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**Qualifications Profile**

Highly proficient, dedicated and versatile **Advanced Practice Registered Nurse** maintaining solid 19-years experience in Critical Care, Trauma and Flight nursing. With 14 years military service and a Combat Deployment, able to demonstrate and ensure the balance between patients and organizational needs to succeed in high acuity units.

# Professional Experience

**Inpatient Medicine Physicians (IMP)**

*AGACNP-BC 07/2019- present*

Nocturnist position at Christus Santa Rosa New Braunfels where I work in an autonomous position taking direct admits, ER admits and field nursing calls for orders, I run Codes or RRT for our group, Diagnose, treat and prescribe according to Texas scope of practice. Make ventilator, TPN, and critical cardiac drip infusion rate changes as needed. Coordinate with consultants and other members of the multidisciplinary team to care for team overnight, answer nurse phone calls for critical lab ands and emergency orders

**Air methods – AirLife San Antonio**

*Flight Nurse PRN 09/2020 – present*

Critical care transport nurse on rotor wing transport for Legacy flight program in San Antonio. Covers all bases, and familiar with several different aircraft for transport. Autonomous position with medica and pilot making crucial medical decisions in flight. Transports include scene flights for emergencies and interfacility transfers. Skills include intubations, chest tubes, arterial lines/central line maintenance, knowledge of ventilators, pumps, all pressors, drips, pain medications managed by flight crew. Skills are maintained with live patient and cadaver labs as well as continuing education quarterly for best outcomes.

**Inpatient Progressive Healthcare of America (IPHA)**

*AGACNP- BC 09/2018- 07/2019*

A very autonomous position as an Adult Geriatric Acute Care Nurse Practitioner in an inpatient hospitalist position credentialled at several facilities in the Methodist Healthcare system including Main, Metro, MSTH, and Stone Oak and the Christus system, as well as the surrounding SNF, ARU and LTAC environments, working with physicians to diagnose, treat and prescribe for acute and chronic illnesses. Admitting new patients and providing care to patients, on every floor including ER, telemetry, Ortho, CVICU, ICU, and CCU. Member of rapid response and stroke teams. Make changes to ventilators, participate in Codes, change critical care drip rates, discuss Code status for critically Ill patients on all floors.

**University Medical Center, El Paso TX/Del Sol Medical Center**

*RN Trauma Nurse ER/ICU critical care; Travel assignment 01/15/2018 – 05/04/2018*

Provide trauma care for busy Level 1 and 2 trauma center in El Paso, Texas in the Scherr Legate trauma center which provides state of the art care to the acutely ill or trauma patients. Work in collaboration at this teaching hospital associated with Texas Tech University Residents and attendings as well as local paramedics to promote or quality patient care, alternating days on ICU critical care floor with high acuity 1:1 neuro patients. Adjust vent settings, titrate intensive care and cardiac drips, administer TPN, monitor chest tubes, run CRRT simultaneously while on roto-prone beds. Monitor labs and electrolytes while recognizing crucial and critical labs and diagnostics to better care for the patients.

**Air-Evac Life Team, Carrizo Springs/Laredo/Beaumont, TX**

*Flight Nurse, MSN, RN, CCRN*, 02/2015 – 06/2017

 With 250 Critical care and Trauma patient flights as a medical rotor-wing flight member with Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and ICU nursing capabilities. Assisted in pre-mission liftoff checklist and pilot assistance, including radio, navigational and visual observation activities to ensure compliance with regulatory requirements. Kept current on issues related to pre-hospital care through national, state, legislative-elected or appointed officials. Maintained and complied with safety standards and CAMTS certifications to ensure safety of self, medical personnel, patient, and equipment prior to liftoff; Can care for any level of ICU or critical care patients while in flight. Ability to intubate critically ill patients, managed ventilator, started and titrated IV and cardiac drip medications, administered blood and TXA as needed. Ability to surgically Crich or place chest tubes and darts during flight.

**Christus Shoreline/Memorial Trauma ER/ICU, San Antonio, TX**

*RN ICU, Charge Nurse,*06/2016 – 06/2017

Ensured best practices were adopted utilization leadership, direction, support, and motivation to support staff within the ER and ICU at level 2 Trauma center in the South Texas Gulf region. Maximized time effectiveness by participating as charge/primary nurse or team leader/member in ER: directed and assisted in implementing safe aseptic techniques; administered patient care to all age groups; organized shift planning and floor management. While working ICU I maintained ventilators, titrated crucial intensive care and cardiac drips, administer TPN, monitor chest tubes, lines and drains, monitor labs and electrolytes while recognizing crucial and critical labs and diagnostics for critically ill patients in high acuity ICU.

**San Antonio Military Medical Center – Burn ICU, San Antonio, TX**

*ICU Registered Nurse*, 2002-2006 and 07/2012 – 09/2014

Working ICU at The premier Burn center in the Nation, taking care of Critically injured soldiers and Civilians involving up to 100% of total body surface area as well as their co-morbidities and injuries. Ranked in top 1% for elite military position for Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation (ECMO) program at a 425 bed at the Army’s only Level 1 Trauma Center. Implemented emergency measures after identifying life-threatening conditions including sepsis, ARDS or MODS; ventilator management, simultaneous CRRT while administering wound care as part of a team in >90 degree temperatures maintaining aseptic techniques. These high acuity patients were assigned 1-2 nurses due to the critical care needed to monitor and sustain life. Monitored patients after excision and grafting, and recovered patients in our PACU, as well as procedural assist with central lines and intubation/extubation and physical therapy. Ran state of the art equipment such as Roto-prone beds, CRRT, EV1000/Vigileo monitors and assisted in OR when necessary.

**U.S. Army Nurse** – multiple assignments: NCOIC Overseeing 60 medics and nurses on telemetry ward, budgeting, supplies and maintenance of $3 million in hospital equipment.

*Brooke Army Medical Center (SAMMC), Burn ICU, San Antonio, TX | Grafenwoehr Troop Medical Clinic, Germany*

*Fort Leonard Wood Troop Medical Clinic, 31st CSH Field Hospital, Ft. Bliss Texas | Mosul, Iraq – Combat Deployment*

# Education/Licensure

**Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (AGACNP)** **2017** University of Texas, El Paso, TX |TX, FL, HI

**Masters in Nursing,** 2015 and **Bachelors in Nursing** 2012, University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX

**Registered Nurse, AAS,** 2011, Lincoln University, Fort Leonard Wood, MO

**Bachelor Degree,** Sports Medicine, 2007, American Military University, Charles Town, WV

***National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT)*** *–B, TX, OK, AR | RN – TX, NM, OK*

# Certifications, Core Qualifications, Memberships

*CCRN | TCAR | PALS | TPATC | TNCC | ACLS | CPR/BLS | ECMO/ECLS/CRRT*

Emergency Nurses Association (ENA)

Society of Trauma Nurses (STN)

American Association Critical Care Nurses (AACN)