

Salina Simmons

Registered Nurse

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Detailed-oriented and dedicated health care professional with over 19+ years of experience and expertise in health care to include phlebotomy, developmental trainer, nurse extern, and registered nurse. Seeking employment where my skills and abilities can be used to the benefit of the company.

Abilities

Hard working, highly motivated team worker. Able to adapt to new surroundings, quick learner, skilled in computers, good with people, able to work as a team worker or on projects alone.

Work Experience

Registered Nurse (RN)

VieMed healthcare Staffing - Lafayette, LA

January 2022 to Present

- Travel to various hospitals to maintain and manage patients database in EMR software. Perform patient's assessments. Manage oral, intramuscular, subcutaneous, and intravenous medications. Assist patients with bathing, dressing, maintaining personal hygiene, moving in bed, standing and walking. Educated patients and their families on disease processes, med/surg procedures and medication. Develop and implement patient care plans with medical team and identify opportunities for care improvements. Communicate changes in patient clinical condition with physicians, nurse supervisor and co-workers as appropriate. Order diagnostic test to pin point patient condition. Consult physicians to improve patient clinical condition.

Registered Nurse

St. Frances Cabrini Hospital - Alexandria, LA

January 2021 to Present

- Maintain and manage patients database in EMR software. Perform patient's assessments. Manage oral, intramuscular, subcutaneous, and intravenous medications. Assist patients with bathing, dressing, maintaining personal hygiene, moving in bed, standing and walking. Educated patients and their families on disease processes, med/surg procedures and medication. Develop and implement patient care plans with medical team and identify opportunities for care improvements. Communicate changes in patient clinical condition with physicians, nurse supervisor and co-workers as appropriate. Order diagnostic test to pin point patient condition. Consult physicians to improve patient clinical condition.

Student

Lsua - Alexandria, LA

June 2016 to Present

NSU nursing student currently in clinical.

Phlebotomist

St. Francis Cabrini Hospital - Alexandria, LA
April 2018 to January 2019

Perform computer operations and record the patient identities. Obtain blood specimens by venipuncture, dermal puncture, and micro techniques, collect and transport requirements for test performed in all sections of the laboratory.

Phlebotomist

Clinical Pathology Laboratories - Alexandria, LA
August 2015 to July 2016

Performed computer operations and recorded the patient's identities. Obtained blood specimens by venipuncture, dermal puncture, and micro technique, collect and transported requirements for tests performed in all sections of the laboratory, also workes in doctor's office setting.

Phlebotomist/ EKG / Audio

Central Louisiana State Hospital - Pineville, LA
November 2014 to August 2015

Performed computer operations and recorded the patient's identities. Obtained blood specimens by venipuncture, dermal puncture, and micro technique, collect and transported requirements for tests performed in all sections of the laboratory, Scan and fax test results to each doctor and medical records. Perform EKGs and hearing test on patients that's scheduled to come to the clinic.

Phlebotomist

Omega Diagnostics - Alexandria, LA
July 2013 to November 2014

Performed computer operations and recorded the patient's identities. Obtained blood specimens by venipuncture, dermal puncture, and micro technique, collect and transported requirements for tests performed in all sections of the laboratory, also workes in doctor's office setting.

Phlebotomist

Pinecrest Supports and Services - Pineville, LA
March 2012 to July 2013

Performed computer operations and recorded the patient's identities. Obtained blood specimens by venipuncture, dermal puncture, and micro technique. I also collected and transported requirements for tests performed in all sections of the laboratory.

Job Coach

Louisiana Community Care - Ball, LA
January 2010 to March 2012

Picking up consumers and medications from their home, bring Consumers to work at the day program in the company vehicle. Supervise consumers while their working, interact with consumers, take consumers on outings, and bring consumers home after work, Also pass medications at day program and take consumers to doctor's appointments.

Phlebotomy Student

VA Medical Center - Pineville, LA
May 2010 to June 2010

Performed computer operations and recorded the patient's identities. Obtained blood specimens by venipuncture, dermal puncture, and micro technique. I also collected and transported requirements for tests performed in all sections of the laboratory.

Job Coach

Special Education Center - Alexandria, LA

June 2009 to March 2010

Caring for patients with developmental disabilities, Training in computer skills, Making daily living arrangements, And assisting in daily activities.

Transporter

St. Frances Cabrini Hospital - Alexandria, LA

October 2007 to June 2009

Transport patients throughout the hospital for different tests, either in bed or in wheelchair. Also discharge patients from the hospital, and refill oxygen tanks. This position requires good patient relations and people skills in order to communicate with sick patients and families.

Direct Support Professional

Pinecrest Support and Services - Pineville, LA

December 2002 to October 2007

Assisted patients with developmental disabilities in everyday living arrangements, Trained, documented daily activities, And i was acting home manager when the home manager was off.

Housekeeper

Southfield Care Center - Lecompte, LA

September 2001 to December 2002

Worked in housekeeping. Duties were to clean the patients rooms in the nursing home. Cleaning consisted of mopping, waxing, and dusting the rooms.

Education

High School Diploma

Rapides High School

May 2001

Nursing Licenses

RN

Skills

- CPR Certified
- Injections
- Phlebotomist
- Venipuncture

- Patient Care
- Phlebotomy
- Medical Office Experience
- Vital Signs
- Medical Records
- EMR Systems
- Developmental Disabilities Experience
- Medication Administration
- Nursing
- Triage
- Acute care
- Hospital Experience

Certifications and Licenses

Registered Nurse (RN)

February 2021 to February 2022

Licensed Registered Nurse

ACLS Certification

BLS Certification

Additional Information

Trained in blood pressure, pulse ox, physical assessments, nasogastric, foley catheter, and medication administration.