PAUL VELEZ

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A highly motivated, solution driven, bilingual, Licensed Practical Nurse with experience in patient care and patient well-being. I am coachable and committed to continuous advancement of care. Recognized as a competent team member able to effectively communicate and collaborate with interdisciplinary team delivering excellent patient-centered care. Excellent understanding of clinical modalities through demanding course work and 500 hours of clinical experience. Highly empathic and easily establishes rapport with diverse patients and staff.

PROFESSIONAL AND CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

OCTOBER 2020 - PRESENT

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE, HCR MANORCARE IN PALOS HILLS

• Experienced in patient care and patient well-being. Recognized as a competent team member able to effectively communicate and collaborate with the interdisciplinary team delivering excellent patient-centered care.

APRIL 2020 – JULY 2020

TRAVEL NURSE, HACKENSACK MERDIAN PALISADES, NORTH BERGEN IN NJ

- Cared for patients in a 50- bed unit, supporting the nursing team in delivering outstanding treatment to patients.
- Adapted to the changing needs of the facility and priorities of the care team, patients, and community.
- Reported patient's status and carried out physician's orders in a timely manner.

SUMMER 2019

NURSING CLINICAL 60 HOURS, BRIA IN PALOS HILLS

- Administered and completed charts of daily medications according to policy and procedures; evaluated treatment effectiveness on a continuing basis.
- Implemented total nursing care through assessment, planning, and evaluation.
- Participated in resident and family teaching.

OCTOBER 2017 - 2019

PATIENT CARE COORDINATOR, ADVOCATE SOUTH SUBURBAN IN HAZEL CREST

- Assisted with bathing, feeding, and vital signs.
- Accurately documented in each patient's medical record in a timely manner.
- Received the CNA of the month award in 2018, for being a team player.

EDUCATION

MAY 2022

ASSOCIATE DEGREE OF NURSING, MORAINE VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

• Excellent understanding of clinical modalities through demanding course work and 500 hours of clinical experience.

NOVEMBER 2012

BACHELOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES, ROBERT MORRIS UNIVERSITY

• Concentration in Applied Health Science

SKILLS

- Medication administration via G-tube, PO, Sub-Q, IV, IM
- Proficient in EPIC and Meditech
- BLS certified
- Admissions
- EKG
- Patient charting on various EHR

- Wound Care
- CPR Certified and First aid
- Therapeutic Communication
- MS office
- HIPPA