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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Highly experienced and well-trained nursing professional with sound clinical knowledge and judgment. Offering the knowledge and abilities necessary to deliver exceptional care to every patient. Hardworking and dedicated to the success of each operation. Motivated to grow and learn new skills outside of the nursing role.

SKILLS

- Procedure Assistance
- Medical Supply Management
- Critical Thinking
- Clear Patient Communication
- Medical Procedure Preparation
- Patient Condition Monitoring

EXPERIENCE

Operating Room Nurse - Neurosurgery, Advocate Christ Medical Center, Aug 2021 - Current, Oak Lawn, IL

- Returned to my position in the Neurosurgery specialty service after having gained valuable experience in the Cardiothoracic operating rooms.
- Exploring ways to expand my role in the operating rooms.

Cardiovascular Operating Room Nurse, Advocate Christ Medical Center, Aug 2019 - Aug 2021, Oak Lawn, IL

- Supported surgeons in the first assist role throughout a number of complex cardiovascular procedures, including ECMO insertion, LVAD Implantation, Coronary Bypass surgery, Aortic Root Replacements, Valve Replacements, etc.
- Assessed the needs of each individual case and managed supplies accordingly.
- Maintained a sterile field and managed sterile equipment before, during, and after procedural care.

Operating Room Nurse - Neurosurgery, Advocate Christ Medical Center, May 2016 - Aug 2019, Oak Lawn, IL

- Performed the role of both scrub and circulating nurse in a wide range of neurosurgical interventions.
- Worked in countless elective and traumatic spinal surgeries, as well as cranial surgeries, in a high volume/high acuity trauma 1 operating room setting.
- Built positive working relationships with the neurosurgeons in my service and have maintained productive, open lines of communication with them.
- Gained a depth of experience in anticipating the needs of both the surgeon and the patient.
- Set up and maintained aseptic techniques and clear, sterile surgical field throughout

each procedure.

- Communicated directly with surgeons regarding supplies needs for upcoming case.

Inventory Manager, Homewood Florist, Jan 2009 - Jan 2016, Homewood, IL

- Maintained solid rapport with vendors to facilitate timely inventory replenishment.
- Reduced corporate costs by negotiating favorable product pricing.
- Drafted daily inventory reports to reconcile counts and project purchasing needs.

Digital Content Writer, Illinois Program for Research in Humanities, Oct 2007 - Jan 2009, Urbana, IL

- Coordinated with the events team to create web-based synopses of guest lectures and exhibits.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Nursing Science

Jan 2016

Oak Point University - Oakbrook, IL

Bachelor of Arts, History

Aug 2009

University of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign - Champaign, IL