KIRSTEN SHARP, BSN RN
REGISTERED NURSE

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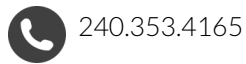
EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science Nursing
(3.8 GPA)
Stratford University
December 2020

Bachelor of Science Health Services Management
University of Maryland
University College
April 2015

Sexual Assault/F Nurse Examiner (SANE-A)
District of Columbia Forensic
Nurse Examiners
April-May 2022

LICENSURE & CERTIFICATIONS

Registered Nurse
Maryland
Compact License
March 2021

Registered Nurse
District of Columbia
July 2021

Basic Life Support
American Heart Association
Exp. January 2023

Advanced Cardiac Life Support
American Heart Association
Exp. January 2023

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Compassionate and detail-oriented Registered Nurse, seeking to strengthen critical care foundation. Passionate for the care of critical populations; 8+ years of clinical experience in multiple medical/surgical, critical care, emergency departments, occupational health perioperative, and oncology & infectious disease research.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Occupational Health & Lead Vaccination Nurse Coordinator   02/2022-Present
United States Secret Service (Contract)   Washington, DC

- Lead vaccination clinics (minimum class of 24)and provide medical information for multiple Unformed Division, Special Agent, and other classes prior to traveling overseas.
- Response to medical emergencies provides emergency medical assessment and interventions independently.
- Implement health education programs to comply with federal regulations and to meet organizational needs.
- Conducts and supports OSHA mandated programs, administers audiometry, vision exams, spirometry testing, blood draws and ergonomic worksite evaluations

Registered Nurse   07/2021-Present
Washington DC Veterans Affairs Medical Center   Washington, DC

- Perform initial patient assessments and work with physicians to plan, implement, and evaluate care plans for the adult-geriatric patient population.
- Utilize critical expertise to administer medications and injections, administer IV therapy, perform venipuncture, provide wound care, monitor glucose levels, blood transfusions, and lab values, assist in bedside procedures, and monitor various drainage devices.
- Delegate and provide direct patient care as needed while maintaining patient safety as priority.
- Closely monitor multiple patients to identify signs of arrhythmias and other life-threatening complications.

Perioperative Registered Nurse   04/2021-04/2022
Washington DC Hand & Upper Extremity Surgery Center   Washington, DC

- Performed preoperative procedures including preparing the operative area, phlebotomy, and administering pre-op medications.
- Admitted, assessed, and monitored patients from the operating room and initiated immediate care during the postoperative recovery period.
- Managed, educated, and cared for patients before, during, and after surgical procedures including cosmetic, nerve, bone, and joint procedures.

- Prepared OR by ensuring it met asepsis standards and setting out, organizing, and counting all tools and equipment necessary for each procedure.
- Collaborated closely with the patient's surgical team such as the anesthesiologist and surgeon throughout the surgery process.

Graduate Nurse/ Registered Nurse   10/2019-07/2021
Baltimore Veterans Affairs Medical Center   Baltimore, MD

- Responsible for obtaining 12-lead-EKGs, discontinuation of peripheral IV and heparin/saline locks, and administration of subcutaneous and intramuscular injections.
- Performed initial patient assessments and worked with physicians to plan, implement, and evaluate plans of care for the adult-geriatric patient population.
- Performed skills such as wound care, insertion of Foley catheters, nasogastric tube placement, IV insertion, assisting with intubation and/or resuscitation, and other medical procedures.
- Provide nursing intervention in emergencies, serious injuries, illnesses, and life-threatening situations.
- Coordinated flow of patients within the department, observed patients within the department, fast track, and report the condition of the patient to the appropriate provider.

Senior Clinical Data Manager II   01/2019-09/2019
Henry M. Jackson Foundation   Rockville, MD

- Responsible for managing and coordinating all aspects of the data management process in support of research activities within the Infectious Disease Clinical Research Program, the Uniformed Services University, and other military facilities.
- Lead a multi-functional team of data-related resources including data system programmers, data entry clerks, and SAS and Oracle programmers. Develop and maintain study-specific Data Management Plans, Data Cleaning, and Validation Plans.
- Managed query submission, tracking, and resolution of single complex studies and groups of studies under the direction of more senior data managers. Generated distributed, tracked, entered resolution, annotated, and filed data entry reconciliation reports and data clarifications. Adhered to department Standard Operating Procedures for all data management responsibilities.

Research Data Manager, Contract   04/2018-09/2018
Winship Cancer Institute, Emory University   Atlanta, GA

- Efficiently monitored IRB submissions and responded to requests and questions while providing leadership in determining, recommending, and implementing improvements to policies and processes.
- Successfully supported the research efforts functioning in a supervisory capacity, ensuring data collection, entry, reporting, and verification aspects are performed accurately and efficiently. Performed data cleaning by removing all errors and incorrect values for specific variables, as well as creating new variables.
- Effectively interfaces with study sponsors, monitors, and reports SAE, resolve study queries while managing large volumes of surgical research patient data for all department, and submitted quality data and monitored study compliances.

Research Data Coordinator   09/2016-04/2018
MedStar Health Research Institute   Washington, DC

- Successfully supported the research efforts functioning in a supervisory capacity, ensuring that the data collection, entry, reporting, and verification aspects are performed accurately and efficiently.
- Efficiently processed four years of backed log data by entering new patient data, abstracting old data, and updating from over 70 oncology studies, *successfully updating each study within 1 year of employment.*
- Singlehandedly designed and implemented patient safety/quality improvement

programs that lead to better outcomes for the research department, including ensuring all data needs are met to make room for more patient recruitments and improved bed management processes within the hospital for research patients.