Susan Durocher

Registered Nurse, RN

Objective

• To obtain a position as a Registered Nurse where I may further utilize and enhance my nursing skills and knowledge within an interdisciplinary, and client-centered environment

Personal Attributes

- Registered Nurse who is passionate about providing client-centered care using best practices. Experience in an acute setting to provide direct and individualized care for clients based on nursing theory, evidence-based decision making. Versatile, adaptable, detail-orientated, punctual, and hardworking
- Active member of College of Nurses of Ontario (CNO) Registered Nurse, Entitled to practice without restrictions (Initial registration: June 28, 2020)

Education

- Honours Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BScN) University of Windsor, Windsor, ON, CA *Obtained degree, 2020*
- Pre-Health Sciences St. Clair College, Windsor, ON, CA *Obtained certificate, 2016*
- Honours Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)
 University of Windsor, 2012-2015
 Completed year 1 & 2

Certifications

- Basic Life Support Level HCP and First Aid for Health Care Providers, Certified
- N95 Mask Fit Testing & Training, Certified 2020
- Crisis Intervention Training, Certified 2020
- Intravenous Therapy & Venipuncture, Certified 2019

Professional Licensure

- Registered Nurse, General Class College of Nurses Ontario License Number: 20287440
- Registered Nurse, General Class Board of Nursing, State of Michigan License Number: 4704383265
- Registered Nurse, General Class Board of Nursing, State of Colorado License Number: 1680467

Employment

Registered Nurse Advantis Medical, Travel Nurse Henry Ford Health System - Wyandotte Campus Med Surg Oncology/Tele, February 1/22 - April 9/22

Registered Nurse

Windsor Regional Hospital – Metropolitian Campus In-patient Medical-Surgical Oncology nurse, May 2021 – Current Medical-Surgical Float nurse, April 2020 – May 2021

- Acute clinical experience with management and needs of clients requiring oncology, palliative, end-of-life, and medical-surgical care
- Experience with comprehensive and focused assessments, intravenous therapy, central line management, complex wound care, blood product transfusion administration and monitoring, drain management, parental and enteral nutrition, ostomy care, tracheostomy care, catheterizations, oxygen needs, and safe medication practices
- Experience and management of continuous ambulatory delivery devices for patient control analgesia, including pain assessments, toxicity, and client education
- Provide ongoing support to palliative and terminally ill clients and their families, via psychosocial and anticipatory guidance
- Utilization of tools to monitor patient functionality, symptoms, and coping to assist with guidance of care (Palliative Performance Scale)
- Ability to prioritize client care according to level of acuity, as well as delegate and oversee client care
- Experience with client transfers, admissions, and discharges
- Provide ongoing education to clients and their caregivers regarding health promotion, risk reduction, and disease management
- Ability to collaborate and utilize an interdisciplinary care team to develop, manage, and implement client care plans
- Experience with unresponsive clients, initiation of care algorithms, including code stroke and cardiopulmonary resuscitation
- Documenting assessments and care appropriately through Powerchart (Cerner)

Registered Nurse

Maryvale Adolescent Mental Health Treatment Centre, Oct 2020 - Dec 2021

- Working independently as a team leader, and collaboratively with other health care professionals in an acute clinical environment to manage the needs of clients requiring mental health support and care
- Experience with comprehensive and focused mental health status assessments, including wound care and crisis intervention
- Providing ongoing support and management of clients experiencing suicidal ideation and attempt, homicidal ideation, overdose, mental health crisis, situational crisis, and other mental health and/or mood disorders
- Providing individual and group supportive and medical interventions, and providing input into care plans in collaboration within an interdisciplinary care team
- Continuously providing a supportive and safe environment for clients

Support Worker

Community Living Essex County, July 2014 – May 2021

- Providing direct support with individuals with intellectual and physical disabilities
- Administering medications, maintenance and care of tubes (NG, gastric, tracheostomy)
- Assistance with activities of daily living, including extensive personal care
- Ensuring health and safety of individuals supported
- Providing input into development of support plans, recording daily charting, and facilitating community involvement

References available upon request