**Professional Summary**

* Dedicated and compassionate nurse seeking to improve the health and well being of the community I serve by using a collaborative approach to quality care.
* Reliable and energetic with a strong work ethic and ability to learn new concepts and skills quickly.
* Prioritize effectively by utilizing time management and clinical skills.
* Excellent interpersonal skills, ability to work well with others in both a supervisory and staff role.
* Accustomed to working in a fast-paced environment with the ability to think quickly and critically.
* Trained in and have a strong understanding as a registered Nurse using EPIC.
* Experience in an acute/ICU care setting as well as intermeditate/PCU, and Med Surg
* Experience in Pyxis and Omnicell

**Skill Highlights**

* Critical Thinking - Discharge Planning -excellent time management
* Medical Management systems - Compassionate caregiver - Ability to work independently
* Team player - Interqual experience -Health assessment and screenings
* Excellent communication skills -Works well under pressure – BLS, ACLS, NIH certified

**Education
-Fortis College/Columbus/July 2014- July 2016. - -** Major: graduate of Associate Degree of Science in Nursing. --**Chamberlain College of Nursing 2018-2019** Major: Bachelor of Science in Nursing

**Licenses and Certifications:**

* **Registered Nurse: Ohio, License #432410-**
* **Basic Life Support for Health Care Providers (BLS)**
* **NIH Stroke Scale (NIHSS)**
* **Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)**

**Employment History**

* **Mercy Jewish Hospital- Neuro/Ortho/Tele PCU- 13 week contract-April 2022-July 2022**
* Provided direct bedside care of patients suffering from acute stroke, intracranial hemorrhage, sub-acute stroke, subarachnoid hemorrhages, brain tumors, and various neurological surgeries (pre and post op recovery). As well as both traumatic and non traumatic Ortho related injuries and surgeries to include, but not limited to, Lumbar fusions, hip replacements femur fixations.
* **Centene- Buckeye Health Plan- Concurrent Review Nurse- November 2020-January 2022**
* Perform review of emergent/urgent and continued stay requests for appropriate care and setting using clinical judgement.
* Follow guidelines and policies set forth and approve services or forward requests to the appropriate medical director
* Collaborate with various staff within provider networks and discharge planning team
* Enter and maintain pertinent clinical information in various medical management systems
* **Ohiohealth Critical Care flex team- February 2019-November 2020**

**-**Responsible for continuous monitoring and assessment of assigned patients.

**-**Maintained and recorded accurate and detailed flowsheets of patient's condition.

**-**Reported any symptoms and changes in patient's condition.

**-**Modified patient treatment plans as indicated by patient's condition

**-**Consulted and coordinated with health care team members to assess, plan, implement and evaluate patient care plans in a dynamic critical care environment.

**-**Ordered, interpreted, and evaluated diagnostic tests to identify and assess patient's condition.

* **Riverside Methodist Hospital- Neuro Critical Care/ January 2018- 2020**

-Provided direct bedside care of patients suffering from acute stroke, intracranial hemorrhage, sub-acute stroke, subarachnoid hemorrhages, brain tumors, and various neurological surgeries (pre and post op recovery).

-Frequently observe behavior and symptoms, including neuro changes, and provide immediate information to critical care team.

-Performed specialized interventions such as ventilator maintenance, vasopressor and vasodilator support, sedation, and invasive intracranial pressure management devices.

- Assisted with lifesaving procedures at the patient’s bed side including external ventricular devices, intubations, tracheostomy’s, percutaneous endoscopic gastrostomy, arterial lines, central lines, and more.

-Monitored telemetry and responded to codes.

-Provided basic patient care such as grooming, bathing, and linen changes in both life and death.

* **Grant Medical Center- Neuro Medical Stroke Unit/ November 2016-January 2018
-**Work closely with all healthcare providers to facilitate and coordinate efficient and effective healthcare**.**

**-**Assists physician in the examination of patients and in performing minor diagnostic procedures and treatments.

**-**Leadership: Provides leadership in the professional practice setting and the profession.

**-**Assessments: Collects, prioritizes, and synthesizes comprehensive data that is pertinent to the patients’ health or situation.

**-** Implemented new ideas and suggestions at a roundtable with other members of Grant hospital including the DON/Congress Chair for the Neuro Medical Stroke floor

**Patient Support Associate- Doctors Hospital/August 2015-Present**

* Engage both patient and family with conversation and support daily needs
* Position clients for comfort and to prevent skin breakdown.
* Assist with adequate nutrition and fluid intake
* Collect information from patients for history including vitals and collection of specimens
* Intake and output recordings
* Glucometry
* EKG’s
* Assist with personal cleanliness, oral hygiene, and making beds