Oscar Guzman-Cruz

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- · Bilingual in English and Spanish (primary language)
- · Hardworking and energetic; flexible; adapt easily to change of environment
- · Maintain critical thinking skills essential to providing competent and dignified patient care
- · Personable with a positive attitude and interface effectively with patients, families, and nursing staff

Work Experience

St Thomas West, CVICU/CCU - Nashville, TN September 2021 to Present

- · Recover open heart surgery patients immediately post-op
- · Manage critically ill patients with advanced hemodynamic monitoring

Parkridge Medical Center, ICU Float Pool - Chattanooga, TN October 2019 to September 2021

- \cdot Working in all areas in the hospital including SICU, MICU, ER, Ortho, and Med-Surg
- · Working with the interdisciplinary team to provide competent and thorough care to patients

Erlanger Health Systems, ICU Float Pool - Chattanooga, TN November 2017 to January 2020

 \cdot Working in multiple intensive care areas such as Shock/Trauma, Neurotrauma,

Neuroscience, Surgical, Cardiac, and Medical ICU

· Help stabilize patients in the Emergency Department

Parkridge Medical Center, SICU - Chattanooga, TN January 2017 to November 2017

- · Worked directly with interdisciplinary surgical teams taking patient immediately out of the operating room.
- \cdot Proficient in Continues Renal Replacement Therapy (CRRT) on patients with multiple comorbidities such as sepsis, acute kidney injury, and other hemodynamically unstable patients.
- · Other duties included vent management, chest tube removal, code team in emergent situations, and rapid response team

Parkridge Medical Center, Cardiac Step-down - Chattanooga, TN April 2016 to January 2017

- · Working collaboratively with other medical professionals to provide exceptional patient care for postoperative open heart surgery patients.
- \cdot Analyze heart rhythms, responded to code situations, titrated medication drips, and prioritize multiple patients' care

Education

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Jacksonville State University - Jacksonville, AL 2016

Certifications and Licenses

BLS Certification

ACLS Certification

CPR Certification