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Indeed, I am ready.

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As you seek to find a candidate to fill your vacancy, please allow me to introduce myself to you and your organization. I am an RN (1.5yrs) with 27 years of Lpn experience. I am an experienced, fully qualified nurse who is efficient, thorough and passionate about delivering the highest level of care to patients. An enthusiastic, hardworking and competent healthcare professional who possess extensive healthcare experience in a wide range of key nursing areas that require physical, mental and emotional strength to stand up to the rigors of the nursing profession. The key qualities I would identify as being my greatest attributes are the ability to continually assess patient's needs and delivering high quality, customer focused and clinically effective patient care in different healthcare environments including high pressure and even life-determining situations; being able to respond quickly and effectively to emergencies. As a driven individual always seeking to advance, I strive on challenges and welcome the opportunity for advancement. Currently, I am seeking a travel nurse assignment. For the past 9 months I have done contracts within Med Surg and Corrections. I have a ton of experiences from hospital to private duty to skilled intermittent visits. I won't say that I've seen it all, I'll just say that I'm always open to see more. Should you want to learn more about me, please don't hesitate to reach out. Thank you for taking the time to read my long (but informative) cover letter. Enjoy your day !

AREAS OF EXPERTISE - Med Surg

- Maintaining an awareness to prioritize workloads and allocation of patients appropriately.
- Nursing

Ensure staff members comply appropriately with all reporting as well with established policies and procedures.

- Ability to assess and identify changes in patient conditions and implement preventative actions to avoid undesired outcomes.
- Supervise team of nurses and nursing associates.
- Day to day operations as a nurse manager in a skilled facility as well as direct an assisted living community.

- Successfully able to maintain patient confidentiality.
- Personal

Provide emotional support and reassurance to patients and their relatives.

- Promote and uphold standards according to the highest codes of practice.
- Ability to compose reports and recommendations in an engaging and compelling way.

Work Experience

Travel Nurse

Maxim Healthcare Group - Chicago, IL
September 2021 to Present

Local contract RN at Joliet Treatment Center

Health and Wellness Director

Brookdale Senior Living - Oak Park, IL
October 2017 to Present

*responsible for the overall daily operations of the health assessment, health monitoring and personal care programs of the community. This includes the management of the personal care staff and the oversight of the provision of quality resident care in accordance with established policies and procedures.

* Develops service plans for all residents based upon the resident assessment(s). The service plan should be designed to meet the personal care needs of the resident and to monitor significant health conditions, while also promoting resident's independence and dignity.

Travel RN

Stability HealthCare - Los Angeles, CA
July 2021 to September 2021

Local RN contract in Corrections at Cook County Jail

Patient Assessment Coordinator. Remote

Kindred Hospital
December 2019 to March 2021

Duties:

*Conduct patient assessments to identify potential admissions and pre-certifications.

* communicate with clinical liaisons hospital case workers monitoring patient's condition as well as discussing discharging needs.

Travel RN

Stability HealthCare - San Pedro, CA
July 2019 to August 2019

Travel Nurse in Corrections. Worked primarily in Urgent Care responding to medical emergencies

Charge Nurse on M.I. Unit

Briar Place Nursing
October 1999 to June 2019

DUTIES: Effectively treat, monitor and supervise a population of mentally ill residents. Work cohesively with a team of mental illness/substance abuse counselors.

Briar Place Nursing
June 2011 to July 2013

Weekend Supervisor; PM Supervisor; Charge Nurse

Briar Place Nursing
April 2009 to April 2013

On-Site Dialysis Charge Nurse

PM Shift Supervisor

Briar Place Nursing

February 2010 to January 2011

Visiting Nurse

Darien Home Health Care - Darien, IL

April 1995 to May 2000

Communicating with families and residents, the need for services and planning a regular schedule for visits...Skilled intermittent visits throughout Chicagoland. Wound Care, Disease Mgmt w/ education, patient teaching, Discharge planning. IV Therapy. Communicating with physicians to obtain/DC orders, start of care, Facilitating durable medical equipment needs.

Education

Assoc Degree in Nursing

Northwestern College - Bridgeview, IL

September 2020

Triton College - River Grove, IL

August 2003 to April 2008

Skills

- Wound care, Ivs (10+ years)
- EMR Systems
- Medication Administration
- Nurse Management
- Laboratory Experience
- Vital Signs
- Problem-solving
- Flexibility
- Team Work
- Reliability
- Memory Care
- Experience Administering Injections
- Home Care
- Triage
- Supervising Experience
- Basic IV
- Hospice care
- Nursing

Certifications and Licenses

LPN

RN

LVN

BLS Certification

Assessments

Supervisory skills: Motivating & assessing employees — Highly Proficient

January 2021

Motivating others to achieve objectives and identifying improvements or corrective actions

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Clinical judgment — Expert

November 2020

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention.

Full results: [Expert](#)

Patient-focused care — Proficient

April 2020

Responding to patient situations with sensitivity.

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Work style: Reliability — Highly Proficient

November 2020

Tendency to be dependable and come to work

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

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