# Elizabeth A. Ashley-Newman, RN, BSN

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## Professional Summary

Registered Nurse O.R. Circulator seeks professional and personal growth through a rewarding travel assignment. I bring more than 15 years’ experience delivering complex, team oriented and patient-centered care in the operating room of a busy level II trauma center on the I-95 corridor near Washington, DC, as a maternal/newborn nurse, and as a scrub and circulating nurse for a large urology surgical group. My career focus has been on coordination and delivery of cost-effective patient care, patient safety and advocating for both my patients and coworkers.

## Relevant Skills and Proficiencies

* Effective collaborator, care coordinator and critical thinking problem solver on a multidisciplinary healthcare team in a fast-paced main operating room, with a heavy concentration in orthopedics, orthro-neuro spine, general surgery, gynecology/urology, and vascular surgeries. Familiar with total joint protocols, AORN guidelines, Brainlab setup, and Davinci robotic surgical systems.
* Skilled in in-patient assessment and in the development and the evaluation of individualized plans of care for perioperative patients, including trauma patients, those with complex medical problems, and individuals with high acuity health issues.
* Efficient, professional and compassionate, culturally competent caregiver for perioperative patients and their families.
* Responsible steward of healthcare resources, with particular emphasis on cost containment, while delivering excellent quality care.
* Respected team player with demonstrated leadership and charge nurse skills.
* Experienced and enthusiastic patient educator, preceptor and mentor for co-workers, new hires, interns and students.
* Proficient in MS Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint) and computerized documentation and imaging software (EPIC, GE Centricity, PACS), and most office and operating room equipment. Experienced troubleshooter with O.R. equipment, excellent mechanical skills.
* Meticulous documentation and implant/tissue tracking skills in accordance with FDA regulations; experienced in handling and preparing specimens in adherence with facilities’ pathology guidelines and research protocols.
* Professional interpersonal and communication skills, both verbally and written. Experienced in working with physicians, administrators, vendors and ancillary medical staff in coordinating and negotiating care for patients.

## Employment History

* Virginia Urology, Registered Nurse, Operating Room

Richmond, VA

July 2020 – February 2021 (full time)

* Care Partners Staffing, Registered Nurse, Operating Room

Richmond, VA

January 2020 – February 2021 (prn position)

* Mary Washington Healthcare, Registered Nurse Circulator, Operating Room

Fredericksburg, VA

October 2008 – December 2019

* Mary Washington Healthcare, Staff Nurse, The Care Center (Mother/Baby and Newborn Nursery), Fredericksburg, VA

June 2004 – October 2008

* Mary Washington Hospital, Nurse Extern, The Heart Center

Fredericksburg, VA

May 2003 – June 2004

* University of Mary Washington, Administrative Assistant, Alumni Relations

Fredericksburg, VA

May 2000 – May 2002

* Today’s Temporary, Administrative Assistant

London, Ontario Canada

January 1998 – February 1999

* St. John Ambulance, EMT Program Assistant

Fredericton, New Brunswick Canada

February 1995 – August 1997

## Education

* University of Mary Washington, Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Fredericksburg, VA

December 2019

* Germanna Community College, Associate Degree in Nursing

Locust Grove, VA

May 2004

* University of New Brunswick, Bachelor of Arts

 Fredericton, New Brunswick Canada

 May 1992

## Licenses and Certifications

* State of Virginia, Licensed Registered Nurse (multi-state license)

Renewal due February 2023

* BLS, American Heart Association

Renewal due December 2021

* ACLS, American Heart Association

Renewal due July 2022