Kelsey Blake

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EDUCATION:

John A Logan College, Carterville, Illinois Registered Nurse Program, May 2019

John A Logan College, Carterville, Illinois Licensed Practical Nurse, July 2017

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois Bachelor of Science, May 2013 Major: Human Nutrition and Dietetics

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Registered Nurse

Herrin Emergency Room, Southern Illinois Healthcare, Herrin, IL

September 2019 - Present

- Have the knowledge base to quickly and accurately assess patient care needs.
- Collaborate with physicians and monitor patient care. Assist with the development of a plan of care for each patient. Administer medications and treatments to patients. Educate patients about management of illnesses.
- Mentor incoming nurses. Actively partake in the improvement and flow of the Emergency Room for better staff and patient care.

Registered Nurse

AYA Healthcare, Shiloh Memorial, Shiloh, IL

August 2021 – November 2021

- Travel nurse to a 24 bed ER to help fill staffing needs conducting patient care and education.
- Assessing and reassessing patient conditions quickly upon patient arrival complaint. Able to prioritize patients need
 and interventions based on triage assessment.
- Collaborate with various ER and hospital professionals to ensure effective and prompt patient care
- Maintain care and improving patient condition while working with ER holds.

Licensed Practical Nurse

Liberty Village of Carbondale, Carbondale, IL

May 2018 – August 2019

- Daily assessments of residents, daily passing of medications and assist with wound treatments of residents
- Goal panning of each resident for attainable achievement to exit bounce back program and return home

Patient Care Technician

Herrin Emergency Room, Southern Illinois Healthcare, Herrin, IL

September 2016 – August 2019

- Assist physicians and nurses with patient care, including but not limited to vital signs, specimen collections of many kinds and hourly rounding
- Train new technicians on Emergency Room policies and procedures o ensure efficient work processes.

Production Assistant

Patty Koenia, Country Financial, Murphysboro, Illinois

August 2013 - Present

Quote, sell and meet with current clients about Life, Long Term Care, Commercial, Home and Auto Insurance

• Assist with marketing programs and workshops, and manage daily office operations

Clerical and Office related-Student Employee Southern Illinois University-University Housing Maintenance, Carbondale, Illinois

January 2011 - May 2013

- Dispatching phone calls to inspectors, composed and issued work orders to craftsman
- Answered phones, filing, errands, educating and training new employees

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

- Head Coach U-12, Murphysboro Soccer Inc., Murphysboro, Illinois, August 2011 Present
- Dietetic Volunteer, Marion VA, Marion, Illinois, May 2012 June 2012

CERTIFICATIONS:

- Registered Nurse Licensure, License Number: 041.485154
- ECRN Licensure, License Number: 060843571
- TNCC Certification
- ENPC Certification
- PALS Certification
- ACLS Certification
- BLS Certification
- State of Illinois Department of Public Health License, Southern Illinois University, January 2012

MEMBERSHIPS:

- ADA-American Dietetic Association, Carbondale, Illinois, September 2011- present
- IDA-Illinois Dietetic Association, Carbondale, Illinois, September 2011 present
- Kappa Delta Sorority, Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, Kentucky, August 2008-Present (Alumna)