# Tamara Neumann

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Professionally trained RN with experience ensuring high standards of culturally competent care for a wide variety of patients with diverse needs. Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

## **Registered Nurse Charge**

Harrisburg Medical Center - Harrisburg, IL June 2020 to Present

Assess patients and provide medications, treatments, and provide patient and family education related to pre and post operative information, medication education, diagnosis and any other related questions the patient or family may have on a daily basis. Admissions and discharges. Work closely with physicians and other disciplines. Certified to assess neuro patients using NIH stroke scale. ACLS and PALS certified. Electronic medical charting.. Supervising four to six cna and/or LPNs a shift as well as being charge nurse for the last 24 months. Patients ranged from pediatric to adult.

## **Registered Nurse**

Heartland Regional Medical Center - Marion, IL March 2017 to May 2020

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#### **Home Health Nurse**

Addus HealthCare, Inc - Marion, IL January 2017 to December 2017

Temporary admissions nurse. Assess and admit patients to home health. Obtain orders from attending physician. participate in plan of care meetings with all other disciplines. patient and family education provided at each home visit.

# **Registered Nurse-Neuro Critical Care**

Deaconess Hospital - Evansville, IN September 2015 to December 2016

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NIH stroke scale. Electronic medical charting.. Supervising four to six cna and/or LPNs a shift as well as occasionally being charge nurse for approximately 8 months. If census happened to be low, I would float to tele or step down unit.

### **RN-psych nurse**

Deaconess Hospital - Evansville, IN June 2016 to November 2016

Worked 13 week contract x 2 as a psych nurse. Administered medications, routine and prn. Completed daily interviews with residents and daily assessments. CIWA scale done as necessary. Electronic medical charting. Worked closely with social worker and activity therapist as well as psychiatrist and medical physician.

## **RN- Surgical Nurse**

TERRENCE Hall MD - Hall, MD December 2000 to August 2015

Assessed need for, ordered, obtained and interpreted appropriate lab tests. Chronic patient care in med-surf unit, adeptly handling all aspects of treatment from medication to wound care. Self-directed with astute judgment skills. High level of personal accountability. Effective counseling in health maintenance and disease management. Managed care for post-operative patients through discharge. Performed lab tests and communicated results. Liaised between patients and physicians to ensure patient comprehension of treatment plans. Instructed patients and family members on proper discharge care. Developed patient care plans, including assessments, evaluations and nursing diagnoses. Documented patient information obtained from interviews. Assisted doctors with surgeries and non-invasive procedures. Authorized drug refills and provided detailed prescription information to pharmacies. Collected blood, tissue and other laboratory specimens and prepared them for lab testing. Maintained all confidential personnel files, license and CPR compliance records. Performed monthly inventory and maintained office and medical supply counts. Routinely retracted patient throat cultures and prepared for lab submission.

Scheduled patient admissions and discharges. If Dr Hall was out of office would work med/surg or telemetry as well as step down unit. While working with this physician we saw patients at several different hospitals that he contracted with: Marshall Browning Hospital, Hamilton Memorial and

Franklin Hospital as well as Cross Roads Community Hospital. Assisted with all surgical procedures in office and in the operating room.

# LPN

LSW - Evansville, IN February 1989 to December 2000

Liaised between patients and physicians to ensure patient comprehension of treatment plans.

Instructed patients and family members on proper discharge care.

Closely monitored acute conditions.

Documented patient information obtained from interviews.

Assisted patients with daily functions.

Monitored fluid intake and output levels.

Measured urine and delivered specimens to lab.

Provided all daily living tasks to enhance quality of life for elderly patients.

Assisted residents with bathing, dressing, feeding, lifting and transferring. Floated between pediatrics and medical/surgical as well as telemetry.

#### **Registered Nurse**

LSW - Galatia, IL August 1995 to May 1999

Functioned as a school nurse, kept up to date medical records and immunizations on file for all students. Administered medications to students that were on routine medications and had letters from their physicians that it was required. Administered first aid when needed.

## **Hospice Nurse Case Manager**

LSW - Harrisburg, IL March 1994 to December 1996

Assessed and monitored patient and families needs. Assisted with appointments and referrals. Participated in weekly care plan conferences with other tea. members. Kept up to date charting.

## LPN/Pharmacy Technician

Prison Health Services - Vienna, IL November 1987 to December 1989

Provide nursing services in a clinical setting to incarcerated inmates. Assist NP or physician with any and all procedures. Obtain chief complaints, review most up to date medical history and medications. Count medications and submit daily orders for prescriptions needing filled.

Education

# Associate of Science in NURSING

REND LAKE COLLEGE - Ina, IL 2013

# **Bachelor of Science in SOCIAL WORk and CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

SOUTHEASTERN ILLINOIS COLLEGE - Harrisburg, IL 1994

# **Associate of Science in GENERAL**

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY - Carbondale, IL 1988

#### **Nursing Licenses**

SOUTHEASTERN ILLINOIS COLLEGE - Harrisburg, IL 1986

# Skills

- Social Work
- Nursing
- Medication Administration
- Case Management

Certifications and Licenses

RN Expires: May 2020 State: IL NIH Stroke Scale December 2015 to Present BLS May 2019 to May 2021 ACLS May 2019 to May 2021 PALS February 2019 to February 2022 BLS, ACLS

**CPR Certification**