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### Skills

- Clear Patient Communication
- Taking Vitals
- Patient Care
- Intake and Discharge
- Patient Discharging
- Accurate Documentation
- Family and Patient Support
- IV and Venipuncture Certified
- Medical Procedure Preparation
- Patient Education and Counseling
- IV Drug Therapy Management
- Gastrostomy Tube Care
- Patient Monitoring
- SBAR Communication
- Seizure Management
- Decision Making
- Monitoring Vital Signs
- Patient Care Assessment
- Equipment Sterilization
- Documenting Vitals
- Compassionate and Caring
- Flow Sheet Charting
- Medication Administration
- Blood Draw and Sample Collection
- Psychiatric and Mental Health Care
- Diligence

### Education And Training

*05/2015*

**Associate of Science:**

Nursing

**Heartland Community College**

Normal, IL

Felicia Gaines

### Summary

Organized and knowledgeable Registered Nurse with seven years' experience in treating and caring for patients. Successful in providing fast and accurate assessments and working calmly under pressure. Recognized for collaborating well with doctors to maintain top-notch healthcare practices.

### Experience

#### **OSF St. Joseph Medical Center - Registered Nurse**

*Bloomington, IL*

*09/2008 - Current*

- Maintained thorough, accurate and confidential documentation in electronic medical records.
- Performed blood and blood product transfusions and intravenous infusions to address patient symptoms or underlying causes.
- Administered medications, tracked dosages, and documented patient conditions.
- Treated patients using pharmacological and non-pharmacological treatment modalities to address various disorders, diseases, and injuries.
- Oversaw patient admission and discharge processes to coordinate related paperwork.
- Monitored and managed various treatment and care interventions.
- Updated physicians on patient test results and assisted in developing care plans.
- Counseled patients and caregivers, providing emotional, psychological, and spiritual support.
- Supervised nurse administration of oral, intramuscular and IV medications to patients as prescribed, monitoring responses for adverse reactions.
- Participated in bedside reporting and handoff at change of shift and for patient transfers.
- Updated charts throughout shifts with current, accurate information to maintain strict recordkeeping standards.
- Assessed and prepared patients for procedures, performing initial and ongoing patient assessments.
- Functioned as patient advocate and implemented total patient care through team nursing process.
- Collected lab specimens, ordering, and interpreting diagnostic tests and lab results.

BLS Certified  
NIHSS Certified

- Assessed patient needs, prioritized treatment, maintained patient flows and assisted physicians with non-invasive procedures.
- Collaborated with doctors to plan post-treatment home care and prevent return hospitalization.
- Assisted patients with healing and recovery after surgery by closely monitoring and caring for wounds, answering questions, and educating about continued care strategies.
- Documented nursing intervention and patient and family responses accurately and in compliance with hospital policies.
- Advocated for patients by supporting and respecting basic rights, values, and beliefs.
- Prioritized nursing tasks and assignments and accurately reported patient status.
- Monitored and recorded patient condition, vital signs, recovery progress and medication side effects.
- Trained and mentored new RNs on best practices, hospital policies and standards of care.

### **Decatur Memorial Hospital - Registered Nurse**

*Decatur, IL*

*11/2021 - 04/2022*

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### **IU Health West Hospital - Registered Nurse**

*Avon, IN*

*08/2021 - 10/2021*

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**Chestnut Health Systems - Registered Nurse**

*Bloomington, Illinois*

*03/2019 - 09/2021*

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**Heritage Healthcare - Registered Nurse**

*Normal, IL*

*Jun - 07/2019*

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