

# Nikka Culpepper RN

## **Registered Nurse**

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Bringing a demonstrated ability to take care of patients through the provision of comprehensive nursing practice, to ensure quality and safe delivery of patient care services.

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

## Work Experience

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### **RN DON**

Extended Care Facility - Illinois

February 2022 to Present

Overseeing staff ensuring that building are in state compliance with care for residents. Oversee the antibiotic stewardship and over seeing psychotropic medications and rounding with psychiatric MD and NP's for patients. Admission audits, and ensuring correct documentation is in place.

### **RN**

Clipboard Health - Illinois

August 2021 to Present

Forestedge Rehab

Bria of Chicago Heights

Aperion of Chicago Heights

Regency Care of Morris

Beecher Manor

St. James Manor

Hyde Park Village

Spring Creek Nursing and Rehab

Daily administration of medication and BGM insulin coverage given per order meeting the need of the community health and psychiatric problems , vital signs, such as blood pressure, temperature, heart rate, resp and weight • Managing IVs • Monitoring fluid and food intake and output • Admissions, dischargers and transfers • Supervises the C.N.A. staff and delegates tasks for resident care • Transcribing physician orders • Recognizes significant changes in resident conditions and takes necessary actions to treat and notify physicians • Accurately and appropriately completes documentation-I&O, 24-hour report, monthly summary, resident admission assessment, and quarterly assessment. Aware of needs for comprehensive assessments and the process for completion • Assisting with daily needs such as bathing, dressing, mobility and transfers • G-tube, wound and trach care.

### **LPN**

Favorite staffing - Chicago, IL

May 2020 to Present

- COVID NURSE on the behalf of IDPH throughout the state of Illinois, assisting facilities with COVID testing for residents and staff. Ensuring COVID protocols are being followed per CDC guidelines.

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### **LPN/floor nurse/unit manager**

Symphony - Chicago, IL

January 2017 to September 2021

- Supervision of unit, over see nurses, and CNA's. Responsible for monthly, quarterly, and annuals assessments. Rounding with MD, and NP. Coordinating care for residents and family members. Overseeing admissions making sure they are properly done and completed. Infection control for the unit. Communicating with families, staff and MD.

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### **LPN**

St.James Manor - Crete, IL

November 2019 to December 2020

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### **LPN Care Coordinator**

South Point Nursing and Rehabilitation Center - Chicago, IL

April 2016 to October 2016

Supervision of dementia unit, over see nurses, and CNA's. Responsible for monthly, quarterly, and annuals assessments. Psychiatry rounds with MD DR. Michelle Dees and including assessments. Monitoring patients for needs for psychiatry medications and effectiveness. Obtaining medication consents. Coordinating care for residents and family members. Overseeing admissions making sure they

are properly done and completed. Infection control for the unit. Communicating with families, staff and MD.

## **LPN**

Prairie Manor Nursing Home - Chicago Heights, IL  
November 2014 to June 2016

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## **Licensed Practical Nurse/ Medicare nurse**

Advocate Healthcare - Downers Grove, IL  
February 2014 to December 2014

Managing Medicare clinic. scheduling patients for appointments, assessing patients for at home safety.

- Making sure patients have different resources to maintain independent living.
- Referrals to specialist, medication refills, and obtaining follow up appointments for patients who have not had managed care.

## **Licensed Practical Nurse**

Applewood Nursing and Rehabilitation - Matteson, IL  
August 2010 to January 2014

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- Hands on experience in maintaining facility's manual and electronic record (9 years)

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **Nurse's License**

January 2019

Class:LPN, RN, Illinois

## **RN**

## Additional Information

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