

Latoya Stokes

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Hardworking nursing professional bringing 18 years of experience delivering exceptional care to a wide variety of medically complex patients. Well-organized and forward-thinking in managing patient needs. Offering proven clinical knowledge, natural interpersonal strengths, and technical abilities. Quality-focused and efficiency-driven leader

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

ICU Stepdown/Medical Surgical Registered Nurse

Aya Healthcare-Scott & White Medical Center - Temple, TX

December 2021 to Present

- Document patient interactions and interventions in EPIC EMR.
- Use first-hand knowledge and clinical expertise to advocate for patients under the care and enacted prescribed treatment strategies.
- Administer medications and treatment to patients and monitored responses while working with healthcare teams to adjust care plans.
- Deliver outstanding care to patients with various diagnoses and managed care from treatment initiation through to completion.

Medical-Surgical/Telemetry Charge Registered Nurse/Pre-op, Per Diem PACU

Crescent Medical Center - Lancaster, TX

March 2020 to December 2021

- Manage patients' pain by implementing pharmacological and non-pharmacological pain management interventions, post-op.
- Administered medications and treatment to patients and monitored responses while working with healthcare teams to adjust care plans.
- Monitored patient condition, including interpreting and tracking EKG readings, identifying irregular telemetry readings.
- Delivered outstanding care to patients with various diagnoses and managed care from treatment initiation through to completion. Implemented interventions, including medication and IV administration, catheter insertion and airway management.
- Managing high acuity COVID-19 patients.

Travel Nurse LPN/RN

Dakota Travel Nurse - Mandan, ND

January 2018 to May 2020

- Traveling to high acuity Med/Surg, LTAC, Vent/Trach, Acute Care/Psych, and Skilled/Long-Term care facilities to assist in whatever capacity needed.

- Performed safe and diagnosis appropriate care and handling all aspects of treatment from medication administration to wound care.
- Managing high acuity COVID-19 patients.

Charge Nurse LPN

Levindale Hebrew Home and Geriatric Nursing Center - Baltimore, MD

June 2012 to October 2018

- Providing nursing care to Acute/Sub-Acute, Vent/Trach, Skilled, and memory impaired.
- Trained new nurses in proper techniques, care standards, operational procedures and safety protocols to optimize performance and safety.
- Managed various medications and treatments, which included peritoneal dialysis, IV push, oral, subcutaneous, IV infusion and intramuscular injections, and pain management.
- Directed patient care activities and provided guidance and training to RNs, LPNs and Case Management during shift while delegating assignments and providing treatment

Pulmonary Care Nurse

University Specialty Hospital - Baltimore, MD

June 2005 to June 2012

- Aggressively working with ventilator dependent patients to ensure effective and positive respiratory outcomes
- Performed medication administration, blood draws, patient/family education, and wound care

Education

Associate in Science (AS) in Registered Nurse

Southeast Technical College - Sioux Falls, SD

June 2019 to May 2020

Certification in Licensed Practical Nurse

VMT long-term care management - Washington, DC

August 2002 to August 2003

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: June 2022

State: SD

Skills

- Hospital Experience
- EMR Systems
- Medication Administration
- Pain Management
- Nursing

- Infusion Experience

Certifications and Licenses

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)

August 2020 to August 2022

BLS Certification