02/2019 to 6/2020 Medical/Telemetry Nurse

Lee's Summit Medical Center-Lee's Summit ,MO

Provided advanced and specialized care to patients with a variety of medical conditions on continuous cardiac monitoring

Carried out a plan of care specific to unit competencies for the target population

Coordinated care delivery and education through collaboration with patient, family and all health care team providers to ensure safe, effective and quality patient care

Followed organizational policies in providing safe and patient care

06/2016 to Nov 2019 Radiology Nurse

The University of Kansas Health System-Kansas City, KS

Assessed patients' medical history prior to procedure by verifying allergies to ensure proper premedication regimen is obtained

Responsible for pre/intra/post care for patients receiving breast biopsy, such as applying pressure to post biopsy site

Initiated pre screening phone calls to explain pre-procedural instructions and answer any questions patients and family may have

Routinely checked or started peripheral IV's (e.g., 30-40 daily)

Reassessed patients post procedure (e.g., complaints of dizziness) and provided care until stable for discharge

Assessed symptoms, monitor vitals and administer medications for patients having reactions to Contrast dye under supervision of a Radiologist

07/15 to 06/2016 Oncology Nurse

The University of Kansas Health System-Kansas City, KS

Reviewed patients' medical history to understand disease initiation and progression

Monitored patients' physical and emotional needs keeping with continuum of care

Safely administered medications, fluids and cancer treatments (e.g.,

immunotherapy) Collaborated with doctors and other clinicians about patients'

specific treatment plan Communicated with doctors on patients' behalf

Helped patients plan for and manage symptoms (e.g., nausea and

vomiting)

Education and Training: Bachelors of Science in Nursing 2013

Rockhurst University/Research College of Nursing-Kansas City, MO

CERTIFICATIONS

- Registered Nurse, Compact Licensure
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support
- Basic Dysrhythmia