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EDUCATION

MSN
University of Illinois at
Chicago
2000

BSN
Rush University
1993

LICENSURE & CERTIFICATIONS

RN
REGISTERED NURSE
Illinois

APN
Advanced Practice Nurse
Illinois

ECRN
Expiration Date 11/30/2023

CCRN
Expiration date 7/31/2021

ACLS
Expiration date 08/2022

BLS
Expiration date 08/2022

TNCC
Expiration 2023

ENPC
Expiration 2023

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Looking to utilize my past 18+ years of critical care experience and achieve my next professional goal to travel across the country with my family

EXPERIENCE

Emergency Room Registered Nurse
Rush Copley Medical Center, Aurora, Illinois since 2000

- Bedside care of all ages and acuities of patients in a Magnet Nursing Facility
- Level II Trauma Center
- Ethics Committee member/ Partnership Committee member
- Preceptor new nursing graduates, EMT and paramedic students
- EPIC charting /Pyxis Medication Dispersal

Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
Cardiac Surgery Associates, Downers Grove Illinois 2000-2003

- Work collaboratively with cardiothoracic surgeon in hospital and clinic setting
- Complete history and physicals, management of wounds, arterial line insertions and removal of invasive lines, chest tubes, epicardial wires and femoral sheaths
- Pre-op and post-op management in critical care, step down and out-patient clinical setting
- Development of critical pathways for cardiothoracic patients

CVICU/ICU/CCU Registered Nurse
Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village Illinois, 1995-2000

- Bedside critical care nurse of adult ventilated and unventilated patients
- Member of Shared Governance/ Preceptor new nursing graduates

CCU/ ICU Registered Nurse
MacNeal Medical Center, Berwyn, Illinois 1994-1995

Neuro ICU Registered Nurse
OSF Saint Francis, Peoria Illinois 1993-1994

- Bedside critical care of neuro trauma and neuro ICU patients
- Level 1 trauma center

SELECT PUBLICATIONS

Leslie Colwell
Glycemic Control and Heart Disease
W.B. Saunders Company, 2001