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### **Professional Summary**

Critical Care Registered Nurse with 3 years experience in adult critical care. Possesses a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree. Seeking to move forward with my career in a travel position and focus on pursuing long term goals of higher education and advancement as a Critical Care Registered Nurse.

### **Licenses/Certifications**

Registered Nurse- State of Missouri

Registered Nurse- State of New Hampshire

Registered Nurse- State of Massachusetts

Registered Nurse- State of Illinois

**ACLS- American Heart Association** 

**BLS-American Heart Association** 

TNCC- Emergency Nurses Association

CNA- State of Illinois

### **Work History/Experience**

Registered Nurse/ Travel Nurse CrossMed Healthcare Omaha, Nebraska April 2020- Current

Facilities worked at under CrossMed:

OSF St. Francis Hospital MICU- Peoria, IL October 2020- current Job Description

Management of critically ill patients in an ICU setting. Charting with EPIC charting system. Use of Proper PPE. Recognition of possible infections or criteria meeting needs to place patients on isolation precautions. Management of ventilators, IV medications

and titration of IV drips. Administration of blood products to patients and ability to recognize adverse reactions. Knowledge of working with patients in protective custody and adhering to HIPAA regulations and providing protective environments. Performing basic needs care for patients including bathing, mouth care, grooming, toileting, dressing, ambulating, attending to emotional needs. Management of wounds and wound care. Prevention of pressure sores. Management of Foley catheters, wound vacs, chest tubes, wound drains. Management of Arterial lines, Central lines, Central Venous Pressure lines. Insertion of Foley catheters, NG and OG tubes. Prevention of CAUTI and CLABSI infections. Drawing ABGs and interpretation of.

St. Joseph Hospital MICU- Nashua, NH April 2020- October 2020 Job description

Manage critically ill patients in the ICU setting. Managed IV medications, titration of IV drips, phlebotomy, IV insertion, management of ventilators, cooling and warming blankets and devices management of CRRT machines. Worked with patients with COVID 19 infections. Use of PPE properly, performed proning techniques and care of prone patients. Proper management of sedating IV medications and ability to determine sedation scores using RASS scoring system. Charting using EPIC charting system. Use of POSS and CIWA protocols for alcohol or opiate pain medication withdrawals symptoms. There were many instances where I would be floated to the general medication floor and the telemetry unit where I would manage 4 to 6 patients at a time. Also would pick up overtime and work extra days as much as possible.

Registered Nurse
Saint Louis University Hospital
Emergency Room/ICU - St. Louis, MO
July 2018- April 2020
Job Description

Performs comprehensive nursing assessment.

Establishes, coordinates and evaluates a plan of care based on analysis of assessment data, patient diagnosis, lab data, tests, procedures, physician orders, protocols and standards of care and other information as relevant.

Connect patients to monitoring equipment and interpretation of information.

Ability to perform EKG's and interpret findings to report to providers.

Provides and documents nursing interventions based on assessed patient needs, plan

of care, and changes in patient status. Uses EPIC charting system.

Documents and or communicates nursing care and or changes in patient condition. Transitioned to Medical ICU in December 2019. Worked extra Shifts in the ER also while working in the ICU.

Managed Critically ill patients, managed ventilators, cooling and warming blankets, managed IV medications and titration of IV drips. Performed phlebotomy, IV insertions, interpretation of blood labs, ability to recognize decline in patients status and working hand in hand with providers informing them of results or changes in condition and carrying out orders.

### Certified Nursing Assistant VA Hospital Jefferson Barracks- St. Louis, MO November 2016 to Current

### **Job Description**

I currently work with patients ranging from independent, disabled, total care and hospice. My duties include but are not limited to assisting with bathing, toileting, straight catheters, wound care, feeding, transferring, ambulating for exercise. I have also been pulled to psychiatric, rehabilitation and hospice floors due to staffing shortages. Charting using the CPRS system.

## Maintenance worker United States Steel Corporation — Granite City, IL May 2007 to October 2015

### Job Description

Troubleshot and repaired many different industrial machines and pneumatic / hydraulic systems. Pipefitting repair and fabricating. Welded and fitted pipe. Worked safely with every job and worked in dangerous surroundings, safety is the most important thing and comes first with anything. Worked in confined spaces and under supplied air. Worked different shifts with others above and below my skill level. Also worked jobs on my own with no help. Worked on jobs where I led a team of other workers to complete the task. Trained new employees about the operation, troubleshooting and repair of machines and systems and to work safely on and around the jobs.

### Construction worker Weis-Schrage Construction Co. Inc. — Highland , IL March 2006 to March 2007

#### **Job Description**

Worked in and out of weather doing multiple kinds of residential and commercial construction. Examples would be roofing, concrete basements and flatwork, framing,

siding, finish work. Used tools and machinery such as air nail guns, electric saws, hand tools, forklifts and tractors.

# Forklift operator Ozburn Hessey Logistics — Granite City, IL September 2006 to March 2007 Job Description

Operated multiple types of forklifts like electric sit down and stand up forklifts, pallet jacks, gas powered forklifts. Loaded tractor trailers. Operated diesel tractor. Loaded pallets and picked merchandise from a list to load on the pallets, wrapped the pallets and loaded onto trucks.

Kitchen Manager Farmers Restaurant Bakery Inc. Ravanelli's Restaurant — Highland , IL Jan 2000 to Sep 2006

Job Description

Managed kitchen staff, scheduling, ordering materials, food, supplies. Worked with kitchen equipment, stoves, grill, ovens, dishwasher. Opened in the morning and closed / locked up the restaurant at night.

#### **Education**

2018- Maryville University
St Louis, MO, USA
Nursing
Bachelor of Science

#### **Clinical Experience**

- Senior Practicum: Oncology Stem Cell Transplant floor BJC STL, MO (Current)
- Public Health Nursing: Affinia HealthCare, N. Florissant STL, MO (Current)
- Medical Surgical 2: Bariatric Surgery floor Depaul Hospital STL, MO Fall 2017
- Pediatrics: Ranken Jordan Hospital STL, MO Fall 2017

- Labor and Delivery/OB: Depaul Hospital STL, MO Spring 2017
- Psychosocial: CenterPointe Hospital STL, MO Spring 2017
- Introduction to Clinical: Med/Surg floor St. Luke's Hospital STL, MO Fall 2016

### 2016- Southwestern Illinois College

Granite City, IL, USA General Studies Associate of Arts

### 2008- U. S. Steel

Granite City, IL Welding/ Safety

Welding and burning training. Forklift and man reach, man lift training, safety training ,OSHA, confined space, hazardous materials, gas rescue training.