

Vivian Livingston

Currently director of nursing at a local long term care facility.

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Registered Nurse with 10+ years

of experience in a clinical setting providing nursing care to diverse populations. Specialized in cardiac care for 8+ years. Provided critical evaluation of heart failure patients, and MI patients. Responsible Charge Nurse with great communications skills. Currently Nurse Manger at a large diverse long-term care facility.

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Work Experience

RN. S RN/NURSE SUPERVISOR

HCR MANOR CARE

May 2019 to Present

- As a registered nurse: Critical thinking, problem solving, planning, organizing and coordinating to move resident to the next level of care. assisting the healthcare team, patients and families to improve patients care, goals and outcomes.
- Bedside reporting
- Bedside assessment and patient care
- Provided a range of brief, focused prevention, treatment and recovery services
- Uses the nursing process to deliver high quality care appropriate to the age and educational level of the patient.
- Properly Administration of Medication, with understanding of medication purpose, monitoring of side effect with teaching to patient and family.
- Intravenous therapy, Enteral therapy, Insulin, coumadin, and Infection control, Security, narcotic administration and control, Documentation and Orders Management.

RN NURSE MANAGER

HOPE CREEK CARE CENTER

May 2017 to February 2019

Lead the nursing staff in delivering exceptional care to residents and support to their family members. Implement quality improvement programs to help develop the highest level of care to residents. Maintain resident records according to State and federal guidelines. Provide excellent interpersonal, communication and assessment skills. Effective verbal and written communication ethics, with ability to work within a multidisciplinary team. And provide the highest level of care to resident, by treating them with respect, integrity, while providing compassionate quality care.

SELECT SPECIALTY HOSPITAL

November 2016 to May 2017

- Diagnosed and treated patients with chronic and acute health problems such as MI, arrhythmias, asthma, COPD and pneumonia.
- Tracheotomy care
- Wound Care
- Lab draw
- NG tube insertion
- Tube Feeding

Registered Nurse

CHARGE NURSE

January 2008 to August 2016

- 01/2008 -08/2016
- Chronic patient care in med-surg unit, adeptly handling all aspects of Intravenous treatment from medication to wound care to monitoring for 30 patients per shift per unit.
- Instructed patients and family members on proper discharge care.
- Closely monitored acute conditions.
- Ensured HIPAA compliance.
- Developed and implemented nursing care plans.
- Documented patient information obtained from interviews.
- Delegated staff nurse duties.
- Followed infection control procedures.
- Assisted patients with daily functions.
- Monitored fluid intake and output levels.
- Completed all mandatory requirements on time.
- Experience with various medical conditions including Parkinson's, Dementia, Diabetes, Cancer, Alzheimer's and Paget's diseases.

Education

BSN

KAPLAN UNIVERSITY

December 2016

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE

BLACK HAWK COLLEGE - Moline, IL

2007

Skills

- Catheter
- Pain management
- Wound care
- Alzheimer's Care
- Dementia Care
- Medication Administration
- Nursing

- Tube Feeding
- Nurse Management
- Critical Care Experience
- Laboratory Experience
- Supervising Experience
- Patient Care
- ICU Experience
- EMR Systems
- Cerner
- Hospice Care
- HIPAA
- Infection Control Training
- Vital Signs
- Epic
- Phlebotomy
- Management
- Managed Care
- Sanitation

Certifications and Licenses

BLS, ACLS

RN

Additional Information

SKILLS

- Strong clinical judgment
- Acute care awareness
- Palliative care awareness
- Preceptor
- Successfully directs staff meetings
- Hospice and palliative care experience
- Patient/family focused
- Patient evaluation/intervention
- Professional bedside manner
- Adept at prioritizing and managing deadlines
- Thorough physical assessments
- Foley catheter insertion/removal familiarity
- Insulin medication assistance
- Patient and family advocacy
- Chest pain management expert

- Spirometer reading accuracy
- Feeding assistance
- Pain Management assessment.
- Wound care knowledge & assessment
- Psycho-tropic Medication Purpose, side effects/Risks and the Beneficial Effects Expected.

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