# Objectives

To become part of a collaborative team in order to provide excellent patient care.

# Experience

## Wilshire Hospice, San Luis Obispo, CA February, 2022 to Present

* Facilitated meetings with patients and families who were referred to Hospice. Through therapeutic communication I determined if patient was hospice appropriate and if the goals of care were in alignment with hospice philosophy.
* Through medical history, assessment and collaboration created plans of care that would best support the patient's medical, psychosocial and familial concerns.
* Educated patients and families about hospice philosophy, symptom management, medications, wound care, safety, and symptoms/events that should be reported.
* Required to have knowledge of many different disease processes, symptom management and medications.

## Dignity Health, Arroyo Grande, CA November 2019 to December 2021

* Provided high quality nursing care in accordance with Dignity Health policies and procedures.
* Proficient in tasks necessary to care for patients on the Medical Surgical/Telemetry floor.
* Educated patients on various medical conditions, medications, side effects and contraindications.
* Became proficient managing several different patients, different acuities, impairments and symptoms. Able to prioritize my time and organize my day based on each patient's needs, medications, procedures or tests planned.
* Worked as part of a team to provide the best patient care possible. Collaborated with different disciplines to improve efficiency and improve a patient's care and overall experience.
* Advocated for my patients if their needs were not being met or if there were communication issues between them and the providers.

## Dignity Health, Arroyo Grande, CA May 2019 to November 2019

## Started in the ED as a new grad. Learned the core skills necessary to work in the ED by going through the new nurse orientation program.

## Transferred to the MST floor as it seemed to be a better fit for me. One of my biggest strengths is in relationship building with my patients, I found that in the ED the patient/nurse relationship was more transactional than anything.

# Education

## Cuesta College, San Luis Obispo, CA 2019

Associate of Arts in Nursing, 3.6 GPA.

## California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, CA 1994

Bachelor of Science in Industrial Technology, Minor in Medical Packaging.

**References available upon request**