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**Objective**

 Obtain an RN position in Pre-Op/PACU.

**Education**

Bachelor’s of Science in Nursing (Belmont University)

**Experience/Skills**

Registered Nurse- Surgical Stepdown Unit at Vanderbilt University Medical Center

(February 2020-February 2021)

* Properly assess patients from head to toe.
* Properly handle lines, drains, and tubes.
* Analyze lab results and incorporate findings into plans of care.
* Evaluate and analyze patients’ status to determine further treatment necessity.
* Communicate and support patients and families during hospitalization.
* Communicate with healthcare team members to give patient-centered care.

Psychiatrist Assistant/ Receptionist at Dr. Okpaku and Associates

(September 2018-August 2019)

* Analyzed patient situations to better provide patient-centered care.
* Demonstrated compassion towards a variety of patient populations.
* Partook in following HIPAA guidelines.
* Managed transport of patients to hospital/emergency department.
* Participated in plan of action care plans for patients.
* Gained experience on how to approach/address different types of mental illness.

**Volunteer Work/ Awards, Commendations, Certifications**

BLS Certification

Preceptor-at Vanderbilt University Medical Center

“Skin Champion” Certification (with assessing pressure ulcers/skin breakdown)

Dean’s List

Lettie Pate Whitehead Scholarship recipient

Peer Tutor at Belmont University