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Summary

I am a Licensed Practical Nurse with 11 years of experience in multiple areas within my scope of practice.

I am a compassionate and dedicated person. A critical-thinker with the ability to administer appropriate care in a timely manner with a calm demeanor, carrying out physician orders with effectiveness and determination. A team player dedicated to workplace satisfaction and patient healing through caring and mentoring. Licensed in the state of Illinois.

Experience

LPN

Helia Healthcare of Hillsboro-formerly known as MNRC • Hillsboro, IL

10/2011 - Present

- Medication Administration
- Coordinate all communications between patients and doctor offices
- Document patient behaviors and report abnormalities to supervisor
- Listen to patient needs and adjust treatment plan accordingly
- Assist with personal hygiene maintenance, including bathing and showering
- Administer basic medications in accordance with doctor's treatment plan
- Provide emotional support
- Explain all procedures, exams, and treatment options to patients
- Instruct family members on at-home care and procedures
- Create treatment plans
- Administer basic medical exams and injections
- Provide care of a variety of patients in a high-traffic environment
- Take vital signs, including blood pressure and weight
- Ensure clear and open communication with patients
- Assist physicians in patient treatment
- Report symptoms and changes in patient conditions
- Train new personnel in all areas of patient care and office procedures

Home Health LPN-PRN

Elara Caring Home Health • Springfield, IL

02/2021 - Present

- Coordinate all communications between patients and doctor offices
- Document patient behaviors and report abnormalities to supervisor
- Administer basic medications in accordance with doctor's treatment plan
- Listen to patient needs and adjust treatment plan accordingly
- Assist with personal hygiene maintenance, including bathing and showering
- Education to prevent rehospitalization
- Wound Care
- Foley Catheter Care
- Phlebotomy

Medication Coordinator-PRN

Hillsboro Area Hospital-Tremont Ridge • Hillsboro, IL

02/2016 - 02/2020

- Medication Administration
- Wound care
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LPN

Litchfield Family Practice Center • Litchfield, IL

11/2019 - 02/2020

- Listen to patient needs and adjust treatment plan accordingly
 - Administer basic medications in accordance with doctor's treatment plan
 - Monitoring vital signs
 - Scheduling
 - Customer Service
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Skills

- Phlebotomy and IV Administration Certified
 - Team Oriented Mindset
 - Excellent Customer Service
 - Experienced with geriatric population
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Education

Licensed Practical Nurse

Capital Area School of Practical Nursing • Springfield, IL

12/2010

Languages

- English