**MAGGIE SMITH, RN**

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**PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

Conscientious, integrity-driven, and compassionate Registered Nurse professional with 10+ years of clinical experience. Skilled in providing direct patient care in a critical care/emergency room environment. Attention to detail and observant care to patients with a variety of systemic health challenges while upholding superior patient service. Calm and level-headed with ability to handle difficult patients and high-stress situations. Proficient in contributing to team solutions, maintain compliance standards and produce high quality work.

**CORE COMPETENCIES**

 Patient Evaluation • Strong clinical judgement • Charting and clinical documentation

Medical laboratory procedures • Staff supervision

• Strong Communication

**EXPERIENCE**

**Emergency Room Clinical Nurse May 2019 - Present**

**Suburban Hospital Bethesda, Maryland**

*Community-based, 230 bed, not-for-profit hospital serving Montgomery County, Maryland and the surrounding metropolitan Washington, DC area.*

* Ensure the provision of quality emergency medical care to patients from birth to end of life requiring emergency treatment in accordance with physician orders, hospital policy, and standard nursing practice.
* Evaluate patients' vital signs or laboratory data to determine emergency intervention needs.
* Coordinate patient referrals and discharge planning activities.
* Assess and accurately document the educational needs and learning abilities of the patient and/or family.
* Arrange for advanced care of critically ill and injured persons. Provide patient assessments of adult and pediatric patients in emergency room triage.

**Emergency Room Clinical Nurse December 2015 – January 2020**

**Holy Cross Hospital Silver Spring, Maryland**

*National leader in quality and innovative healthcare and second largest 501 not-for-profit teaching hospital, 529 bed, serving Montgomery County and Prince George's County, Maryland.*

* Supervised 10-12 staff nurses and 6-8 other non-licensed personnel as charge nurse in both adult and pediatric emergency department setting.
* Responsible for clinical direction and oversight to 6 Emergency Room Technicians.
* Performed emergency medical procedures, such as basic cardiac life support (BLS), advanced cardiac life support (ACLS), and other condition-stabilizing interventions.
* Documented data related to patients' care, including assessment results, interventions, medications, patient responses, or treatment changes.
* Consulted and coordinated with patients, families, and other healthcare team members to assess, plan, implement, or evaluate patient care plans.
* Performed post-hospital needs assessment and follow-up care to discharged patients.

**Clinical Nurse III December 2013 – July 2015**

**Washington Hospital Center Washington, DC**

*MedStar Washington Hospital Center is the largest private hospital in Washington, D.C. A member of MedStar Health, the not-for-profit Hospital Center is licensed for 926 beds. Health services in primary, secondary, and tertiary care are offered to adult and neonatal patients.*

* Served as a member of interdisciplinary healthcare teams to provide critical care and perform life-saving interventions.
* Collaborated with other health care professionals and service providers to ensure optimal patient care.
* Developed and maintained departmental policies, procedures, objectives, and patient care standards, based on evidence-based practice guidelines.
* Provided specialized nursing care for patients in critical or coronary care units.

**Emergency Room Registered Nurse July 2011 – December 2013**

**Carolinas Healthcare System Charlotte, North Carolina**

*An “integrated non-profit health system” operating 42 hospitals, six freestanding emergency departments, over 30 urgent care centers, and more than 1,500 care locations in North Carolina and Georgia.*

* Specialized in providing care for patients in busy, fast-paced Level 1 trauma center specializing in pediatric trauma.
* Stabilized critically ill patients with the use of BLS, ACLS, PALS, ENPC and TNCC protocols.
* Maintained calm disposition during heightened elevation of immediate patient care to save lives.

**EDUCATION**

**Chamberlain University**

**Downers Grove, Illinois**

* Bachelor of Science, Nursing, Anticipated Graduation July 2022

**Richmond Community College**

**Hamlet, North Carolina**

* Associates of Science, Nursing, May 2010

**LICENSES**

* Registered Nurse, Washington, DC #RN1031915
* Registered Nurse, North Carolina #238772

**SPECIALIZED TRAINING**

* **Advanced Training in Basic Life Support (BLS)**
* **Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS), Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)**
* **Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC), Trauma Care After Resuscitation (TCAR)**

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

* Emergency Nurses Association (ENA)
* Society of Trauma Nurses