

Heather White

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To further expand my experience and knowledge as a Registered Nurse. 14+ years of experience providing quality care to a wide variety of patients.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

ER RN

Memorial Hospital at Gulfport - Gulfport, MS

January 2022 to Present

Travel contract at Level 2 Trauma Center, nationally certified Primary Stroke Center

Registered Nurse - House Supervisor

Pearl River County Hospital - Poplarville, MS

April 2018 to Present

- Assist in ER when busy, respond to emergency situations (RRT, Code Blue) in Hospital, ER, and Nursing Home, assess ER culture reports as they result to determine if patient was discharged with appropriate antibiotic; Call in appropriate medication as necessary and contact patient to provide instructions and med education
- Supervise staff in their duties of patient care, serve as a resource to staff for solving clinical or operational problems, communicate with on-call provider regarding patient concerns or obtaining needed orders
- Develop and implement staffing plan for each shift based on patient acuity, patient census, and available staff, follow up on any employee incidents/concerns and report to appropriate manager
- Obtain needed medications from Pharmacy when pharmacist is not in-house, obtain materials/supplies from Central Supply for ER, Hospital, and NH when purchasing dept is not in-house

Registered Nurse - Agency

Gifted Healthcare - Covington, LA

August 2015 to Present

- Per diem and contract nursing assignments. Provide various hospitals with nursing coverage when they are short staffed. Able to confidently step into brand new settings with no orientation or training at facility.
- Complete thorough head-to-toe assessments, medication management and administration, start and provide IV therapy, phlebotomy, blood administration, wound care, TPN therapy, vent (ETT/trach) care, monitor telemetry, documentation of nursing care, monitor and track vital signs.

Registered Nurse - Adult Psych

South Mississippi State Hospital - Purvis, MS

September 2017 to September 2019

- To provide the highest quality acute psychiatric care for adults who live in southern Mississippi.

- Work with mentally ill and emotionally disturbed patients, provide crisis intervention along with managing aggressive behavior, perform frequent patient evaluations, including monitoring and tracking vital signs, performing procedures such as phlebotomy, and administering medications.

Registered Nurse - Emergency Department

Highland Community Hospital - Picayune, MS

July 2016 to October 2017

- Responsible for assessment of the patient and, in conjunction with the physician, provide medical and nursing care for each and every patient
- Demonstrates the knowledge and skills necessary to provide care appropriate to the age of the patients served
- Knows and supports the philosophy and objectives of the Emergency Department
- Utilizes the nursing process in assessment planning, intervention, evaluation, and teaching in providing patient care

Registered Nurse - LTAC/ Rehab

AMG Specialty Hospital - Covington, LA

January 2013 to July 2016

- Medication management and administration, start and provide IV therapy, phlebotomy, blood administration, wound care, TPN therapy, vent (ETT/trach) care, monitor telemetry, monitor and track vital signs.
- Charge nurse in charge of other RNs, LPNs, and CNAs. Provided care for highest acuity patients during shift. Collaborated with RT in management of patients on ventilators via ETT or trach. Initiated, titrated, and monitored drips such as insulin, heparin, Cardizem, amiodarone, and dobutamine.
- Acted as wound care nurse when needed. Efficient and knowledgeable with wide variety of wound care treatments. Assisted in debridements and taught wound vac application and management to peers.
- Assisted in opening and setting up brand new AMG Rehab facility in Covington, LA after AMG LTAC closed in bankruptcy in January 2016.

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South Mississippi State Hospital - Purvis, MS

May 2009 to January 2013

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Registered Nurse - Floor Nurse

Pearl River County Hospital - Poplarville, MS

July 2008 to May 2009

Wound care

- Medication management and administration, patient assessments, phlebotomy, wound care, monitor and track vital signs, patient documentation.

Education

Associate's Degree in Applied Science in Registered Nursing

Pearl River Community College - Poplarville, MS

2002 to 2008

Diploma

Poplarville High School - Poplarville, MS

1998 to 2002

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: December 2022

State: MS

Skills

- Hard working, reliable, thorough
- Nursing
- Critical Care Experience
- Behavior Management
- Acute care

Certifications and Licenses

TNCC

PALS

ACLS

BLS for Healthcare Providers

NIHSS