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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

* Over 12 years of nursing experience in diverse health care settings.

WORK HISTORY

**08/18-present TMC- West Ways Staffing--- Agency RN**

* Computerized documentation
* Worked as float pool as well as took 13 week contracts on various units.
* Provide, coordinate, and document care for patients, maintain communication among care staff, serve as liaison between patient, doctor, case manager, and social worker
* Administer IV fluids and medications including antibiotics, TPN, and narcotics, and carefully monitor for side effects and adverse reactions
* Leverage compassion in facilitating pain management and completing prescribed treatments including dosage changes, accuchecks, and ambulation, perform sterile procedures including catheterization and dressing changes
* Decisively and confidently make judgments on patient conditions and call doctors based on decisions.

**09/20-12/20 Northwest Medical Center –West Ways Staffing— Agency RN**

* Computerized documentation
* 13 week assignment on Telemetry unit.
* Provide, coordinate, and document care for patients, maintain communication among care staff, serve as liaison between patient, doctor, case manager, and social worker
* Administer IV fluids and medications including antibiotics, TPN, and narcotics, and carefully monitor for side effects and adverse reactions
* Leverage compassion in facilitating pain management and completing prescribed treatments including dosage changes, accuchecks, and ambulation, perform sterile procedures including catheterization and dressing changes
* Decisively and confidently make judgments on patient conditions and call doctors based on decisions.

**12/19-Present Santa Cruz Valley Regional Hospital--- RN**

* Computerized documentation
* Provide, coordinate, and document care for patients, maintain communication among care staff, serve as liaison between patient and Physician.
* Administer IV fluids and medications including antibiotics, narcotics, and carefully monitor for side effects and adverse reactions
* Decisively and confidently make judgments on patient conditions and call doctors based on decisions.
* Effectively assimilated, interpreted and reported changes in patient to ensure optimum care.

**09/18-12/19 Surgical Institute of Tucson--- RN**

* Computerized documentation
* Provide care to patients in Pre-Op, OR and PACU.
* Provide, coordinate, and document care for patients, maintain communication among care staff, serve as liaison between patient, Director and Physician.
* Administer IV fluids and medications including antibiotics, narcotics, and carefully monitor for side effects and adverse reactions
* Pre-Op assess patient, review medical history and medications, start IV, work closely with anesthesiologist for pre-op medications,
* Circulating OR interview patient, transport patient to OR, assist with positioning on OR table, assist anesthesiolgist with air way, preform time-out, document and monitor patient and OR staff to ensure safety of patient.
* Patient education on discharge when working in PACU.
* Decisively and confidently make judgments on patient conditions and call doctors based on decisions.

***02/18-08/18 RN Case Manager, Soreo Hospice and Palliative Care***

* Evaluation and admission of new patient referrals
* Patient case load of 8-15 patients
* Provided, coordinated and document care of hospice patients with Medical director, PCP, and HHA
* On call one week and one weekend a month.
* Place appropriate orders for DME equipment, Medications, admission, discharge, or any physician order regarding patient
* Contact DME company to coordinate delivery and pickup of equipment
* Contact pharmacy regarding all medications for patients new and refills
* Schedule patients for weekly visits, make PRN visits as needed.
* Provide wound care as needed, deliver supplies for personal care as needed
* Work with family, social worker and Chaplin to ensure patient and family are supported in every aspect as they go through the terminal process.

***08/17-01/18 Clinic Coordinator RN, SAVAHCS***

* Triaged phone calls, secure messages, and patients in waiting room/exam room
* Triaged consults for cardiac procedures such as cardiac caths, EP studies, Ablations, Loop recorders, cardioversions
* Provided, coordinated and documented care for patients, maintained communication among care staff, served as liaison between patient and doctors
* Administered IV contrast for Echocardiograms, performed bubble studies with Echo tech.
* Assisted Fellow physicians with orders need for procedures
* Coordinated schedule for cardiac procedures, assured fellow physicians received copy of weekly schedule one week in advance. notified physicians of any changes to schedule
* Communicated with bed board, prosthetics and anesthesia to coordinate patient procedures, ensuring patient had the proper implantable device, bed to be admitted if needed, such as social admits, dofetilide admissions, Impella cases,
* Worked closely with MSA and physicians with meeting the needs of Veterans to ensure best quality of care.
* Worked with non-VA care coordinator to ensure veterans received appropriate appointments in a timely manner
* Computerized documentation in medical chart and in excel spread sheets for tracking of consults

***01/12-09/13 IMC Surgical Specialties, Staff RN U of A Medical Center***

* All computerized documentation
* Wide variety of patients including but not limited to ENT Oncology, Urology and Gynecology Oncology, Transplant patients.
* Provided, coordinated, and documented care for patients, maintained communication among care staff, served as liaison between patient, doctor, case manager, and social worker
* Administered IV fluids and medications including antibiotics, TPN, and narcotics, and carefully monitored for side effects and adverse reactions
* Leverage compassion in facilitating pain management and completing prescribed treatments including dosage changes, accuchecks, and ambulation. perform sterile procedures including catheterization and dressing changes
* Decisively and confidently made judgments on patient conditions and called doctors based on decisions.

***07/08- 08/17 Telemetry Unit/CRT/CSA Carondelet Hospitals***

* Provided, coordinated, and documented care for patients, maintained communication among care staff, served as liaison between patient, doctor, case manager, and social worker
* Administered IV fluids and medications including antibiotics, TPN, and narcotics, and carefully monitored for side effects and adverse reactions.
* Leverage compassion in facilitating pain management and completing prescribed treatments including dosage changes, accuchecks, and ambulation. performed sterile procedures including catheterization and dressing changes
* Decisively and confidently made judgments on patient conditions and called doctors based on decisions.
* As CSA took 13 week assignments on different units at the different Carondelet hospitals.
* As CRT floated to the different units at Carondelet St. Joseph’s hospital.

**EDUCATION**

03/18-08/20 University of Phoenix. MSN-FNP, Phoenix, AZ

08/10-11/11 Grand Canyon University, BSN, Phoenix, AZ

01/05-05/08 Western New Mexico University, ADN, Silver City, NM

1991-1995 Deming High School, Diploma, Deming, NM

Additional Training & Certifications

2019-21 ACLS (Advanced Cardiac Life Support)

2016 ACS (Acute Coronary Syndrome)

2019-21 BLS (Basic Life Support)

2020 NIHSS