KATHRYN SCANNELL

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Compassionate and dedicated Registered Nurse with six years in the medical field including clinic, and home health work as an LVN. Enthusiastic new RN graduate seeking employment to utilize learned skills. Reliable hard worker, works well under pressure, and is an excellent team player. Strong use of verbal communication skills for development of working relationships with patients and their families. Ability to handle high stress situations, and emergency situations.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Antelope Valley Medical Center

2021-Current

* Able to assess patients quickly, prioritize, and assist in minor procedures, and Performing diagnostic tests
* Monitoring patient recovery and care
* Assist in the care of traumas, cardiac arrests, strokes, and other triage situations.
* Prioritize nursing care for assigned critically ill patients based on assessment data and identified needs.
* Assist physicians with procedures such as bronchoscopy, endoscopy, endotracheal intubation, and elective cardioversion.
* Advocate for patients' and families' needs, or provide emotional support for patients and their families.
* Monitor patients for changes in status and indications of conditions such as sepsis or shock and institute appropriate interventions.
* Recognizing emergency conditions in patients and responding with proper equipment, medication or other required tools.
* Administered IV, oral, and injections of medications as directed.
* Educated family members on patient conditions in a compassionate way. Assisted with conflict resolution in tense situations.

Kaiser Permanente LVN Float Pool 2020-2021

* Assess & monitor patient’s condition
* Prepare & administer medications as directed by physician order following established protocols
* Provide medical information & education to patients
* Document pertinent patient information
* Patient assessment & nursing procedures
* Patient/Care Procedures: Explain purpose & process of examinations, tests & medical procedures to patients, following established guidelines
* Administrating COVID vaccinations
* Performing COVID diagnostic procedures
* Monitoring of patient’s vital signs
* Preparing patients for physicals and procedures
* Performs patient care within scope of practice
* COVID triaging in all departments
* Provide safe patient care, exam room set up, EKG monitoring, and vitals
* Assisted with Activities of Daily Living, assisted with Range of Motion. Explaining procedure and treatments to patients
* Monitoring vitals
* Communication skills, nurse patient relationship, team leading, efficient use of time
* Sterilization Procedures
* Provided comfort measures and palliative care, managed symptoms of end stage disease processes.
* Demonstrated ability to assist staff in emergency code situations
* Administers medications via PO, SQ, IM and IV

Home Living Health Providers LVN Home Health 2016-2019

* Care of a patient in home.
* Tracheostomy and G-Tube care
* Medication Management
* Accessing, monitoring and documenting patient progress, symptoms and vital signs on each visit.
* Educated clients and their families on the safe treatment of injuries, illnesses and conditions
* Assisted physicians with special procedures, wound care/dressing changes.
* Assist with changing briefs, showering/bed baths, bed changing and making, and linens
* Monitoring and cover insulin dependent patients, accu-checks and glucose checks, G- tube care and feedings
* Medication Administration and documentation,
* Wound and treatment care, colostomy care,
* Insertion and removal of a Foley Catheter
* LA Laser Center 2012-2014
* CPR certified, managed patient documents, patient Scheduling, billing and filing
* Assisted Doctor with a variety of back office procedures, conducting Insurance verifications, Sterilization procedures
* Assisted with MOH’S procedures.

**EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS**

Antelope Valley College- 2015-2021

ADN Registered Nursing 5/2021

Career Care Institute-2015

Vocational Nurse Program

Antelope Valley Regional Occupational Program- 2011

Nationally Certified Medical Assistant

Certifications

* *BLS Certification 6/2021*
* *IV & Blood withdrawal Certificate*
* *Tracheostomy/Ventilator and G-Tube certificate*
* *Advanced Neuro care*
* *Advanced Hemodynamics*
* *Advanced Dysrhythmias*