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EDUCATION

Bachelor's Degree,

Nursing UT Health Science Center San Antonio 2017-2018

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Biology Trinity University 2012-2016

CERTIFICATIONS

BLS - exp. Dec 2022 ACLS - exp. Dec 2022 PALS - exp. Mar 2023 CNOR - exp. June 2025

SERVICE LINES

Orthopedics Neuro Vascular Podiatry General/Robotics GYN/Urology ENT Plastics

ORGANIZATIONS & AWARDS

AORN – Association of PeriOperative Registered Nurses Member Since 2018

ANA – American Nursing Association Member Since 2018

25 Best Nurses of South Central Texas 2019 -Nominee San Antonio Nursing Consortium

WORK EXPERIENCE

Operating Room Circulator

ORTHOPAEDIC ASSOCIATES OF CENTRAL TEXAS

SURGERY CENTER / JAN 2021 - JULY 2021

Circulating during surgeries were just a small portion of my responsibilities at this facility. As a new facility, most of my energy was spent preparing for the AAAHC accreditation survey. Projects I was involved in included:

- Policy development
- Facility operations
- Pharmacy organization and inventory management
- Equipment acquisition and maintenance

Operating Room Nurse - Orthopedic Surgery Service Line Coordinator

METHODIST HOSPITAL - STONE OAK / JULY 2018 – NOV 2020 In addition to fulfilling staff nurse duties, I coordinated the rapidly growing orthopedic surgery service line. I contributed to many projects aimed to improve our patient outcomes and patient experience.

- Directly supervised two Lead Orthopedic Scrub Techs
- Streamlined preference card updating procedures
- Supervised ordering of specialty orthopedic equipment and supplies

• Cultivated and maintained relationships with surgeons, vendors, and administration NOTABLE PROJECTS

- Implementation of Enhanced Surgical Recovery Protocols
- Development and enforcement of a 24-hr ER to OR hip fracture program
- Identified the need for specialty surgical counts for some orthopedic procedures

Event Coordinator

AUGUSTHEART / 2016 - 2017

Providing opportunities for youth to receive life-saving heart screenings at no cost, AugustHeart screens approximately 6000 youth per year for undiagnosed cardiac abnormalities.

Student Athletic Trainer

TRINITY UNIVERSITY / 2012 - 2016

This on-campus job solidified my desire to work in healthcare and deepened my love for sports medicine/orthopedics. Working with a wide variety of athletes exposed me to an array of injury types and multimodal recovery plans.

Assistant Program Director

CROSS TRAILS MINISTRIES / 2014 – 2016 This leadership role required me to supervise a staff of college-aged camp counselors. I provided organizational support to staff and served as a liaison between staff and families. This customer-facing role required me to be creative, efficient, and high-energy.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Master of Science in Nursing - Family Nurse Practitioner

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN Currently enrolled in the MSN program full-time. I will graduate in May of 2023.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Board Runner/ Charge Nurse Training

Trained by my board runner at Methodist Stone Oak Hospital, and performed Board Runner duties at Orthopedic Associates of Central Texas Surgery Center