

**Violet L. Okilwa, BSN, RN**  
**Resume**

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**OBJECTIVE:** BSN/RN- MICU, TELEMETRY, MEDSURGICAL, NEUROLOICAL

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**EDUCATION**

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**University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY**

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, BSN, 1/2002 – 5/2005

**Laramie Community College, Laramie, WY**

Nursing Prerequisites, 1/2001 – 12/2001

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**CERTIFICATION**

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RN Licensure – Texas

ACLS & BLS

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**RN PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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**FNP-** Internal medicine with Envision Physician group- at North East Baptist. Since 11/2021 to current.

1/2020- to date – Dr Alemu medical – working at post-acute facilities/ ALTC – managing patients with chronic and critical conditions, while treating acute conditions. Working with the healthcare team at facilities to provide best care for patients.

Looking to do some PRN RN assignments

**Registered Nurse work experience**

**2.Methodist Stone Oak Hospital, San Antonio, June 2018- to 2021/June**

Critical care registered nurse with the resource team- provides critical care nursing through lifespan. Works in the E.R, step- down - ICU, neurological ICU, step down ICU, cardiac unit, med/surgical floor. Provides care to patient while incorporating teaching about medication, their health condition and how to better manage chronic conditions. A nurse with a great attitude, a team leader with great public relations and great stress management skills. I have experience with critical care medications: oral, injectables,

and intravenous medications, iv fluids, blood product administration, care for post-op patients, conscious and unconscious, care for surgical wounds. Analyzing and interpreting EKG'S, lab values, Competent with identifying sepsis, myocardial infarction and coronary artery syndrome. Competent in managing strokes, hypertension crisis, asthma, allergic reactions, COPD and CHF exacerbation, altered mental status, acute encephalopathy, anxiety, alcohol related issues, depression and suicidal issues. Individualizes care, sets goals, and works with patient, family, and my unit teams to enhance quick recovery. Also offers counseling and support for families with terminally ill patient. Providing quality care to patients is my goal because quality care is vital for quick and stable recovery or comfort.

## **2. Santa Rosa Medical center, San Antonio, TX. January 2018 to 6/2018.**

Critical care nurse -Telemetry /Intermediate critical care unit- Positive attitude in an intense and very busy critical care floor. Admissions, discharges, intravenous infusions i.e.; heparin, insulin, iv antibiotics, cardiac monitoring, monitoring labs, replenishing electrolytes, wound care for different wounds including surgical, and transfusions of and blood components. Management of central lines, peripheral lines, chest tubes, and feeding tubes. Embraces team work and always ready to learn.

## **METHODIST HOSPITAL- NORTH EAST , AT LIVEOAK. 9/2013-6/2018.**

**Charge Nurse and Floor nurse- Inpatient neurological floor-** A nurse with a great attitude and good customer service. I provided acute care to different groups of patients: orthopedic, cardiac, neurological patients and debilitating patients due to comorbidities. I have competence with patient teaching, blood and blood product administration, iv fluids and antibiotics, TPN, care for central and peripheral lines, medication administration, and care for tracheotomy tubes and feeding tubes. Competent of taking care for surgical drainage tubes, wound vacs and other wound care per wound care orders. Excellent with admissions and discharges and competent with EKG reading. I am a nurse who believes in empowering patients hence encourages and enforces health promotion, teach patients about the management of chronic conditions.

I precepted nursing students on rotations and did orientation for new nursing employees.

## **OSBORN HEALTH AND REHAB, SCOTTSDALE, AZ, October 2008 – 7/2013**

**RN/Charge Nurse:** A nurse with a great attitude, great customer service and hardworking. Provided direct patient (young adult through geriatric) care including initial admission, assessment, and monitoring of patient's conditions as well as educating patients regarding their well-being. I noted and implemented doctor's orders and interpreted critical and non-critical labs. Administration of all forms of medication, IV fluids including TPN. Provided wound care using wound -vac therapy and other treatments for wound healing.

**NURSE CORE AGENCY, PHOENIX, AZ, July 2010 – 07/2013**

**Hospital Assignments at different location on the med-surgical floor and Home Visit**

**(PRN):** I performed initial patient admission and assessment, medication verification, interpretation of labs, blood and intravenous antibiotics/fluid, and TPN administration. Provided wound care and competent with wound-vac therapy. During home visits I did wound-care, medication management and provided teaching on prevailing health condition – emphasizing preventative measures.

**JUNO HEALTHCARE AGENCY/ THE VA HOSPITAL, PHOENIX, AZ,  
December 2007 – July 2008**

RN/Team leader, Oncology Unit: Provided quality nursing care for patients undergoing chemotherapy treatment. I performed initial admission and assessment, medication administration, intravenous therapy, blood and other blood products administration while monitoring patients. Competent with providing care for all kinds of intravenous lines, peg tubes, and all kinds of tubes/ catheters. I educated patients on their hospital stay as well as upon their discharge.

**JUNO HEALTHCARE AGENCY/CHULA VISTA CARE CENTER, MESA, AZ,  
June 2007 – March 2008**

RN/Charge Nurse – I was the supervisor for evening and weekend shifts. I supervised LPNs and CNAs and promoted teamwork. I was responsible for initial admissions/discharges, noting/implementing doctor's orders, monitoring and managing patient's conditions, medication administration (oral and intravenous) and patient teaching.

**JUNO HEALTHCARE AGENCY/OPTIMUM HOME HEALTH, MESA, AZ, July  
2007 – Sept. 2007**

Home Visit RN (PRN)

**Iverson Memorial Hospital, Laramie, WY, October 2005 – June 2006**

OB RN: I provided postpartum and post-operation care for obstetric patients as well as nursery level 1 care for infants. Regular float to the med-surgical and surgical floors

**High Country Home Health, Laramie, WY, October 2004 – May 2005**

Certified Nurse Assistant (PRN): I provided patient care including personal hygiene during home visits.

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**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

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RN Volunteer, Public Health Clinic, Austin, TX, 10/2006 – 6/2007.

Children's Church Volunteer, Central Christian Church, Mesa, AZ, 1/2009 – Present

**Awards**

Recognized by patients and resource director as Rock star nurse

Named alongside other nurses as providing excellent nursing care as pertains to pathways to nursing excellence, leadership, and teamwork- North East Methodist Hospital, San Antonio, TX. 4<sup>th</sup> quarter, 2017.

Named the outstanding performer of the quarter at North East Methodist Hospital, San Antonio, Texas. October 2016.

Employee of the quarter for good attitude and customer relations: Osborn Health and Rehabilitation Center, Arizona. July 2012

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**REFERENCES**

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Jennifer Buske RN  
Stone Oak Methodist, San Antonio  
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Methodist healthcare system– Parallon  
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