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**To Whom It May Concern,**

Please allow me to introduce myself. I am a husband of a wonderful wife, and a father of three very cherished children. I have a career background that is very diversified ranging from sales and contracting to certified nursing and clinical instructing. My broad experience enables me to connect and relate in an effective manner to most situations. My resume and cover letter will demonstrate that I have the knowledge and experience to be part of your team.

I am currently a certified staff RN working on the telemetry unit of Mercy Medical Center in Redding, CA. MMCR is a 283 bed Regional Level II Trauma Center which falls under the umbrella of Dignity Health and Common Spirit. My duties are to provide bedside nursing care and to work in an interdisciplinary fashion in order to achieve the best outcomes for my patients. I am BLS and ACLS certified as well as PCCN certified. I also currently work as an adjunct clinical instructor for Simpson University instructing 3rd semester students.

In the clinical setting, I believe it is essential to have an open line of communication between the interdisciplinary team members in order to provide continuity in care to have positive outcomes. I pride myself on making eye contact and acknowledging those around me in order to keep that line open. I make it a point to be available to my team members when they are in need of assistance and I keep a good awareness of any team members in need of help around me. Being former military, I also have a strong belief in using the chain of command in order to affect change.

My philosophy on patient care is to treat my patients like I would want my family to be treated. I believe that if my patient looks good, it makes me look good. I enjoy listening to their stories and I value their input and the expectations they have for their progress. I also take initiative to advocate for my patients and to make sure they are involved and understand the plans and objectives set forth for their recovery.

I have found that this approach of making people feel important and valuing their input whether they are a fellow team member or a patient that I care for makes all the difference when it comes to both patient and job satisfaction.

Thank you for reading my resume and cover letter. I sincerely appreciate your time.

**Respectfully,**

**Craig Sharrett**