

KIMBERLY REED

Registered Nurse

Williams Bay, WI 53191
(262) 749-1374 - kamr1964@gmail.com

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dedicated and compassionate Registered Nurse (RN) with progressive career history in direct patient care, triage and care coordination in fast-paced environment. Proven to remain calm under pressure and skillfully handle difficult patients and high-stress situations. Consistently developing strong relationships with patients and families through empathetic communication, respectful attitude and excellent customer service.

SKILLS

- Treatment Preparation
- Nursing Consultation
- Medical Supply Management
- Clear Patient Communication
- Compassionate and Caring
- Accurate Documentation
- Specialized Healthcare Referrals
- Medical Procedure Preparation

WORK HISTORY

07/2015 to 04/2016 **Registered Nurse (Family Practice and Float)**

Mercyhealth – Lake Geneva, WI

- Updated patient charts with data such as medications to keep records current and support accurate treatments.
- Advocated for patients by communicating care preferences to practitioners, verifying interventions met treatment goals and identifying insurance coverage limitations.
- Evaluated healthcare needs, goals for treatment and available resources of each patient and connected to optimal providers and care.
- Advised patients and caregivers of proper wound management, discharge plan objectives, safe medication use and disease management.
- Kept optimal supply levels in treatment rooms, triage and other areas to meet typical patient loads.

04/2016 to 10/2018 **Registered Nurse (OB/GYN)**

Mercyhealth – Lake Geneva, WI

- Trained new nurses in proper techniques, care standards, operational procedures

and safety protocols.

- Assisted with minor procedures in clinic
- Ensured proper tray set up for procedures
- Patient education
- Collaborated with Labor and Delivery to schedule inductions and c sections.
- Scheduled other procedures with the surgery dept.
- Completed prior authorizations for neonate testing.

10/2019 to Current **Registered Nurse (General Surgery)**

Mercyhealth – Lake Geneva, WI

- Educated patients, families and caregivers on diagnosis and prognosis, treatment options, disease process and management and lifestyle options.
- researching and implementing resources for patient education.
- Trained new nurses in proper techniques, care standards, operational procedures and safety protocols..
- Scheduled surgeries.
- Assisted with in clinic procedures; tray set up, ordering pathology, reviewing wound care with patient.
- Ordering of appropriate supplies for basic day to day clinic, wound care, pre operative and post operative care.

03/2012 to 09/2015 **Registered Nurse**

Lakeland Health Care Center – Elkhorn, WI

- Trained new nurses in proper techniques, care standards, operational procedures and safety protocols..
- Advocated for patients by communicating care preferences to practitioners, verifying interventions met treatment goals and identifying insurance coverage limitations.
- Managed care from admission to discharge.
- Administered medications and treatment to patients and monitored responses while working with healthcare teams to adjust care plans.
- Updated patient charts with data such as medications to keep records current and support accurate treatments.
- Administered medications via oral, IV and intramuscular injections and monitored responses.
- Administered tube feedings.
- Delegated patient care.
- followed up on concerns brought forth by staff and family members.

02/2006 to 09/2008 **MDS Coordinator**

Willowfield Health Care – Delavan, WI

- Led weekly utilization review to go over recent clinical activities.
- Followed up on outstanding clinical items within established timelines for optimal care delivery.
- Assessed electronic medical record for required documentation to support MDS coding.
- Completed minimum data set assessments with strong collaboration across business, provider and clinical disciplines.
- Verified prompt and accurate completion of MDS activities for billing.

09/2002 to 10/2005 **Registered Nurse**

Lakeland Health Care Center – Elkhorn, WI

- Trained new nurses in proper techniques, care standards, operational procedures and safety protocols.
- Administered medications and treatment to patients and monitored responses while working with healthcare teams to adjust care plans.
- patient and family education on disease process, diagnosis and treatment options.
- Collaborated with other staff and physicians to deliver appropriate care.

EDUCATION

12/1994

Associate of Science: Nursing

St Mary's Campus / Colleg of St Catherine - Minneapolis, MN

06/1982

High School Diploma

Streamwood High School - Streamwood, IL