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Registered Nurse Emergency Department

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Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Registered Nurse, Emergency Department

Faststaff Travel Nursing - Colorado

April 2019 to Present

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- Maintaining emergency room care standards.
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- Ensuring the efficiency of the patient check-in process.
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Emergency Room Registered Nurse

US Nursing - Colorado

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Registered Nurse

Medely - Santa Monica, CA

October 2017 to Present

PACU RN-PRN for various ambulatory out patient clinical settings. Responsibilities include but not limited to monitoring of post-op patients who are recovering a surgical oversee vital signs, change bandages, administer necessary medications, assess overall recovery, and educate patients and their families about homecare instructions.

Emergency Room Nurse

Supplemental Health Care - Fort Worth, TX
January 2017 to Present

Working various emergency departments around DFW Metroplex

Registered Nurse em

Medical City Healthcare - Dallas, TX
November 2018 to March 2019

- Assessed patient physical, social, language or mental needs
- Performed nursing care for emergency medicine unit patients
- Continuously monitored patients' conditions
- Provided life-saving interventions
- Provided discharge planning
- Evaluated nursing care delivered by other non-licensed student workers

Interventional Radiology RN

Dallas Methodist Hospital-Travel Assignment - Dallas, TX
July 2017 to September 2017

Providing ongoing education to the patient and to the family members. Ensuring that the patient and the family members understand the procedure and the plan of care by encouraging them to ask questions before signing the procedural consent.

Checking their meds, vital signs, NPO status, laboratory results and history to ensure that it is safe to proceed with the planned procedure.

Administering conscious sedation drugs and safely monitoring patients.

Preparing and/or administering drugs such as Phenobarbital for the Wada test, Heparin, Alteplase and Nitroglycerin during stroke cases, or Flumazenil and Naloxone to reverse the effects of sedation

Gastroenterology/PACU Post Op Recovery RN

Dallas Methodist Hospital-Contract Assignment - Dallas, TX
May 2017 to July 2017

Post procedure monitoring observing for signs and symptoms of complications such as: Bleeding from the puncture site and/or surrounding area, Pain, Changes in mental status and vital signs

Educating family members in post op care such as, dressings, tubes and drains that need to be cleaned, changed and flushed.

Responding to checking an alarming IV pump, emergency call such as chest pain, low blood pressure, bleeding or administering medication for a test.

Perform airway assessment and management, cardiac hemodynamic monitoring and pulse oximetry

Perform intervention duties in the case of post operative emergencies

Monitor for condition changes and report and changes to medical doctor

Registered Nurse Emergency Department

Trident Medical Center - Charleston, SC
February 2016 to November 2016

- Delivery of quality patient care through the nursing process of assessment, planning, implementation and evaluation
- Direct all nursing care for patients based on established clinical nursing practice and federal, state, and local regulations

- Incorporate knowledge of patient's age specific development and cultural diversity into the plan of care
- Contribute to quality nursing care through process improvement techniques and multidisciplinary collaboration that demonstrates positive outcomes in the delivery of patient care.
- Coordinate patient care through a multi-disciplinary continuum and facilitates the achievement of optimal outcomes in relation to provision of care, quality improvement and cost effectiveness.
- Effectively communicate and collaborate within a diverse group of people for the purpose of informing the healthcare team of plans/actions/outcomes.
- Apply nursing knowledge and pathophysiology wide range of medical disorders to include sickle cell anemia, diabetes, sexually transmitted diseases, thyroid disorders, hypertension, and cardiac disease among others and their potential impact on perinatal outcomes, as well as broad knowledge of normal delivery variations, their complications and indicated therapeutic intervention required.

Clinical Lead

Family Practice - Charleston, SC

September 2015 to November 2015

- Assist with pap smears, pelvic exams, and health assessments
- Provide first level support as a patient services liaison to research issues surrounding complaints, billing, registration, and then communicating findings to manager.
- Ensure smooth office operations which support teamwork, and generate a positive attitude between front and back office staff.
- Apply nursing knowledge and pathophysiology wide range of medical disorders to include sickle cell anemia, diabetes, sexually transmitted diseases, thyroid disorders, hypertension, and cardiac disease among others and their potential impact on perinatal outcomes, as well as broad knowledge of normal delivery variations, their complications and indicated therapeutic intervention required.
- Collaborate with the physician, nurse practitioner, nurse midwife, or clinical nurse specialist in the health care/education of patients.
- Promote preventive and health maintenance care, to include annual physicals/health assessments, positive health behaviors, and self-care skills through education.

Clinical Supervisor

Family Practice

March 2012 to August 2015

West Ashley Family Medicine, Charleston SC

- Act as the first level, "go to person" between providers and staff.
- Implement evidence base practice and procedures to provide comprehensive primary care to a select population of essentially healthy women and/or their babies in a variety of settings to include, obstetrical antepartum or intrapartum management, postpartum care, gynecologic care and immediate newborn care.
- Coordinate patient care through a multi-disciplinary continuum and facilitates the achievement of optimal outcomes in relation to provision of care, quality improvement and cost effectiveness.
- Collaborate with the physician, nurse practitioner, nurse midwife, or clinical nurse specialist in the health care/education of patients.
- Promote preventive and health maintenance care, to include annual physicals/health assessments, positive health behaviors, and self-care skills through education.
- Assist manager with provider and staff schedules to ensure appropriate clinic coverage.
- Demonstrate ability to administer pharmacologic agents and accurately compute dosage calculations as required.

- Perform accurate documentation, both written and electronic, of all activities in accordance with unit/medical treatment facility requirement.

primary coordinator of all disciplines for well coordinated patient care

Preceptorship Emergency Department - Antioch, CA

March 2011 to May 2011

Kaiser Permanente, Antioch CA

- Assessed plans and evaluates patient care needs.
- Prioritized patient care based on acuity level and available resources.
- Carried out physician orders.
- Assisted physician during examination, treatment and procedures.
- Administered prescribed medications, changes dressings, cleaned wounds, monitored vital signs.
- Served as the primary coordinator of all disciplines for well coordinated patient care.
- Monitored records and communicated patient condition as appropriate utilizing computerized documentation systems.
- Instructed and educated patients and families.
- Assessed and coordinated patient's discharge planning needs with members of the healthcare team.
- Provided age and culturally appropriate care.
- Followed Standard Precautions using personal protective equipment as required.
- Completed 300 clinical hours, 40 leadership hours

Education

Bachelors of Science in Nursing

Samuel Merritt University - Oakland, CA

April 2011

Nursing Prerequisites

Holy Names University - Oakland, CA

2006 to 2009

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: April 2018

State: SC

RN

Expires: July 2020

State: TX

RN

Expires: December 2020

State: CA

RN

Expires: December 2019

State: VI

Skills

- RN
- Critical Care Experience
- Nursing
- Primary Care Experience
- Medication Administration
- EMR Systems
- Hospital Experience
- Triage
- Vital Signs
- Epic
- Cerner
- Venipuncture

Certifications and Licenses

TNCC

April 2017 to April 2018

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)

April 2016 to April 2018

PALS

April 2016 to April 2018

BLS, ACLS