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|  | **EDUCATION**  Associate Degree of Nursing |**Athens Technical College**  *June 2010* | GPA: 3.47   RN-BSN |University of Alabama at Huntsville  *April 2020 |* GPA: 4.0  PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION & AWARDS   * **BSN Completion with Presidents’ List recognition and Academic Excellence Award** * Rookie of the Year, 2017, LifeLink Foundation * Certified Procurement Transplant Coordinator (CPTC)-Pending re-certification * Basic Life Support (BLS) * Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) * Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)     Clinical nursing Skills   * Initiation and maintenance of arterial line monitoring, CVP monitoring, PA catheter interpretation * Continuous renal replacement therapy * Balloon pump monitoring with appropriate intervention * Mechanical ventilation maintenance and needs interpretation * Maintenance and interpretation of pulmonary artery catheter readings * Titration knowledge of critical drips * Intra-abdominal monitoring and line maintenance * EKG interpretation * Intra cranial pressure monitoring/EVD care and maintenance * Level one fluid transfusions for the critically ill/trauma patient * Hypothermia protocol initiation and maintenance * Wound Vacuum initiation and maintenance of closed systems (various)   **Relevant Experience**  Registered Nurse, ICU Travel Nurse | **CHS Mercy Buffalo** *February 2022- Current*   * Assessment, implementation and coordination of complex care and interventions within the general medical/surgical intensive and CVICU care areas. * Preceptorship for new grad/new Traveling RNs. * Provide wellness management for patients with diverse socio-economic backgrounds, mental states, physiological conditions and ages to remedy immediate critical status and provide for long-term wellness.     Registered Nurse, ICU Travel Nurse | **San Joaquin General** *August 2021- January 2021*   * Assessment, implementation and coordination of complex care and interventions within the general medical/surgical intensive care areas. * Preceptorship for new grad/new Traveling RNs. * Provide wellness management for patients with diverse socio-economic backgrounds, mental states, physiological conditions and ages to remedy immediate critical status and provide for long-term wellness.     Registered Nurse, ICU Travel Nurse | **Sutter Health-Burlingame** *June 2021- August 2021*   * Assessment, implementation and coordination of complex care and interventions within the general medical/surgical intensive care areas. * Preceptorship for new grad/new Traveling RNs. * Provide wellness management for patients with diverse socio-economic backgrounds, mental states, physiological conditions and ages to remedy immediate critical status and provide for long-term wellness.   Registered Nurse, ICU Travel Nurse | **San Joaquin General** *July 2020- February 2021*   * Assessment, implementation and coordination of complex care and interventions within the general medical/surgical intensive care areas. * Preceptorship for new grad/new Traveling RNs. * Provide wellness management for patients with diverse socio-economic backgrounds, mental states, physiological conditions and ages to remedy immediate critical status and provide for long-term wellness.   Registered Nurse, Emergency Care Center | **Grady Memorial Hospital** *January 2020- July 2020*   * Supervise and direct nursing plan of care in of the patient utilizing the Emergency Care department to include CVA, STEMI/NSTEMI, Sepsis alerts, DKA, ICU holds, trauma patients, etc. * Maintain appropriate charting standards/practices to meet facility practices/protocols, ensuring proper patient care. * Preceptorship for incoming/new graduate RN’s.   Registered Nurse, Vascular Coordinator II | **LifeLink of Georgia** *June 2016- January 2020*   * Supervise and direct nursing plan of care in the donor management, organ placement and organ recovery period * Ensure that all UNOS (United Network for Organ Sharing) polices are adhered to accepted during the organ recovery period * Maintain charting practices of donor management goals, transplant offers and acceptance along with any additional pertinent donor information * Preceptorship for incoming transplant coordinators/RNs. * Responsible for the hospital community engagement and educational program to include regular presentation, trainings and in-services throughout the state of Georgia.   Registered Nurse, Trauma/Intensive Care Unit| **Atlanta Medical Center** *January 2015- June 2016*   * Assessment, implementation and coordination of complex care and interventions within the surgical intensive care area, vascular intensive care area and cardiac intensive care areas all within a level one trauma accredited center. * Collaboration with physicians, administrative staff, social work case managers, physical and occupational therapists, dieticians, respiratory therapists, laboratory testing staff and radiology technicians on a daily basis. * Provide wellness management for patients with diverse socio-economic backgrounds, mental states, physiological conditions and ages to remedy immediate critical status and provide for long-term wellness. * Preceptorship for new graduate and new hire RNs.   Registered Nurse, Intensive Care Unit/Cardiac Intensive Care| **Central Mississippi Medical Center** *March 2013- December 2014*   * Assessment, implementation and coordination of complex care and interventions within cardiovascular intensive care, intensive care and burn intensive care areas within a level two trauma accredited center. * Regularly served as unit charge nurse providing supervision and support for unit staff. * Preceptorship for new graduate and new hire RNs.   Registered Nurse, Medical-Surgical Unit| **Northeast Georgia Medical Center** *August 2011- December 2012*   * Primarily responsible for the admission data base, ongoing assessment, discharge planning, teaching, and evaluation of the nursing care plan for medical-surgical patients. * Patient assessment, education and evaluation of safety checklists prior to surgical intervention. * Provide direct supervision to the other members of the nursing team, prescribe and delegate nursing care to be provided to patients.   Registered Nurse, Main Operating Room | **Athens Regional Medical Center** *August 2010- August 2011*   * Supervise and direct nursing plan of care in an operating room environment * Ensure that proper techniques are used according to accepted AORN standards * Patient assessment, education and evaluation of safety checklists prior to surgical intervention * Maintain record of patient safety and surgical intervention * Skillful preparation of laparoscopic procedures * Successful circulating rotations through major services to include orthopedics, neurosurgery, general, gynecological, urology/cystoscopy and plastics |