

# Saira Escalante

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- Summary** To further develop my skills as a registered nurse by providing excellent and compassionate patient care through shared values of integrity, compassion, accountability, respect and excellence.
- Education** Chamberlain College of Nursing, Addison, IL **May 2017- January 2020**
- Licensure/ Certification** **Registered Nurse #041.491503** **Renewal: May 2022**  
**ACLS Certification by American Heart Association** **Renewal: August 2022**  
**BLS Certification by American Heart Association** **Renewal: March 2023**  
**NIHSS Stroke Scale Certification** **Renewal: January 2023**
- Professional Experience** **Neuroscience Critical Care- Registered Nurse** **April 2020- Present**  
*Central DuPage Hospital, Northwestern Medicine*
- Delegates and coordinates nursing care to critical ill neuro patients
  - Assess, plan and notify physician of clinical changes as well as prepare and implement patient care plans
  - Monitor vital signs, adequacy of ventilation, and level of consciousness and pain
  - Administer and manage pharmacological drips, including sedative/ vasoactive drips
  - Collaborate with and educate patient/family as appropriate in critical care setting
- Patient Care Technician** **January 2016- March 2020**  
*Central DuPage Hospital, Northwestern Medicine*
- Provide assistance to RN
  - Perform blood glucose monitoring, ECG
  - Assist patients with toileting, hygiene, feeding and mobility
- Resident Assistant** **September 2018- March 2020**  
*Monarch Landing, Naperville IL*
- Provide assistance with activities of daily living, serving meals, feeding residents, assisting with baths, urinals, bedpans, ambulation, and turning
  - Documented patient's vital changes, weight, record intake and output, answer patients call lights
- Relevant Skills & Achievements**
- Multi-lingual: fluent in English; proficient in Spanish
  - Computer: trained in Epic and experienced in Microsoft Office
  - Communication: outgoing/ articulate with a proven ability to work well with others.