Profile

Registered Nurse with experience focused in Cardiac and Critical Care. Served in various ICUs and Cardiac Catheterization Lab. Board Certified in Medical/Surgical Nursing. Motivated self-starter and team member with competence in multiple EMR platforms.

Experience

RN: Cath Lab, CVICU; Delray Medical Center — 2020–Present

Serve as RN on staff in CVICU. Gained valuable training and experience in cardiac cath lab until elective procedures ceased due to COVID pandemic. Have been working with the ICU team since this time. Experienced in COVID ICU, with patients who, across the lifespan, are hypoxic, quickly decompensate into ARDS, and often require advanced treatments including proning, CRRT, artificial airways, multiple life support drips, paralytic medications, etc. as well as open communication with interdisciplinary team and family members, and consideration for advanced directives. Also serve in Trauma and Neuro ICUs as needed.

Charge RN: SICU; Wellington Regional Medical Center — 2019–2020

Served as charge nurse for 10-bed surgical intensive care unit. Demonstrated professional competency with assessment of critically ill patients, evaluating response to planned interventions, providing pertinent and organized handoff report at bedside, application of technical nursing skills as well as refined interpersonal skills required to personalize care as culturally and developmentally appropriate. Handled workloads of varied acuities. Accountable for maintaining ongoing communication with interdisciplinary team to update plan of care, accurate and timely documentation. Experience with critical thinking through acute situations to assess and identify changes in unstable patients and collaborating with intensive care team to manage rapid changes in conditions as warranted; experience with multiple nursing roles during code blue situations in addition to service as critical care nurse resource for rapid responses in lower acuity units throughout facility. Proficient in ECG interpretations/arrhythmia identification. Experience with various bedside procedures, caring for critical patients during immediate postoperative period including post-op open hearts, post-cath lab; venous/arterial sheath management and removal; titrating multiple cardiac drips and vasopressors, moderate sedation/analgesia, epidural anesthesia. Management of tubes, drains, lines. Experience with various treatment modalities including CRRT, impella, intra-aortic balloon pump, hemodialysis, cvp/paw/arterial pressure monitoring, swan-ganz catheters, advanced and artificial airways. Experience with management of patients requiring advanced life support; demonstrated competency with coordinating initiation and discontinuation of such modalities, serving as teacher and support role for family members, discussing advanced directives, and connecting decision makers with appropriate referrals as ordered by physicians.

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RN: ICU; Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center — 2018–2019

Critical Care RN, rotated between Medical, Surgical, Neuropathological, and cardiovascular intensive care units. Experience with modalities as above.

Admissions RN; Trustbridge Hospice — 2017–2019

RN responsible for assessing patients and collaborating with physicians to determine eligibility and plan of care for hospice. Served as head admissions nurse at Bethesda Hospital East, with 99.7% conversion rate: highest in company to date.

RN: Medical/Surgical, CCU; Raulerson Hospital — 2014–2017

Served as RN in Med-Surg unit, completing StaRN new grad training program. Floated to CCU as needed.

Education

Keiser University: West Palm Beach, FL — Associate of Science in Nursing, 2014

Florida State University: Tallahassee, FL — Bachelor of Science in Advertising with a minor emphasis in Business Administration, 2008

Skills

BLS/ACLS certified by American Heart Association.

Proficient with Cerner, Meditech, and PointCare electronic medical records/ charting software systems.