# Aiza Lozada

## Registered Nurse (Float Nurse)

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Compassionate registered nurse with 10+ years experience seeking for a position that will enhance nursing skills.

Core Qualifications

- Licensed RN in North Carolina and Illinois
- Proven record of reliability and responsibility
- · Patient and family focused
- Taken on a role as charge nurse
- Strong Clinical Judgment
- Experienced with stroke/ cancer / cardiac/ vascular / post surgery patients
- Adaptability and Flexibility
- Bilingual (Tagalog)

# Work Experience

# Registered Nurse (Float Nurse)

First Health Moore Regional Hospital - Pinehurst, NC May 2016 to June 2017

- Provides flexibility and availability to units that are short staffed.
- Floats to Orthopedic, Neurology, Oncology, Post Surgical, Cardiovascular/ Vascular, Medical surgical, Rehab, Observation (24 hour), and occasional Emergency Unit.
- Values teamwork and time management.
- Able to adjust to the environment.
- Perform to the highest level needed to take care of patients.

#### **Registered Nurse**

Cardiac and Vascular Unit - Pinehurst, NC March 2015 to May 2016

- Assess and take care of patients with heart and vascular disorders.
- Administer IV drips, antibiotic, and IV therapy for cardiac patients.
- Monitor patients who are post surgery, and check telemetry for any changes to the heart rhythm.
- Knowledgeable of the TR band post procedure care.
- Able to use Doppler machines to determine pulses in vascular patients.
- Educate patients with post procedure care of vascular surgeries and cardiac related surgeries
- Educated patient with wound care and medications.
- Competent starting blood transfusion, heparin drips, IV antibiotics, and cardiac medications.

#### **Registered Nurse**

Progressive Care Unit - Tacoma, WA October 2011 to May 2014

- A step down from ICU, telemetry floor
- Taking care of mostly the geriatric population w/ cardiac, respiratory, GI, and skin problems
- Able to start peripheral IV's and able to do blood draws from central lines
- Administer IV push meds and drips
- Experience with EKG, blood transfusions, PCA, drips and wound care
- Experience with feeding tubes, colostomy/ileostomy, catheters
- Experience with surgical patients
- Values teamwork and time management

# Registered Nurse (Med-Surg RN)

Northshore University HealthSystem - Evanston, IL January 2009 to May 2011

- Fulfilled the role of a charge nurse. Supervised RN's, PCT's, and Secretary. Evaluated staffing requirements and floor assignments for a 36 bed unit.
- Specialized on using the NIHSS scale and taking care of stroke patients.
- Experienced with cancer patients.
- Worked with patients that have different medical conditions such as diabetes, respiratory conditions, ETOH withdrawal, cardiac problems, stroke, PE, GI problems.
- Offered wide scope of common nursing care assistances in critical signs, EKG, catheters, feeding tubes, tracheostomy, colostomy/ ileostomy care, central lines & IV.
- Experienced with admission/ discharging patients. Teaching patient and family about health maintenance and illness prevention.
- Administered proper medications and hang drips. Given proper teaching about the medications.
- Act as a patient advocate, assessed patient and notified physicians for any clinical changes.

#### Registered Nurse( Home Health RN)

Northshore University HealthSystem - Skokie, IL September 2009 to May 2010

- Performed independent health assessment of individuals and provided a nursing intervention based on the assessment.
- Communicate effectively with doctors, nurses, clients and the families.
- Developed and provided health educations to clients and the families.
- Able to prioritize and organize documents.

#### **Patient Care Technician**

Northshore University HealthSystem - Evanston, IL April 2008 to January 2009

- Assisted patient with bathing, dressing, hygiene, feeding and grooming.
- Obtained specimens, weights, blood sugar, and vital signs of patients.
- Ensured the safety and well being of patient. Hourly rounds established.
- Given enemas to patient when needed.
- Monitored patients condition and report changes in attitude, appearance, behavior and/or physical to RN.

#### **Resident Specialist**

Gowin Parc - Mattoon, IL January 2007 to May 2007

• Provided direct care to resident

- Assisted RN in providing basic nursing care such bathing, feeding, and their daily activity program.
- Collaborated with nurses and other employee to provide quality care.

# Education

# **Bachelor of Science in Nursing in Nursing**

Lakeview College - Danville, IL August 2005 to May 2007

# **Pre-Nursing**

University of Illinois at Chicago - Chicago, IL

August 2002 to May 2005

# **Nursing Licenses**

#### RN

Expires: December 2020

State: IL

### RN

State: HI

# Skills

- RN
- Med Surg
- Home Health