Brad Ruesch

Goal Oriented Critical Care Professional

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I am seeking the opportunity to acquire a position in critical care which will allow me to utilize my RN Licensure and extensive background in healthcare and emergency medical services as a critical care paramedic, from both the air and ground transport environments. I am a goal oriented individual with a positive attitude seeking the opportunitity to assist a quality organization in achieving the highest quality patient care. I have strong interpersonal communication skills and I am a very team work oriented individual with the ability to perform under pressure in a wide range of conditions and situations.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Critical Care Paramedic

Superior Air-Ground Ambulance Service, Inc. - Green Bay, WI May 2021 to Present

Provide direct patient care autonomously in the critical care transport environment. Responsibilities include but are not limited to patient assessment, IV therapy, medication administration, advanced airway management, cardiac telemetry, external pacing, defibrillation, cardioversion, invasive pressure monitoring, etc. Making a priority of providing a customer-based approach to those we serve.

Critical Care Paramedic

Aspirus MedEvac - Wausau, WI July 2019 to July 2021

Provide direct patient care autonomously in the critical care transport environment. Respond to requests for advance life support intercepts without outlying local EMS agencies. Responsibilities include but are not limited to patient assessment, IV therapy, medication administration, advanced airway management including RSI, cardiac telemetry, external pacing, defibrillation, cardioversion, invasive pressure monitoring, etc.

Graduate Nurse - ICU

Ascension St. Elizabeth Hosptial - Appleton, WI March 2021 to May 2021

Providing direct beside care to critically ill medical and trauma patients requiring pressor therapy, mechanical ventilation, sedation, paralyzation, continuous renal replacement therapy, intra-aortic balloon pump therapy, impella device assistance, as well as several other critical interventions. Collaborate with attending physicians to provide a comprehensive plan of care.

Emergency Services Technician II - Paramedic

Ascension St. Elizabeth's Hospital - Appleton, WI June 2018 to March 2021

Provide direct patient care in a collaborative care team environment including but not limited to IV therapy, lab draws, medication administration, EKGs, splinting, and wound care.

Critical Care Paramedic

Gold Cross Ambulance - Menasha, WI May 2017 to July 2019

911 response and critical care interfacility transport of the sick and injured to a higher level of care. Includes RSI privileges, invasive pressure line monitoring, pressor therapy, and administration of blood products, as well as advanced ventilator management.

Flight Paramedic

Valley Med Flight, Inc - Iron Mountain, MI 2013 to 2018

Responsibilities

Provide critical care air transport of the sick and injured in an autonomous environment to higher level of care. Duties performed included but not limited to RSI privileges, invasive pressure line monitoring, pressor therapy, and administration of blood products, as well as advanced ventilator management.

Skills Used Ability to work under extreme pressure in a high stress environment.

Paramedic Gold Cross Ambulance 2011 to 2014

Responsibilities 911 response and interfacility transport of the sick and injured to a higher level of care.

Paramedic II

Ministry Health Care 2010 to 2011

Responsibilities

Provide direct patient care in the Emergency department setting as well as 911 response and interfacility transport of the sick and injured to a higher level of care.

EMT-Paramedic

Beacon Ambulance Service - Kingsford, MI 2004 to 2010

Responsibilities

911 response and interfacility transport of the sick and injured to a higher level of care.

Education

ADN in Nursing Excelsior College - Albany, NY 2017 to April 2021

Technical Diploma in Critical Care Transport

Northeast Wisconsin Technical College - Green Bay, WI 2012 to 2012

Technical Diploma in Paramedicine

UP Health System School of Emergency Medical Technology - Marquette, MI 2005 to 2007

Technical Certficiate in EMT-Basic

Iron Mountian-Kingsford Community Schools - Iron Mountain, MI 2004 to 2004

High School in General Diploma

Kingsford High School - Kingsford, MI 1995 to 1999

Skills

- Pediatric Advanced Life Support-Instructor (4 years)
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support-Instructor (4 years)
- Healthcare Provider CPR Certified
- International Trauma Life Support (3 years)
- State of MI Firefighter I & II Certified (8 years)
- Critical Care Experience
- Medication Administration
- EMT Experience
- Vital Signs
- Experience Administering Injections
- Hospital Experience
- Triage
- Nursing
- ICU Experience
- Airway management
- Ventilator
- Basic IV
- EMR systems

Awards

Affinity Health Assisting Clinical Excellence Award

2014

Awarded for excellence in providing exceptional clinical care and helping provide a high level of customer service to patients.

Certifications and Licenses

ACLS

PALS

Wisconsin Critical Care Paramedic Present

Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP) September 2018 to Present

BLS for Healthcare Providers

National Registry Paramedic March 2022

EMT Certification

EMT Certification

RN