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**Experience:**

11/21 to present ADN Healthcare Travel Nurse  
Sanford Medical Center Fargo, ND

**Full Time RN: ICU, NICU, Pediatrics**

**Continuing Education Instructor**

- Administered critical care to sick and injured persons in hospital setting.
- Assessed nature and extent of illness or injury
- Monitored cardiac patient, using electrocardiograph.
- 12 lead EKG
- Initiate IV and draw labs
- Obtained and recorded vital signs.
- I-stat and CBG monitoring
- Use of defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient
- Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Administer injections/ drip of medications and drugs, including vasoactive medications to unstable patients
- Ventilator care/ maintenance for intubated and tracheostomy patients
- Chest tube maintenance
- Hypothermia Protocol for post cardiac arrest patients
- Assist with arterial line and central line placement and maintenance
- Care for CRRT patients

12/19 to 11/21 Medical Center Hospital Odessa, TX

**Full Time RN: ICU, NICU, Pediatrics**

**Continuing Education Instructor**

- Administered critical care to sick and injured persons in hospital setting.
- Assessed nature and extent of illness or injury
- Monitored cardiac patient, using electrocardiograph.
- 12 lead EKG
- Initiate IV and draw labs, including EJ's and Scalp Veins
- Obtained and recorded vital signs.
- I-stat and CBG monitoring

- Use of defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient
- Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Administer injections/ drip of medications and drugs, including vasoactive medications to unstable patients
- Ventilator care/ maintenance for intubated and tracheostomy patients
- Chest tube maintenance
- Hypothermia Protocol for post cardiac arrest patients and neonates with HIE
- Needle Aspiration of Tension Pneumothorax in Neonates
- Care of preterm and term neonates
- Attend deliveries of neonates for assessment and resuscitation
- Member of Rapid Response Team
- Assist with arterial line and central line placement and maintenance
- AHA, TNCC, EKG course instruction

5/17-12/19

Medical Center Hospital

Odessa, TX

**Paramedic, ER**

**Continuing Education Instructor**

- Administered life support care to sick and injured persons in hospital setting.
- Assessed nature and extent of illness or injury
- Monitored cardiac patient, using electrocardiograph.
- 12 lead EKG
- Initiate IV and draw labs, including EJ's
- Assist with triage of sick and injured patients.
- Obtained and recorded vital signs.
- I-stat and CBG monitoring

07/16- 12/17

Martin County EMS

Stanton, TX

**Paramedic/ Critical Care Paramedic**

- Administer life support care to sick and injured persons in prehospital settings.
- Use of defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient
- Monitor cardiac patients, using electrocardiograph.
- Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Perform endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administer injections of medications and drugs
- Patient Assessment and record vital signs

- Assist in extricating trapped victims.
- Transport sick and injured persons to treatment center.
- Preceptor for EMT and Paramedic Students on clinical rotations prior to state licensure
- Critical Care Transfers including ventilator care/ maintenance
- Needle decompression of tension pneumothorax and emergency cricothyroidotomy

08/14 to present Odessa College

Odessa TX

**Adjunct EMT/Paramedic Instructor**

Instruction in ACLS, AMLS, PALS, BLS, PHTLS, EMT initial courses as well as bridge courses, Paramedic and EMT initial courses as well as refresher courses. Functioned as instructor for Continuing Education and College Credit Courses.

08/14- 02/17

Air Methods/ Native Air of Texas/New Mexico Odessa, Tx/ Hobbs, NM

**Flight Paramedic**

- Administer life support care to sick and injured persons in fixed and rotor wing settings.
- Use of defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient
- Monitor cardiac patients, using electrocardiograph.
- Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Perform endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administer injections/ drip of medications and drugs
- Patient Assessment and record vital signs
- Assist in extricating trapped victims.
- Transport sick and injured persons to treatment center.
- Critical Care Transfers including ventilator care/ maintenance
- Needle decompression of tension pneumothorax and emergency cricothyroidotomy
- Chest tube insertion and maintenance
- Escharotomy of chest wall for circumferential burns

03/14- 07/14

Rural Metro Loudon County EMS

Lenior City, TN

**Paramedic/ Critical Care Paramedic**

- Administer life support care to sick and injured persons in prehospital settings.
- Use of defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient
- Monitor cardiac patients, using electrocardiograph.

- Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Perform endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administer injections of medications and drugs
- Patient Assessment and record vital signs
- Assist in extricating trapped victims.
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- Critical Care Transfers including ventilator care/ maintenance
- Needle decompression of tension pneumothorax and emergency cricothyroidotomy

07/06- 12/10  
05/12- 03/14

Anderson County EMS

Clinton, TN

**Paramedic**

- Administer life support care to sick and injured persons in prehospital settings.
- Use of defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient
- Monitor cardiac patients, using electrocardiograph.
- Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Perform endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administer injections of medications and drugs
- Patient Assessment and record vital signs
- Assist in extricating trapped victims.
- Transport sick and injured persons to treatment center.
- Preceptor for EMT and Paramedic Students on clinical rotations prior to state licensure
- Needle decompression of tension pneumothorax and emergency cricothyroidotomy

10/10-01/14

Union County EMS

Maynardville, TN

**Paramedic**

- Administer life support care to sick and injured persons in prehospital settings.
- Use of defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient
- Monitor cardiac patients, using electrocardiograph.

- Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Perform endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administer injections of medications and drugs
- Patient Assessment and record vital signs
- Assist in extricating trapped victims.
- Transport sick and injured persons to treatment center.
- Preceptor for EMT and Paramedic Students on clinical rotations prior to state licensure
- Needle decompression of tension pneumothorax and emergency cricothyroidotomy

08/06- 08/07 04/11- 07/14	Roane State Community College	Knoxville TN
	<b>Adjunct EMT/Paramedic Instructor</b>	
	Instruction in ACLS, AMLS, PALS, BLS, PHTLS, EMT initial courses as well as bridge courses, Paramedic initial courses as well as refresher courses. Assisted in the instruction of material and hands on skills of the Emergency Medical Technician Class. Functioned as instructor for Continuing Education and College Credit Courses.	
05/09- 10/10	Covenant Rapid Access Center/ Clinton Family Physicians Clinton, TN	
	<b>Paramedic</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Phlebotomy</li> <li>• Assisted in transfer of patients from regional tertiary medical facilities to Covenant Medical facilities</li> <li>• 12 lead EKG</li> <li>• Initiate intravenous fluids to administer medication and to replace fluids lacking in body per doctor's request.</li> <li>• Administer oxygen and nebulizer treatments to patients</li> <li>• Administer injections of medications</li> <li>• Patient Assessment and record vital signs</li> <li>• Assisted with minor surgical procedures</li> <li>• Spirometry</li> <li>• Splinting and bandaging of injuries and wounds</li> <li>• Radiography</li> </ul>	
08/06- 07/09	Cleveland State Community College	Cleveland TN
	<b>EMT Instructor- Full Time</b>	
	Instruction of material and hands on skills of Emergency Medical Technician Class	
06/05- 12/06	Rural Metro EMS, Knoxville	Knoxville, TN

**Paramedic**

- Administered life support care to sick and injured persons in pre-hospital setting.
- Assessed nature and extent of illness or injury
- Established and prioritized medical procedures and need for additional assistance.
- Used defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, nonbreathing patient.
- Monitored cardiac patient, using electrocardiograph.
- Initiated intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Performed endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administered injections of medications and drugs.
- Administered initial treatment at emergency scene.
- Took and recorded vital signs.
- Assisted in extricating trapped victims.
- Needle decompression of tension pneumothorax and emergency cricothyroidotomy

02/06- 10/06

University of Tennessee Medical Center

Knoxville, TN

**Paramedic, ER and Heart/ Stroke Center**

- Administered life support care to sick and injured persons in hospital setting.
- Assessed nature and extent of illness or injury
- Monitored cardiac patient, using electrocardiograph.
- Initiated intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Performed endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administered injections of medications and drugs.
- Took and recorded vital signs.

10/03- 06/05

Grainger County EMS

Rutledge TN

**Paramedic**

- Administered life support care to sick and injured persons in prehospital setting.
- Assessed nature and extent of illness or injury
- Established and prioritized medical procedures and need for additional assistance.
- Used defibrillator to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, nonbreathing patient.
- Monitored cardiac patient, using electrocardiograph.

- Initiated intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Performed endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administered injections of medications and drugs.
- Administered initial treatment at emergency scene.
- Took and recorded vital signs.
- Assisted in extricating trapped victims.
- Transported sick and injured persons to treatment center
- Needle decompression of tension pneumothorax and emergency cricothyroidotomy

01/01- 06/04      Jefferson County EMS      Dandridge TN

**EMT- IV Technician**

- Assisted with administration of life support care to sick and injured persons in prehospital setting.
- Initiated intravenous fluids to administer limited medications and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Administered injections of limited medications and drugs.
- Administered initial treatment at emergency scene.
- Took and recorded vital signs.
- Assisted in extricating trapped victims.
- Transported sick and injured persons to treatment center.

10/02- 03/04      Jefferson Memorial Hospital      Jefferson City TN

**ED Technician**

- Administered life support care to sick and injured persons in hospital setting.
- Phlebotomy
- Computerized ordering of lab and radiology testing of patients per doctor orders
- Assisted nursing staff with patient care

10/01- 10/02      Lab Core- UT Medical Center      Knoxville TN

**Phlebotomist**

- Venipuncture
- Collection of arterial, venous, and capillary blood gases of neonates, pediatrics, and adults.

02/01- 09/01      Quality Care EMS- Cocke County      Newport, TN

**EMT-IV Technician**

- Assisted with administration of life support care to sick and injured persons in prehospital setting.

- Initiated intravenous fluids to administer limited medications and to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Administered injections of limited medications and drugs.
- Administered initial treatment at emergency scene.
- Took and recorded vital signs.
- Assisted in extricating trapped victims.
- Transported sick and injured persons to treatment center.

<b>Education:</b>	Roane State Community College <b>Associate of Applied Science of General Technology- Paramedic</b>	Knoxville TN 2004
	Odessa College <b>Associates Degree in Nursing</b>	Odessa TX 2019

**Additional Training:**

- Texas RN License
- Texas Paramedic/ EMS Instructor License
- AHA ACLS, PALS, and BLS Instructor
- TNCC Instructor
- NREMT-P
- NRP and Stable Provider
- NIHSS