

TERESA C. MAZUR, RN

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REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSE

Committed, responsible, and accomplished Registered Professional Nurse with outstanding over 20-year history of experience working in the Health Care industry, and 17-year track record of applied nursing expertise. Highly proficient in Emergency Medicine and Vascular Access. Instrumental in providing exceptional levels of patient-focused care with both enthusiasm and compassion in heavy-traffic, fast-paced, and emotionally-charged inner-city ER environments. Proactive, dedicated, and hard-working; adeptly manage multiple assigned responsibilities and patients while maintaining outstanding levels of patient care. Excellent communication skills compliment ability to effectively partner with fellow members of staff and build rapport with patients and their families.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

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- Patient Relationship Development
 - Cross-Divisional Collaborations
 - Medical Charting & Records
 - Critical Thinking & Problem Solving
 - Quick Assessment & Response Skills
 - Time Management & Multitasking
 - Patient Instruction
 - Treatment Plan Execution
 - Case Load Management
 - Patient-Focused Care
 - GI Lab & Endoscopy
 - Patient Advocacy & Support
 - Manual Dexterity
 - Oral & Written Communication
 - Patience & Endurance

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS, LEADERSHIP & EXPERIENCE

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- Over a decade of first-hand experience providing comprehensive nursing care in a challenging and demanding Emergency Room setting with a high volume of ambulance runs.
 - Broad-based background providing and ensuring high standards of excellent care for patients with acute & chronic illnesses and co-morbidity issues.
 - Directly responsible for conducting PTS evaluation, insertion of PICC lines, as well as maintenance of all central lines, and obtaining peripheral IV access in patients.
 - Highly skilled in administering exceptional levels of care for up to five patients at any given time in the ER.
 - Serve as an integral member of the PICC line/Vascular Access Team.
 - Cross trained in GI Lab and Endoscopy.
 - Personable, professional, and articulate; clearly and compassionately interact with patients and families regarding care-related subject matter.
 - Undertake a liaison role between physicians and patients to support communication between all parties.
 - Seamlessly conduct general care practices and meticulously comply with physicians' instructions to deliver outstanding levels of treatment and services.
 - Conduct expert nursing assessments and systematically monitor patient status; keep physicians informed concerning deviations in patient condition.
 - Adeptly work both independently, with little and/or no supervision, and in collaboration with fellow team members.

PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

Center For Reconstructive Surgery Staff Nurse Pre/Post OP	11/20-Present
OSF Little Company of Mary Hospital Staff Nurse Emergency Department	06/20-11/20
Holy Cross Hospital, Chicago, IL Staff Nurse Emergency Department	2003-2020
Vascular Access/PICC Line Department, Endoscopy/GI Lab	2012-2016
Swedish Covenant Hospital, Chicago, IL Staff Nurse-PRN Emergency Department	2009-2020

EDUCATION / PROFESSIONAL LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

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- **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**, Chamberlain School of Nursing
 - **Associate Degree in Nursing (with honors)**, Richard J. Daley College, Chicago, IL, 2003
 - **Registered Professional Nurse**, State of Illinois License# 041-336405, State of Florida License# RN9558659

- **ECRN License**
- **Licensure, EMT-B**, Malcolm X College, Chicago, IL
- **CPR Healthcare Provider** ▪ **ACLS Provider** ▪ **PALS Provider** ▪ **TNCC Provider**
- **PICC Line Certified** ▪ **Triage First Certified** ▪ **NIH Stroke Certified**