**Latisha Baker, RN, BSN, PLNC**

925 Canterbury Rd. NE Apt. 840 Atlanta, GA 30324

 Maria2tee@aol.com

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Professional Summary**

Dedicated Intensive Care Unit Nurse of 13 years, who exhibits strong clinical and patient communication

skills. Excellent bedside manner with proven ability to assess individual conditions and needs. Performs

therapeutic nursing interventions utilizing the nursing process and patient-specific care plans.

Proficient with Microsoft Office, Soarian, Epic, Cerner and Allscripts.

**Licensure:** Registered Nurse: New York- 621186

 Registered Nurse: Georgia- RN-244695

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­­­­**

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Contract Nurse: COVID ICU RN for Piedmont Atlanta Hospital, Piedmont Fayette Hospital, Piedmont Newnan Hospital, Phoebe Putney Hospital, Northside Gwinnett Hospital, 04/2020-03/2022**

**Contract Nurse: STEPDOWN UNIT, Grady Memorial Center, Atlanta, GA 01/2019-2020**

* Provided complete care to Intermediate Care patients on a 30 bed unit
* Maintained Therapeutic relationships with patients and families
* Responsible for the titration of Critical Drugs, Insulin Drips, and Heparin Protocol

**Contract Nurse: FORENSIC UNIT, Atlanta Medical Center, Atlanta, GA 09/2018-12/2018**

* Provided care to an inmate population on a 25 bed unit
* Developed patient-specific care plans
* Responsible for pre-operative care/post-operative care and intermediate care of all inmates

**Contract Nurse: INTENSIVE CARE UNIT, Cancer Treatment Center of America, Newnan, GA 05/2018-08/2018**

* Provided complete care to critically ill cancer patients on a 5 bed unit
* Initiated Hypothermia Protocol, Stroke Protocol, Acute MI protocol
* Administered, titrated and monitored critical drugs

**ICU/STEPDOWN CONTRACT NURSE: NEUROMEDICINE UNIT, Emory University Hospital, Atlanta, GA 10/2017-04/2018**

• Provided complete care to Neuromedicine patients on a 22 bed Unit

• Responsible for detailed assessments of each patient and prompt alerts of any

neurologic changes

• Provided Post-op care after Neurologic procedures, Titrate Insulin Drips, Management

of Lumbar Drains

**ICU CONTRACT NURSE: SICU, CVICU, MICU, Neuro ICU, Atlanta Medical Center, Atlanta, GA, 05/2015-10/2016**

• Provided care to critically ill patients at a Level 1 Trauma Center on a 40 bed ICU

• Responsible for CVP, Arterial Line, EVD monitoring/setup

• Maintained open and effective communication with ICU team and management

**Neuromedicine ICU, Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, NY- 09/2014- 12/2014**

• Provided care to critically ill adults on a 10-bed Neurologic ICU

• Collaborated with Health Care Professionals within the clinical setting to provide

excellent care to provide excellent care to Neurologic patients with co-morbidities

• Administered, titrated and monitored critical drugs

**ICU STAFF NURSE:** **Intensive Care Unit, Kenmore Mercy Hospital, Kenmore, NY 06/2009-09/2014**

• Provided Care to critically ill adults on a 14- bed ICU

• Member of the ICU Counsel Committee, which strategized to improve patient care

• Embraced role of Charge Nurse of ICU: Responsible for creating shift assignments,

maintained open communication between all health care teams

• Utilized appropriate teaching techniques/strategies for diverse patient populations

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**NURSING CREDENTIALS**

AGPCNP Student at Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA 2020-present

Bachelor of Science Degree- Nursing, D'Youville College, Buffalo, NY 05/2009

**Certifications:**

* Certified Professional Legal Nurse Consultant 10/2016
* American Heart Association ACLS Certification 2020
* American Heart Association BLS Certification 2020
* NIHSS 2018

**Achievements:**

* Lambda Sigma National Honor Society 2010
* Dean's List 2006, 2009