Kathy Pugh

Licensed Practical Nurse

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Looking for an LPN position to broaden my experience

Work Experience

Licensed Practical Nurse

CONCORDIA VILLAGE - Springfield, IL October 2020 to Present

Concordia is one big facility that has independent living, assisted living, memory care, long term care and short term care. I am currently PRN there and have worked in all sections of this facility except for independent living.

Assisted living duties: Monitoring Covid-19 vitals, signs and symptoms and reporting, setting up medication for residents for the week, assisting the CNA with care if needed. Dispensing medications that is not a supervision medication for resident, communication with DON, Charge nurse, doctor, and family if incident occurs, checking medication changes and ordering medications if needed. Charting and monitoring any changes, if resident is on antibiotics, and falls.

Memory Care:

Dispensing medications, assessments, communicating with doctors, writing orders, carrying out patient care plans, monitoring blood glucose levels, monitoring lab results, treatments to wounds, and using critical thinking.

Short term and long term care:

Dispensing medications, assessments, communicating with doctors, writing orders, carrying out patient care plans, monitoring blood glucose levels, monitoring lab results, assessment of continuous and bolus tube feedings, treatments to wounds, and using critical thinking.

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Springfield Clinic - Springfield, IL January 2017 to Present

I am currently working at Springfield Clinic, in the orthopedic department.

Duties include: communication between patient and doctor, sending in prescription medications to pharmacy, dealing with insurance to obtain approvals for medications, injections or MRIs or anything needing prior authorization. Preparing the room, obtaining vitals and weight along with starting notes for the doctor visit, setting up injections and prepping area for injection.

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Auburn Nursing and Rehabilitation Center - Auburn, IL October 2014 to July 2017

304 West Maple Avenue Auburn, IL 62615 217-438-6125

Supervisor: Bobbie Dec lark D.O.N. Job Title: Licensed Practical Nurse

Duties Include:

Dispensing medications, assessments, communicating with doctors, writing orders, carrying out patient care plans, monitoring blood glucose levels, monitoring lab results, assessment of continuous and bolus tube feedings, treatments to wounds, and using critical thinking.

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Taylorville Memorial Hospital - Taylorville, IL August 2009 to October 2014

201 East Pleasant Drive Taylorville, IL 62568 217-824-3331

Supervisor: Cassie Watson

Job Title: Licensed Practical Nurse

Duties Include:

Dispensing medications, helping RN with assessments, working with doctors to carry out patient care, writing orders, carry out patient care plans, monitoring blood glucose levels, assessment of bolus and continuous tube feeding, monitoring lab results and using critical thinking in a hospital environment.

Education

Associates in Arts in psychology

Lincoln Land Community College - Springfield, IL December 2013

License in Practical Nursing

Capital Area School of Practical Nursing - Springfield, IL June 2009

Skills

- LPN (10+ years)
- Staff Nurse (10+ years)
- Medication Administration (10+ years)
- EMR Systems (10+ years)
- Vital Signs (10+ years)
- Tube Feeding (10+ years)
- Memory Care
- Experience Administering Injections

LPN

Assessments

Nursing Skills: Clinical Judgment — Expert

February 2019

Measures a candidate's ability to assess a patient's condition and implement the appropriate medical intervention.

Full results: Expert

Patient-Focused Care — Expert

July 2020

Addressing concerns and using sensitivity when responding to needs and feelings of patients

Full results: Expert

Electronic Health Records: Best Practices — Highly Proficient

July 2020

Knowledge of EHR data, associated privacy regulations, and best practices for EHR use

Full results: Highly Proficient

First Aid — Highly Proficient

July 2020

Treating common medical emergencies

Full results: Highly Proficient

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