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#### **OBJECTIVE**

Highly enthusiastic nurse with contagious and positive work ethic. Looking to expand role in healthcare field while supporting the short-term goals and long-term mission of the facility.

#### **SKILLS**

- Accuracy, Precision
- Time Management
- People Oriented
- Extensive Documenter
- Team Player

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### LTACH RN SELECT SPECIALTY HOSPITAL, BELHAVEN- JACKSON, MS• GOMED HEALTHCARE • JAN 2022 – MAR 2022 AND MAY 2022-JUN 2022

Appropriate response to an emergency situation.

Staple/suture removal

Chest tube care

Accurate assessment, reassessment, development and implementation of care plan in a safe, accurate and appropriate manner

Knowledge of specific conditions, disease and treatment therapies for the specific population of the setting

Tracheotomy care

Accurately document records in a timely manner

IV Therapy

Serve as advocate for patient and/or family members regarding decisions affecting the care plan

Wound care and skin care protocols

Ostomy care

Identify the educational needs of the patient and family members and provide the necessary education to meet those needs

Post of care of patient

Assess and evaluate patient's response to care plan and prioritize and implement appropriate changes to plan

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#### LTACH RN SELECT SPECIALTY HOSPITAL-MEMPHIS, TN• GOMED HEALTHCARE • NOV 2021 – DEC 2021

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### FEMA RN MEDSURG/PCU •BAPTIST MEMORIAL HOSPITAL- DESOTO, MS • GQR HEALTHCARE• SEPT 2021 – OCT 2021

Assessing, planning, and implementing patient care plans in consultation with other members of the healthcare team Evaluating medical information

Providing direct bedside care to patients both before and after surgery

Inserting catheters, starting IVs, and monitoring patient vital signs Preparing and administering appropriate medications as ordered Educating patients about surgical procedure

Assessing patients for post-op complications

Maintaining and updating patient charts

Adhering to best nursing practices, standards, and protocols

RN MEDSURG/PCU• ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL-PARK AVE, MEMPHIS, TN• PROLINK HEALTHCARE• AUG 2021 – SEPT 2021











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Perform initial patient assessments and work with physicians to plan, implement, and evaluate plans of care for patients of adult patients; manage average caseload of 5-6 patients. Record patients' medical history, vital statistics, and test results in electronic and physical medical charts. Observe patients and actualize nursing interventions to expedite healing and recovery after surgery. Utilize clinical expertise to remove sutures, administer medications and injections, administer IV therapy, test glucose levels. Perform venipuncture, and provide wound care.

# RN HOME HEALTH CASE MANAGER• BAPTIST HOME CARE- BATESVILLE, MS• SUPPLEMENTAL HEALTHCARE• JUL 2021 – AUG 2021

Assess new patients. Update and revise patient health care plans as needed. Educate patients and families about health care plans and options. Make clinical decisions for routine patient care. Accurately document and submit medical records. Demonstrate knowledge in medical care; such as diagnostic procedures, medication, symptoms, and other treatment-related therapies. Provide emotional support to patients and families. Evaluate and determine needs of patients. Review results from medical tests. Implement physician orders and other nursing procedures. Create an environment for open communication

### LTACH RN SELECT SPECIALTY HOSPITAL, BELHAVEN- JACKSON, MS• MAXIM HEALTHCARE • MARCH 2021 – JULY 2021

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## LTACH RN HOUSTON METHODIST CONTINUING CARE• ANGEL STAFFING • JULY 2020 – JAN 2021

Monitoring vital signs. Ensuring operation of needed equipment such as IVs, feeding tubes, catheters, and oxygen tanks.

Communicating with patients and doctors. Providing family support for patients. Administering medications. Running tests and assessments. Planning and coordinating discharges.

Admitting new patients. Documenting patient needs and progress. Overseeing caloric intake and output. Educating patients and families on individual needs. Facilitating transportation.

Completing any facility required education, administration, or reports. Performed daily respiratory assessment. Performed walk test to ensure patient activity tolerance and quality of respiratory function. Collaboration with case managers to ensure patient has home oxygen and other equipment for home management.

## RN HOSPICE CASE MANAGER• ENCOMPASS HEALTH AND HOSPICE• NOV 2018 – NOV 2020

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## HOME HEALTH AND PRIVATE DUTY NURSE• OXFORD HEALTHCARE • JULY 2017 - PRESENT

Provide bedside care in the home and/or facility which entails administration of medications and detailed documentation on eMAR, monitoring intake and output of client, provide incontinent care and repositioning, provide wound care, tracheostomy care/change, monitoring of ventilator supported clients, care of and administer feedings and medication via Mickey, J-, and G-tubes, provide oral care, and provide bed bath (total care).

## FLOOR NURSE • OXFORD HEALTH AND REHAB • AUG 2014 – OCT 2017

Provide bedside care in long-term care facility which entails administering medications and documenting on eMAR, monitor intake and output of residents, obtain daily weights, accountable for census monitoring of unit, administration of feedings per gastronomy tubes, provide oral care, create and implement care plans and skin integrity documentation and wound care.

## TECH SUPPORT AGENT • TELETECH@HOME • NOV 2013 – APR 2014

Handled calls to resolve customer issues in relation to shipping, help customers with questions about purchasing, and aid customer with expediting return orders.

ASSEMBLER• HTI/BORG WARNER • APR 2013 – AUG 2013





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Aid with the manufacturing of auto parts on assembly line which included scraping down of auto parts, single hand operation of factory equipment while meeting daily production quotas.

#### CARHOP• SONIC DRIVE-IN • APR 2012 – APR 2013

Assisted in preparation of food items, delivered orders with accuracy and expediency while providing clientele with an atmosphere of ambiance to produce return customers and maintain the cleanliness of inside and outside facility

#### **EDUCATION**

## BACHELORS DEGREE OF NURSING• JULY 2020 • MISSISSIPPI UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

MNA Member, Dean's List, Honor Society

## ASSOCIATES DEGREE OF NURSING• MAY 2019 • COAHOMA CC

3.0 GPA, MOSA Member

## BACHELOR OF GENERAL STUDIES • MAY 2017 • UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

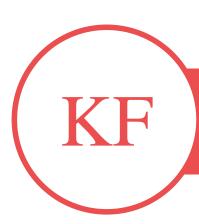
Chancellor's Honor Roll, 3.52 GPA, and member of Lambda Sigma Honor Society











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PRACTICAL NURSING • JULY 2013 • NORTHWEST MS CC

#### **REFERENCES**

Available upon request.





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