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SUMMARY

Caring, compassionate, self-motivated, and detailed oriented Registered Nurse (RN) seeking opportunity to expand my knowledge and personal growth while providing exceptional patient care, education and advocacy. Able to perform proficiently in a high stress environment, works well with a team as well as independently.

Certifications and Skills

- Registered Nurse: South Carolina Board of Nursing, License: #248256
- ALS
- BLS
- NIH
- Peritoneal Dialysis Certified
- Delegation and leadership
- Family and patient support
- Communication and listening
- Wound Care Audits Champion
- Cerner/Meditech
- Microsoft Office
- Documenting
- Pyxis
- Artic Sun
- Arterial Line
- Infection Control

- Critical Thinking
- Assessments
- Organization
- Time management/ prioritization
- Maintaining Patients Charts
- Blood Glucose Testing
- Medication Administration
- Phlebotomy
- Catheterizations
- Bedside Monitoring
- Wound Care
- Wound Irrigations
- Pain Management
- Ventilator Care
- Tracheostomy Care
- Manage and Titrate Drips

Education

Associates Degree of Nursing (ADN)

- Registered Nurse (RN) Program at East Coast Polytechnic Institute (ECPI)
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Program at East Coast Polytechnic Institute (ECPI)
- MSN Leadership and Management (enrolled) at Western Governor's University (WGU)

Work Experience

Summerville Medical Center

October 13, 2021- Current

- Evaluates assigned patients and plans, implements and documents nursing care.
- Assists physicians during examinations and procedures.
- Performs various patient tests and administers medications within the scope of practice of the registered nurse.
- Promotes patients' independence by establishing patient care goals and teaching patients and families to understand conditions, medications, and self-care skills.
- Manages IV medication and drip titration
- Closely monitors and evaluates patients' vitals
- Assesses and assists patients with diverse range and comorbid chronic diagnoses, including chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), asthma, congestive heart failure (CHF), cerebrovascular accidents (CVA), diabetes, and sepsis.
- Communicates changes in patient with care team to provide high quality care.
- Works closely with multidisciplinary team during rounds to ensure high quality care
- Stabilizes patients and coordinates care to deescalate patient's care to appropriate units.
- Manages life sustaining machines
- Organizes and delegates tasks during rapid response and high-pressure code situations.
- Assesses unit patients continuously from admission to discharge.

Roper Saint Francis Hospital

February 18, 2018 – October 2021

- 22 bed medical surgical nephrology unit responsible for high-risk dialysis patient's acute medical care.
- Responsible for inpatient peritoneal dialysis, providing on going monitoring, education, training, and support.
- Evaluated assigned patients and plans, implemented and documented nursing care.
- New start dialysis education
- Assisted physicians during examinations and procedures.
- Performed various patient tests and administered medications within the scope of practice of the registered nurse.
- Promoted patients' independence by establishing patient care goals and teaching patients and families to understand conditions, medications, and self-care skills.
- Prioritized and delegated duties to patient care technicians to ensure quality care for patients.
- Discharge planning and education for patients
- Charge nurse responsible for managing unit's admissions assignments, assist and lend support to teammates, de-escalation patient situations, when necessary, ensure equipment like crash cart, peritoneal dialysis warmer and patient refrigerator are working appropriately. Manage and care for any peritoneal dialysis for patients off the unit.
- Wound care audits, ensured proper charting and assessment is being done on the floor. This includes proper nutrition, turning, and application of wound prevention is being used.

- Shadow shifts in SICU: Volunteered time in the ICU to learn about critical care, techniques, and ICU procedures.
- Worked additional shifts to cover my unit and aid in additional coverage for the covid crisis to alleviate staffing shortage and provide excellent and compassionate care to patients.

Low Country Harley-Davidson

August 2016 – May 2017

- Worked with assigned clients to understand their event needs to ensure successful event execution.
- Business communication via email, by phone, and in person with clients as well as internal and external stakeholder
- Communicating and managing site and space capabilities and opportunities
- Recommending, selling, and securing event enhancements
- Setting clear expectations to ensure a successful event
- Coordinating events operational execution.
- Developing event schedules to include planning and execution of pre and post event load-in and load-out
- Scheduling and greeting clients and vendors upon arrival with pre-event coordination
- Setting up and operating site-provided audio-visual and other event equipment and supplies
- Provide scheduling support by booking rooms, updating event worksheets, files, schedules, and entering them into event software system (ReServe)
- Work closely with internal event sales, banquet operations, facilities, security, housekeeping, and external vendors to ensure each event gets the appropriate support
- Update and maintain sales website and photographs
- Coordinate large scale media advertisement and news coverage

Volunteer Work

Harvest Free Medical Center: 2019- 2021

- RN for Patient Admissions
- Immunizations
- Patient Education
- Assessments

Green Knights MMC Chapter 37- 2013-2018

- Chapter secretary
- Fishing with the Vets- Cared for veterans of the victory house with a day out fishing and lunch to enhance mental wellbeing and comradery.
- Operation Military Child- Raised donations to provide military children with journalism camp opportunities and helps families of deployed members.
- Hogfest- Raised donations for the MUSC Shawn Jenkins Children's Hospital.
- Operation Care- Collected gift donations to provide local law enforcement with care packages.
- Funeral Services- Provide escort and flag line to families of fallen heroes.
- Cancer Sucks- Raised donations to assist families with the cost of medical care and supplies for their children's treatment.