**KEISHA L LUCAS**

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**PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

Highly efficient and compassionate Labor and Delivery Nurse with over 5 years’ experience in hospital environment. Fully versed in

all aspects of labor and delivery, antepartum and postpartum care. Possesses exceptional critical thinking skills in  
fast-paced high-tension setting. Also proficient in a domestic setting, providing quality nursing care to patients in their homes.

**SKILLS**

Strong clinical judgment IV infusion  
Patient/family focused Complex Problem Solving  
Patient evaluation/intervention Excellent communicator  
Professional bedside manner Pain and labor management  
Breastfeeding educator Fetal monitoring  
Recovery/OR circulator neonatal care expertise  
Proper catheter insertion/removal Infection Prevention  
Patient and family advocacy Anti and postpartum care

**WORK HISTORY**

**Registered Nurse**

**UNITED STAFFING-** 1385 Broadway, NY 10018 2/2020 – current

* Assess patients in triage for preterm labor, active labor, rupture of waters, pregnancy complications, or co-existing issues
* Assist in maintaining pregnancy in antepartum mothers
* Fetal assessment and monitoring
* Maternal physical assessment(s)
* Manage patients in labor, including induction assistance, epidural assistance, pain management, education, and delivery support
* Assist and circulate in operating room for cesarean sections, tubal, and emergency obstetric and gynecological procedures
* Medication administration and immunizations
* Patient education related to medications, labor, pushing, delivering, and postpartum care of mother and baby
* Newborn care and assessment for healthy infant
* Breastfeeding and postpartum support/management
* Charting via electronic medical records
* Assist with fetal demise
* Collaboration with care management team, including anesthesiologist, physician or midwife, lactation nurse, and charge nurse

**Lincoln Medical and Mental Health Center** - 234 E 149th ST Bronx NY 10451 10/2014 – 12/2019

Completes initial assessment on all admitted laboring and non-laboring antepartum patients within admission.  
Initiate, implements and revises individualized plan of care developed from assessment data and mutually established

goals with patients and their family.

Performs initial and ongoing assessment of labor.   
Completes ongoing assessment of fetal heart rate and maternal status during labor  
Identifies emergency situations such as changes in fetal heart rate patterns, changes in maternal physiological and  
neurological status and promptly initiates interventions and summons a physician.  
Applies external fetal monitor and interprets fetal heart rate tracing and uterine activity.  
Initiates and maintains IV infusions.  
Performs nursing interventions efficiently in cases of maternal fetal compromise.  
Assists with application of scalp electrode/IUPC, fetal blood sampling.  
Monitors patients receiving Magnesium sulfate, epidural, spinal and general anesthesia and recognized the implications

and intervenes as necessary.   
Demonstrates efficiency in assisting the physician during a delivery.  
Demonstrates efficiency in circulating in the operating room.  
Exhibits an understanding of established standard of care for both high and low risk obstetrical patients.   
Demonstrates efficiency in recovering patients after surgical procedure.  
Demonstrates efficiency in Neonatal resuscitation.

**Field Nurse**

**American Homecare** - 1113 Avenue J Brooklyn NY 11230 11/2013 - 12/2014

* Performed a home care assessment and re-assessment of patient and environment to determine home health care needs.
* Coordinated with Case Managers with verbal report of patient changes and information in timely bases.  
  In conjunction with family and physician and /or authorized practitioner developed plan of care based on assessment.
* Provided skilled nursing care as outline in plan of treatment which includes wound care, medication administration,  
  medication teaching and overall assessment of patient's status.
* Taught, supervised and counseled the patient and family regarding their nursing care needs and other related problems of  
  the patient at home.
* Evaluated effectiveness of nursing service to the individual and family.

**EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Science**: RN to BSN  
**Bachelor of Science, Nursing State University of New York at Delhi** – 454 Delhi Drive May, 2017

**Associate of Science**: Nursing

**Borough of Manhattan Community College** - 199 Chambers Street. New York, NY 10007 May, 2013

**CERTIFICATIONS**

NRP   
Infection Control   
Advanced Fetal Monitoring   
ACLS

BLS   
Postpartum Hemorrhage   
Shoulder Dystocia