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OBJECTIVE

Assistant care manager with over three years of bedside nursing experience seeking a medical surgical agency position.

CERTIFICATIONS

Registered Professional Nurse, Illinois Board of Registered Nursing. 2021: License number: 041.459287
Basic Life Support, American Heart Association. 2021
Member of the Holistic Nurses Association. 2021

EXPERIENCE

Assistant Care Manager, Ingalls Memorial Hospital, Harvey 05/2021-present

- Supervise and manage nursing staff for day to day unit operations; assisting staff with patient care, organize patient assignments, assignment of admissions and assisting with discharges. Ensure highest standard of care is provided to patients and investigate and address any patient and family concerns and treatment issues.
- Participate in quality projects and daily audits to meet hospital standards. Some of these include narcotic administration audits, fall risk precaution audits, and low scoring Braden scale precaution audits for skin breakdown prevention.
- Hold morning meetings with the multidisciplinary team to discuss patient care and barriers for discharges; investigating and resolving treatment issues or barriers for discharge by discussing with case management, doctors and family members. Daily huddle meeting to educate nursing staff on newest policies and procedures. Assistance in rapid response and code.
- Assist with training numerous new employees from new graduate nurses to experienced agency staff throughout the orientation process by discussing unit standards and expectations.

Registered Nurse, Ingalls Memorial Hospital, Harvey 05/2019-05/2021

- Implemented evidence based practice while caring for an average of five to six patients with different levels of acuity on an observation/medical-surgical unit. Care includes thorough head to toe assessments, safe medication administration through various routes. Other nursing skills include IV insertions, wound dressing changes, foley catheter insertions and removal, central line dressing changes, chest-tube care, tracheostomy care, NG tube placement, colostomy care, peritoneal dialysis, continuous bladder irrigation, telemetry monitoring and more. Educating and empowering patients and families by providing evidence based healthcare education and materials, educating about resources and teaching patients about lifestyle changes and other forms of empowerment.
- Nurse preceptor: training new graduate and experienced nurses throughout the orientation period, helping get staff acclimated to hospital policies and procedures, using evidence based practice to educate staff, observing and ensuring new nurses use safe and critical thinking skills and that patient safety is prioritized. Frequently communicating with managers and nurse educators to ensure new staff is readily prepared to work independently. Member of the falls committee; working to discover and implement new hospital wide protocols to promote patient safety and to prevent falls.

Registered Nurse, Symphony of Crestwood, Crestwood 02/2018-04/2019

- Caring for up to 40 patients in a skilled nursing facility. Safe medication administration via various routes. Using effective communication skills to properly delegate and promote a team-work approach to patient care

EDUCATION

Loyola University Chicago Bachelor of Science in Nursing 2017