

Brenda Sierra

Travel ICU/CVICU RN

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No outpatient positions

No full time staff positions

Only travel positions

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Travel Nurse

Greenstaff Medical - Amarillo, TX

September 2022 to October 2022

Travel Nurse

Greenstaff Medical - Tulsa, OK

March 2022 to August 2022

Travel CVICU RN

Travel RN ICU

Greenstaff Medical - Tucson, AZ

October 2021 to February 2022

Travel RN CVICU @ Tucson Medical Center

Travel RN ICU

Alliant Staffing - Midlothian, TX

July 2021 to October 2021

Travel ICU RN for COVID crisis @ Methodist Midlothian Medical Center

Cardiothoracic ICU & Transplant

Baylor Scott & White Health - Dallas, TX

April 2021 to July 2021

Cardiac ICU RN

Texas Presbyterian Hospital - Dallas, TX

May 2020 to April 2021

8200 Walnut Hill Ln, Dallas, TX 75231 (214) 345-6789 4/01/21

Serves as a Cardiac/Surgical ICU taking care of high complexity cases such as open heart surgery with hemodynamic monitoring, aortic/mitral valve replacement, Type A and Type B dissections, utilization of Impella device, CRRT (prismaflex) and IABP therapy, whipple procedures.

CVICU RN PER DIEM (HealthTrust Workforce Solutions)

Good Samaritan Hospital - San Jose, CA

June 2019 to May 2020

2425 Samaritan Dr, San Jose, CA 95124 (408) 559-2011

Serves as an ICU surgical trauma RN ICU in a 12 bed unit dedicated for the care of stroke patients, hemorrhagic or ischemic, management of acute medical diagnosis such as sepsis, chronic heart failure, COPD.

Surgical Trauma Intensive Care Unit RN (Per Diem HealthTrust Workforce Solutions)

Regional Medical Center San Jose - San Jose, CA

May 2019 to May 2020

225 N Jackson Ave, San Jose, CA 95116 (408) 259-5000

Serves as an ICU trauma RN in a level II Trauma Center; 48 bed ICU divided in four wings. Experience in the care of trauma related injuries mostly motor vehicle accidents such as fractures to traumatic brain injuries.

Travel RN Surgical Trauma ICU

Stanford University Hospital - Palo Alto, CA

January 2020 to March 2020

500 Pasteur Dr, Stanford, CA 94305 (650) 723-4000

Serves as an ICU surgical trauma RN in a level I Trauma Center; 24 bed ICU . Experience in the care of trauma related injuries mostly motor vehicle accidents such as fractures to traumatic brain injuries, managing craniotomies with EVDs and paramedic monitor to measure brain tissue oxygenation, Artic Sun, managing ventilator with several different settings, titration of vasopressors, sedation, epidurals. Float to CVICU, Heart and Lung transplant ICU, and Medical Oncology and Neuro ICU.

Travel RN ICU

Kaiser Permanente - Fremont, CA

September 2019 to December 2019

39400 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont, CA 94538 (510) 248-3000

Serves as an ICU RN in a 10 bed unit monitoring of hemodynamics; titration of vasoactive medications according to hemodynamic readings. Management of type 1 DM diabetic ketoacidosis along with drug abuse problem

Travel Registered Nurse ICU

San Mateo Medical Center - San Mateo, CA

June 2019 to September 2019

222 W 39th Ave, San Mateo, CA 94403 (650) 573-2222

Serves as Intensive Care Unit RN in 8 bed unit, monitoring of hemodynamics; titration of vasoactive medications according to hemodynamic readings

Travel Registered Nurse PACU

Stanford University Hospital - Palo Alto, CA

February 2019 to May 2019

300 Pasteur Dr, Stanford, CA 94305 (650) 723-4000

Managed care for post-operative patients through discharge or transfer to appropriate floor. Pain management (Epidurals, self anesthesia pumps) airway protection management, post op orthopedic, neuro, thoracic and abdominal surgical patients mainly.

Intensive Care Unit Registered Nurse (Per Diem HealthTrust Workforce Solutions)

Medical City Dallas - Dallas, TX
October 2018 to February 2019

- Surgical ICU

Admission and management of immediate post op GI, and vascular surgery mainly

- Cardiovascular ICU

Admission and management of cardiac diagnosis patients such as congestive heart failure, arrhythmias, heart valve disease, cardiomyopathy.

Intensive Care Unit Registered Nurse

Baylor All Saints Medical Center at Fort Worth - Fort Worth, TX
February 2018 to February 2019

1400 8th Ave, Fort Worth, TX 76104 February 2018- February 2019

- * Utilized strong assessment skills to determine necessary patient care
- * Monitoring of hemodynamics; titration of vasoactive medications according to hemodynamic readings
- * Admission and management of patients from radical head and neck surgery with flap reconstructions to the ICU in the immediate post-op period, including leech therapy
- * Acute MI, CHF, ARDS, COPD, Pulmonary edema, HNT crisis, AKI, Liver failure, DM management, GI bleed, GI surgery, sepsis, hemodynamic monitoring, tracheostomy care

Intensive Care Unit Registered Nurse

Baylor Garland Medical Center - Garland, TX
June 2017 to February 2018

Completed graduate nurse residency training

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- * Acute MI, CHF, ARDS, COPD, Pulmonary edema, HNT crisis, AKI, Liver failure, DM management, GI bleed, GI surgery, sepsis, hemodynamic monitoring, tracheostomy care

Patient Care Technician (PRN)

UT Southwestern Medical Center - Dallas, TX
June 2016 to June 2017

6201 Harry Hines Blvd, Dallas, TX 75390 June 2016- June 2017

I worked in the prep and recovery area, Day surgery and PACU, under the supervision of RNs; assisting in taking vital signs, EKGs and basic patient care

Education

Associate's Degree in Registered Nursing

Navarro College

2013 to 2017

High school or equivalent

Waxahachie High School

Nursing Licenses

RN

Certifications and Licenses

ACLS Certification

BLS Certification

CPR Certification

Additional Information

Skill Highlights

- Critical Care * Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy (CRRT)
- Hemodynamic Monitoring * Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery Recovery
- Sepsis Core Measures and Protocols * Leech Therapy
- Vasoactive Medication * Cardiac Monitoring
- Cardiac Rhythm Management * Spanish (Native)
- Stroke protocols and management * Trauma injuries.