

## **Preston Nguyen**

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### **PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

- Competent in providing high quality intensive nursing care to a diverse patient population.
- Adapts easily to a new environment and willing to learn new skills.
- Comfortable in working independently and/or within a team.
- Bilingual: Oral and written communication skills in English and Vietnamese

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **LAC-USC Medical Center, 1200 N. State Street, Los Angeles, CA 90033**

##### **Surgical/Cardiothoracic/COVID Intensive Care Unit**

Registered Nurse I Mar 2020- present

- Perform or assist with key procedures such as inserting a central line, monitoring a patient's neurological status, facilitating ventilatory support, administering/titrating vasoactive intravenous drugs and weight-based medications.
- Observes, monitors and documents patient's condition in accordance with hospital policy.
- Notifies provider of changes in patient's status and provides appropriate interventions.
- Prioritizes patient care needs and orders based on their acuity and urgency and collaborates care with the interdisciplinary team.
- Fulfills the role of a registered nurse in different areas of the Emergency Department- RRT/Code Blue and supervises license vocational nurses, nursing attendants and clerks as necessary.
- Participates in quality improvement to ensure better patient outcomes and improve nursing practices.

#### **LAC-USC Medical Center, 1200 N. State Street, Los Angeles, CA 90033**

##### **Ortho/Uro Med-Surg Department**

Registered Nurse I Jan 2019 – Feb 2020

- Monitors patient's condition before, during and after the surgical procedure.
- Provides teaching about the procedure and completes appropriate documentation.
- Coordinates with the interdisciplinary team regarding patient's status and needs.
- Ensures all equipment and supplies are readily available for use.
- Educates the patient and parent regarding the diagnosis and discharge instructions.

### **EDUCATION**

West Coast University

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

North Hollywood, California

Degree completed: October 2018 (Cum Laude)

### **CERTIFICATIONS**

Registered Nurse license #95174910

Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers (BLS)

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support Program (ACLS)

Pediatrics Advanced Life Support (PALS)

Expires-08/31/2022

Expires- 12/2022

Expires- 12/2022

Expires- 12/2022

Management of Assaultive Behavior (MAB)

Expires- 09/2021

National Institutes of Health Stroke Scale (NIHSS) certified

Expires- 07/2022

Hospital Fire & Life Safety certified by Los Angeles Fire Department

Expires- 08/2022