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Registered nurse seeking to expand my knowledge and competence. I have great passion for the involvement in quality care and impacting my community. I currently provide care in a face paced specialty clinic for all ages of the lifespan. I am continually striving to exceed expectations and committed to adding value to any organization I am involved with. I am ready for new experiences and an environment that will challenge me and allow my nursing career to grow and develop.

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Work Experience

Registered Nurse

Allergy Immunology Clinic

September 2021 to Present

- Direct patient care
- Implementation of nursing process in delivery of patient care
- Nursing assessment
- Respiratory assessment
- Pulmonary function testing
- Skin prick and intradermal allergy testing
- Assess learning needs of patients and implementing appropriate teaching strategies to provide effective education for long term needs
- Obtain and utilize information and knowledge of individual patient needs to promote and achieve optimal outcomes
- Telephone triage of patients
- Assist providers with diagnostic and therapeutic procedures
- Administer medications and treatments as ordered by providers
- Initiation and implementation of emergency response measures; primarily during an anaphylactic reaction.
- Facilitate daily operations of ambulatory clinic
- Travel with physicians to remote clinic location

Mental Health Registered Nurse

Oregon State Hospital - COVID-19 Isolation Unit

October 2020 to October 2020

- Direct patient care
- Charge nurse role and duties
- Supervise staff to provide therapeutic, safe, and secure milieu
- Medication administration
- Address needs of patients with persistent and chronic mental illness and personality disorders
- Venipuncture for lab draw
- Facilitate group therapy to address wellness of patients

- Utilize excellent interpersonal skills
- Adapt to quickly changing and unusual situations
- Psychosocial assessments
- Physical assessments
- Treatment planning
- Crisis intervention
- Provide trauma informed care
- Case documentation
- Behavior assessment and documentation
- Verbal de-escalation
- Delegation of tasks to support staff
- Assess for change in patient status and effectively implement measures to ensure safety and proper treatment
- Assess patient response to medications and interventions to ensure effectiveness and patient safety
- Proper documentation of all interventions and actions of patient care throughout shift
- Shift to shift RN report
- Prioritization of patient care needs
- Implement evidence-based practice to provide best care for patients needs
- Implementation of safety measures and company protocol for staff and patients

Advanced Medical Support Assistant

VA Portland Health Care System

June 2017 to September 2020

- Provide administrative support services to Veterans, their families and representatives, and other staff.
- Provide all clerical support for the Inpatient Wards and Critical Care Units
- Processing all emergency and non-emergency transfers to other facilities or private hospitals
- Enter labs for providers as needed
- Facilitate blood transfusion orders to be carried out from ward or ICU
- Admit, discharge, and transfer patients between wards and ICU
- Respond with code team members during RRTs and Code blue situations to facilitate labs, administrative paperwork, and transfers
- Update patient chart information as needed or requested by Veterans
- Prepare patient charts and necessary paperwork for Veterans discharging
- Maintaining and promoting positive and effective communication between, hospital staff, patients and their families.

CNA (Cardiac Telemetry and Cardiothoracic Med-Surg, LTC

Portland Health Care System - Vancouver, WA

May 2012 to June 2017

- Assisting RNs with monitoring patients for change in medical status.
- Answering call lights and providing personal services to patients including but not limited to personal hygiene, feeding, assistance transferring, wound care, catheter care, ambulation, and setting up necessary medical devices per RN delegation.
- Preceptor to new staff and students.
- Help Physicians and RNs with procedural duties, specimen collection, preparing patients for surgery and obtaining CBG, EKG, or any other diagnostic tests delegated.
- Actively sought to improve unit function and cohesion through involvement with the UBC and as a UPL for different committees

· Assist in emergent situations as needed by staying until help arrives, initiating basic life support measures with interdisciplinary team, gathering supplies, taking and charting vital signs.

Throughout my clinical experiences in my RN program, I worked in a plethora of care environments including long term care, inpatient med-surg, and critical care.

I have gained a great amount of experience at the bedside with patients which includes but is not limited to: use of SBAR reporting, medication administration,

IV initiation, maintenance and discontinuation, set up and use of IV pumps and brains, head to toe assessments, recognition of cardinal signs of patient decompensation, advanced airway care of ventilators and tracheostomies, documentation of care, communicating with physicians, postoperative nursing care including orthopedics, GI/GU, cardiac and pulmonary, effective communication with support staff, admitting and discharging patients, prioritization of patient care needs, patient care plans, patient teaching, telemetry monitoring, understanding cardiac rhythms, catheter insertions, wound care, injections, tube feed, sterile technique, use of evidence based practice, enema administration, and gathering of laboratory samples such as urine, sputum, and blood. In addition to these skills,

I was a part of code blue situations where ACLS measures were implemented and I was able to gain an understanding of my role, and how to work effectively with a team in a critical situation.

Education

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Boise State University RN

Present

Associates Degree of Nursing in RN

Sumner College

March 2018 to February 2020

Associates

Clackamas Community College - Oregon City, OR

2013 to 2016

certification

Oregon Coast Community College Newport - Newport, OR

2011

Skills

- Catheter Care
- Nursing
- Crisis Intervention
- Medical Records
- EMR Systems
- Medication Administration
- Group Therapy
- Social Work
- Patient Care

- Triage
- Hospital Experience

Certifications and Licenses

RN License

CNA

BLS Certification

AHA Certification