

# Linda Yatak

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Seeking an opportunity that will allow me to expand upon my skills and utilize my experience as a registered nurse providing care to patients in various environments.

## Work Experience

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### **Registered Nurse**

Lexington Plastic Surgeons - Atlanta, GA

January 2019 to Present

Circulator (pre-op, intra-op, pacu)

Delivering patient care services before, during and after surgery

Excellent bedside manners, participates in process improvement activity standards

Preparing patients for procedures, performs circulating duties according to department policy

Assisting Surgeon with prepping and positioning

Excellent interpersonal skills, team player and infection control knowledge

Evaluating pre-procedure patient condition, vitals, assessments, etc.,

Serve as a patient advocate, works autonomously

### **PRN**

Circulator - Stockbridge, GA

June 2017 to Present

30281

678-604-1000

Registered Nurse; Circulator; Scrub Nurse; Clinical Unit Base Educator

- \* Checks patient chart, identifies patient, verifies surgery performed with consent forms, and transports patient to assigned operating room with anesthesia
- \* Assesses comfort and safety measures and provides verbal and tactile reassurance to the patient
- \* Positions patient and preps patient per Surgeon/Protocol
- \* Keeps accurate records throughout procedure
- \* Anticipates additional supplies needed during procedure using critical thinking
- \* Performs appropriate counts with scrub prior to the operation and before incision is closed
- \* Applies electrosurgical grounding pads, tourniquets, monitors as well as may performs urinary catheterization when necessary
- \* Hold inservice to educate staff on new and coming policies, equipment, any issues, shortages, etc.
- \* Train, mentor and precept any new employees/and or nursing residents
- \* Work hand and hand with clinical manager to make sure staff were checked off on utilizing and operating OR equipment properly

## Experience

### **Registered Nurse; Circulator**

Orthopedic South Surgical Center - Morrow, GA  
January 2016 to Present

Scrub Nurse; Pain Nurse

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- \* Experience with conscious sedation for pain patients receiving epidurals injections (lumbar, cervical, hip, MBB, RFA)
- \* Familiar with running C-ARM during procedures

## Experience

### **Certified Surgical Technician**

Orthopedic South Surgical Center - Morrow, GA  
July 2012 to July 2015

- \* Maintains highest standard of sterile technique before and during surgery
- \* Prepare patient rooms and surgical equipment utilizing aseptic technique
- \* Scrubs, gowns and gloves self as well as Surgeons and Assistants
- \* Checks supplies and equipment needed for surgery
- \* Anticipates instruments needed during surgery
- \* Helps in draping sterile field as well as room turnovers
- \* Performs counts with circulator

## Experience

### **Certified Senior Pharmacy Technician**

Walgreens Pharmacy - Metairie, LA  
February 2009 to March 2015

- \* Accurately and efficiently prepare prescription orders
- \* Verifying prescription information and dosage
- \* Entering patient and order information into the pharmacy system
- \* Process and submitting insurance claims
- \* Providing quality customer service to patients and other healthcare professionals
- \* Training of new technicians
- \* Initiating prior authorizations for patients

## Professional Education

## Education

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### **Professional Education**

Brokers Real Estate Academy - Tucker, GA  
September 2019 to October 2019

### **Bachelor of Science in Registered Nursing**

Herzing University - Atlanta, GA  
January 2011 to June 2012

### **Associate of Science in Surgical Technology**

Herzing University - New Orleans, LA  
June 2009 to November 2009

## Nursing Licenses

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### **RN**

## Skills

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- EMR Systems
- Hospital Experience
- Pharmacy Technician Experience
- Aseptic Technique
- Nursing
- Epic
- Medication Administration
- Order Entry
- Experience Administering Injections
- Infection Control Training
- Anatomy Knowledge
- Employee Orientation
- Medical Imaging
- Laboratory Experience

## Languages

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- Arabic - Fluent

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **BLS Certification**

**ACLS Certification**

**BLS Certification**