

Colette Kanda, RN

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OBJECTIVE

Career-driven, dedicated, and compassionate Registered Nurse with over 8 years of experience providing expert health care to a wide variety of patients. Looking to leverage my experience and high-level skill sets to effectively fill in a nursing position in an established hospital.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

Chateau Living Center, Kenner, Louisiana

Certified Nursing Assistant, Full-time, night shift CNA – August 2008- May 2209

- Carried out day-to-day duties, such as emptying bedpans, cleaning soiled sheets, and bathing and feeding patients.
- Regularly measured patient vital signs, including temperature, blood pressure, heart rate, and blood sugar
- Preserved patient dignity and minimize discomfort while carrying out duties such as bedpan changes, diapering, emptying drainage bags, and bathing.
- Ensured the accurate, timely flow of information by maintaining thorough patient records and updating the healthcare team on patients' status.

Chateau Living Center, Kenner, Louisiana

Registered Nurse, Full-time, day shift June 2012 - November 2015

- Monitored patients' health and maintained detailed records on all medications and treatments
- Educated patients and their families on the best ways to support ongoing health in the home environment.
- Maintained a safe and clean working environment in compliance with healthcare procedures and regulations.
- Making a clear, accurate, and immediate record of all medicine that has been administered to a patient.
- Evaluated effectiveness of care through comparing the patient response with observable outcomes.

UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER, New Orleans, Louisiana
Registered Nurse, Full-time, night shift RN -November 2015- February 2021

- Provide direct quality care to patients including daily monitoring, recording, and evaluating of conditions of 6 patients per day.
- Worked as a Charge nurse to coach and mentor nurses and assigned available patients.
- Assisted with examinations took patient medical history and vitals (i.e. blood pressure, temperature, check height and weight), drew blood, and gave injections
- Delivered medications via oral, IV, and intramuscular injections monitoring responses to address new concerns.

Uvalde Memorial Hospital, Uvalde, Texas
Registered Nurse, Full-time, night shift RN COVID-19 Unit February 2021-Present

EDUCATION

Our Lady of the Lake University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Associate Degree in Nursing, June 2012

SKILLS AND AWARD

Critical Thinking; Compassion; Time Management; Attention to Detail; Professionalism;
Cultural Awareness; Bilingual in English and French; Computer Literacy

DAISY AWARD, June 2019

LICENCES AND CERTIFICATION

Licensed as RN in the State of Louisiana

Current BLS/CPR certification per policy.

REFERENCES

UPON REQUEST