

**Tara McKeen RN, BSN, BMT-CN**

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**PROFESSIONAL LICENSES/CERTIFICATIONS**

- **Registered Nurse**
  - Missouri License number: 2015019822 expiration: 4/30/21
- **Oncology Nursing Certification Corporation**
  - Bone Marrow Transplant Certified Nurse expiration: 12/30/2020
- **American Heart Association**
  - Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support expiration: 11/2021
  - Basic Life Support expiration: 5/2022
- **Trauma Nurse Core Course**
  - TNCC expiration: 7/2022

**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

**Saint Luke's North Hospital  
Kansas City, MO**

- **Critical Response Nurse, November 2020-present**
  - Responds to and is team leader for all Code Strokes, STEMI, Rapid Responses, and Codes
  - Assists in Cath Lab during STEMI

**Research Medical Center Medical/Surgical ICU  
Kansas City, MO**

- **Registered Nurse, February 2018-August 2021**
  - Level 1 Trauma Center, Comprehensive Stroke Center, Level 1 Stemi Center
  - Cared for variety of patient populations including strokes, traumas, cardiac patients, covid patients, and post-surgical patients
  - Able to quickly notice a change in patient condition, and work with the physician and other team members to intervene and improve patient outcome.
  - Assisted physicians in bedside procedures including but not limited too central line placements, arterial lines, chest tubes, and EVDS
  - Skilled in working with patients requiring mechanical ventilation, SWAN, CRRT, EVD, ECMO, and other invasive monitoring systems
  - Proficient in titrating variety of drips including but not limited to vasopressors, inotropes, insulin, sedation, and others

**Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital  
Saint Louis, Missouri**

- **Registered Nurse, July 2017-February 2018**
  - Level 4 NICU
  - Cared for critically ill neonatal patients and their families. Served as the primary coordinator of all disciplines for well-coordinated patient care.
  - Responsible for ventilators, oscillators, central lines, arterial lines, chest tubes, PD dialysis, multiple drips, and other invasive monitoring.

**Bone Marrow Transplant Progressive Care Unit, Siteman Cancer Center at Barnes-Jewish Hospital  
and Washington University School of Medicine  
Saint Louis, Missouri**

- **Registered Nurse, July 2015-November 2018**
  - Charge Nurse- Perform as charge nurse during 12 hour shifts; responsible for overall patient safety and overall satisfaction on floor

- Cared for both Allogeneic and Autologous stem cell and bone marrow transplant patients, blood cancer patients, blood disorder patients, and patient's experiencing graft v. host disease.
- Responsible for administration of vasopressors, chemotherapy drugs, monoclonal antibody, antibiotics, blood, bone marrow transplants, and stem cell transplants.
- Monitored CRRT, patient condition during drug trials, sepsis, and graft vs. host disease
- **Student Nurse Tech** **June 2014-February 2015**
  - Assisted nurse with patient and family education.
  - Ensured availability of supplies and equipment.
  - Implemented direct patient care under the supervision of the nurse.
  - Collected clinical data and information on patients, and documents appropriately.
  - Instructed patients in preparations for tests and procedures.
- **EDUCATION**
  - **Saint Louis University, St. Louis, MO** **May 2015**
    - Bachelor of Science in Nursing
    - Concentration in Inter-Professional Education
    - IHI Open School