Katelin Franz, RN

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# SKILLS

* Knowledge of medical equipment, products, and pharmaceuticals
* Strong critical thinking and problem solving with quick implementation of appropriate intervention
* Quickly develop great rapport with patients, families, and coworkers
* Great time management
* Patient safety
* Teamwork
* Dependability
* Oncology/Telemetry experience
* Urgent and emergency care experience
* CPR certified
* Phlebotomy experience
* Home health experience
* Nursing Home/acute rehabilitation experience
* Quick study with new skills

# EXPERIENCE

Registered Nurse, December 2020 to Current

St. Mary Medical Center – Oncology/Telemetry

* Evaluate lab/imaging results, monitor vital signs, and assess telemetry strips.
* Administer blood and blood products safely.
* Be the patient’s advocate and speak with physicians when necessary.
* Administer medication to patients and evaluate when not to administer medications.

RN Fellow, June 2019 to December 2020

St. Mary Medical Center - Hobart, IN

* Assist the nurse with medication administration, Foley catheter insertion, and other nursing tasks.
* Help clients with activities of daily living.
* Place telemetry monitors on clients, bladder scan clients, run twelve lead electrocardiograms, perform CPR, and assist with emergency situations.

Home Health Aide, March 2019 to July 2019

First Light Home Care - Valparaiso, IN

* Help clients maintain a clean environment.
* Cook meals for clients.
* Help clients with activities of daily living in their own homes.

Phlebotomist, March 2018 to March 2019

NICL Laboratories - Munster, IN

* Traveled to nursing homes around the area.
* Independently drew blood samples in various locations.
* Maintained safety and provided support for clients.
* Followed proper protocol for labeling, transport of specimens, and proper documentation.

Certified Nursing Assistant, July 2015 to February 2018

Life Care Center - Rensselaer/Valparaiso, IN

* Help residents with activities of daily living.
* Chart on behavior and skills.
* Keep residents happy, healthy, and safe.
* Comfort family members when needed.

Shift Manager, September 2014 to June 2015

Arby’s - Rensselaer, IN

* Help run the store, position the employees, resolve customer complaints, keep everyone fast paced.
* Count the inventory, safe, and drawers, track the waste, open and close the store, ensure all tasks are completed by the employees.

Floor Supervisor, April 2012 to September 2014

McDonalds - Demotte, IN

* Help maintain the store, resolve customer complaints, manage the employees.
* Count the inventory, safe, and drawers, ensure all expected tasks of employees are done.

# EDUCATION

## Ivy Tech Community College *- Associate of Science in Nursing*

January 2019 - December 2020

## Ivy Tech Community College *- Associate of Science in Healthcare Specialist*

August 2014 - May 2018

## Preferred Medical Academy *- CNA*

March 2015 - June 2015

## Kankakee Valley High School *- Core 40*

August 2010 - May 2014

**AWARDS**

Gold Star, Third Tier Award - 2021

Silver Star, Second Tier Award - 2020

Bronze Star, First Tier Award - 2020

Certified Nursing Assistant of the year – 2016

**REFERENCES**

Sarah Darrell MSN, RN, CHSE, CNOR

Simulation Coordinator - Nursing

Associate Professor Ivy Tech Community College

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