**RONALD W. FRANKLIN**

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**OBJECTIVE:**

Driven multilingual professional, seeking employment as a registered nurse in the Surgical ICU, in a competitive, learning and trauma healthcare unit, where experience will be utilized and enhanced.  Ongoing acquired knowledge will also assist in determining the psychosocial, biophysical, self-care and learning requirements of patients, in order to create, implement and evaluate plan of care. Excellent bedside manners, with proven ability to quickly establish a rapport with patients, families, and medical staff.

**EDUCATION:**

Grand Canyon University                                                 Phoenix, AZ

**Masters of Science in Nursing Education**December, 2020

Breckinridge School of Nursing and Health Sciences    Orland Park, IL

**Associate of Science in Nursing**                                       December 2015

DePaul University       Chicago, IL                                March 1987

**Bachelors of Science Degree in Education**

**Bachelors of Arts Degree in Spanish Education**

**Elementary Education Type 03 Illinois Certificate**

**CERTIFICATE:**

Breckinridge School of Nursing and Health Sciences

**National Honor Society**December 2015

**BLS Provider/**American Heart Association                 Current until April 2023

**ACLS Provider/**American Heart Association              Current until January 2022

National Board of Nursing

**Licensed Illinois Registered Nurse**Current until March 2023

**Licensed Indiana Registered Nurse**Current until April 2022

**CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:**

Mother Theresa Nursing Home           Lemont, IL            Gerontology 60 hours

Kindred Nursing Hospital                  Chicago, IL            Medical/Surgical 225 hours

Metro South Medical Center             Blue Island, IL        ICU/ER/Telemetry 60 hours

Renaissance Skilled Facility              Chicago, IL             Skilled Care 60 hours

**WORK EXPERIENCE:**

April 2020 – Present Registered ICU Nurse Franciscan Olympia Fields, IL

* Taking care of critical ill patients, administering medication and titrating drips, ICU

July 2018 – October 2019 Registered Nurse Metro South Blue Island, IL

* Assess patients and administering medication, Med-Surg

January 2009 – January 2019 Substitute Teacher C.P.S. Chicago, IL

* I taught and tutored students from kindergarten to 12th grade in all subjects, according to the primary teachers’ documented lesson plans.

May 2010 – November 2014          Sales Associate           Pet Co                     Chicago, IL

* Interacted and assisted customers, fed animals, handled and sold animals, cleaned out animal habitats and interpreted for Spanish-speaking and hearing-impaired customers.

August 2006 – December 2008   2nd Grade Educator     Tilton Elementary      Chicago, IL

* Taught students a variety of subjects including Math, Reading, Writing, Spanish, Science and Social Studies.

April 1987 – August 2006 Flight Attendant American Airlines       Phoenix, AZ

* Served as an interpreter for the hearing impaired and Spanish speakers on the airplane while serving and attending to all passengers’ safety needs

**AREAS OF EXPERTISE:**

* Monitoring and obtaining patient vitals
* Activities of daily living
* Recording of patient medical histories
* Updating medical records and charts
* Head-to-Toe patient assessment
* Evaluate, assist and educate patients
* Creative planning
* Cooperative learning
* Carry out doctors’ orders using critical thinking skills
* Fluency of Spanish/Sign Language
* Ability to evaluate changing situations
* Being flexible
* Good organizational skills
* Ability to advocate for patients