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A skilled professional registered nurse with 4 years of clinical experience, looking to utilize extensive educational background, knowledge, and work experience to best provide care to patients.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

01/05/2021- current

North Kansas City Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri

Cardiac Telemetry

- Using electronic equipment to closely monitor patients and responding urgently to changes in patients' status.
- Maintaining the standard of care for patients with complex cardiac issues.
- Interpreting ECG strips and responding quickly to changes in rhythm.
- Managing patients pre and post cardiac procedures and surgeries such as CABG, stress test, cardioversion, angiography, etc.
- Titrating cardiac medications such as nitroglycerin, diltiazem, amiodarone, etc., and monitoring the patients closely for side effects.

05/20/2016-06/29/2018

National hospital Abuja, Nigeria

Male medical ward

- Prepared patients prior to X-ray, ultrasound, CT scan, CT angiography, MRI, echo, and other diagnostic procedures.
- Maintained continuity of care for patients by fostering the collaboration among the health care team and patient and advocating for patients to ensure effective care was delivered in a timely manner.
- Provided education and support to patients and patients' families regarding patients' disease, treatment, and care plan and discharge teachings to enhance their quality of life and promote a positive attitude.

10/23/2015-04/27/2016

University of Nigeria Teaching Hospital Enugu, Nigeria

Female medical ward

- Precepted nursing students and educated them on nursing skills including prioritization, basic patient care, health education, disease processes, and medication administration.
- Facilitated the admission process for patients by assisting patients in filling paperwork and resolving complex problems associated with bed availability, wait time and coordination among the staff.
- Provided nursing care to intercept the development of hospital acquired infection through performing wound care, turning the patient regularly.

EDUCATION & CREDENTIAL

School of Public Health, University at Albany

Master of Public Health, Health Policy and Management

Albany, New York

Graduated: August 2020

University of Nigeria Nsukka

Enugu, Nigeria

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, (BSN)

Graduated: September 2015

LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

- Registered Nurse: Missouri (No. 2020043227) compact state.
- Registered Nurse: Texas (No. 1013379)

- Registered Nurse: Nigeria; expires 2022
- Master of Public Health (MPH)
- BLS (current) expires 10/2022
- ACLS (current) expires 12/2022

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Health education and advocacy

AWARDS & NOMINATIONS

- Daisy Nurse nominee

References available upon request