

Melissa Cantu

RN, MDS Coordinator

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Seeking a position with a company that will use my skills and abilities and offer me continued growth. I'm a very loyal and reliable RN. I have 6 years experience as a nurse. I maintain a strong reputation for achieving high levels of patient satisfaction.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

MDS Coordinator/Case Manager/RN

Cambridge Healthcare - Merced, CA

October 2021 to Present

assessments/evaluate residents, implement individual care plans for residents, assess and evaluate the quality of emotional, mental, and physical care being given to long-term care residents, and perform the initial interview and assess new residents.

Unit Manager

Avalon Health Care Group - Merced, CA

September 2021 to October 2021

Directing the day-to-day nursing and medical functions of the unit with consultation and direction from the psychiatrist who is the unit's Clinical Director in accordance with current federal, state and local standards governing long term care facilities, and as may be directed by the Director of Nursing Services, to ensure that the highest degree of quality care can be provided to the residents at all times. Direct day-to-day supervision of CNAs.

MDS Coordinator/Case Manager/LVN

Cambridge Healthcare- La Sierra - Merced, CA

August 2019 to August 2021

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LVN

Cambridge Healthcare- Merced Nursing and Rehab - Merced, CA

December 2017 to August 2019

Duties: Medication administration of a floor for up to 35 patients, wound care, administered injections, overseeing the duties of CNA's, communicate abnormal labs and changes of conditions of patients to the doctor, patient and family teaching regarding health issues and concerns, answering call lights, manually taking vital signs and recording them appropriately, assessing patients, delivered high quality and compassionate care for patients in need, charting and documenting.

LVN

Invigorate Post-Acute of Chowchilla - Chowchilla, CA
December 2017 to October 2018

Duties: Medication administration of a floor for up to 35 patients, wound care, administered injections, overseeing the duties of CNA's, communicate abnormal labs and changes of conditions of patients to the doctor, patient and family teaching regarding health issues and concerns, answering call lights, manually taking vital signs and recording them appropriately, assessing patients, delivered high quality and compassionate care for patients in need, charting and documenting.

LVN

Dos Palos Memorial - Dos Palos, CA
January 2017 to June 2017

Duties: Medication administration of a floor for up to 35 patients, wound care, administered injections, overseeing the duties of CNA's, communicate abnormal labs and changes of conditions of patients to the doctor, patient and family teaching regarding health issues and concerns, answering call lights, manually taking vital signs and recording them appropriately, assessing patients, delivered high quality and compassionate care for patients in need, charting and documenting.

LVN

Anberry Rehabilitation Hospital - Atwater, CA
March 2016 to December 2016

Duties: Medication administration of a floor for up to 35 patients, wound care, administered injections, overseeing the duties of CNA's, communicate abnormal labs and changes of conditions of patients to the doctor, patient and family teaching regarding health issues and concerns, answering call lights, manually taking vital signs and recording them appropriately, assessing patients, delivered high quality and compassionate care for patients in need, charting and documenting.

Home Care Giver

J.M. Pafford - Dos Palos, CA
May 2014 to December 2014

Duties: Clean House, Patient care, including medication administration, wound care, showering, dressing, ADL's.

Education

Associate in Science (AS) in Registered Nurse

Gurnick Academy of Medical Arts
January 2021 to September 2021

AS degree in Nursing

Gurnick Academy of Medical Arts - Fresno, CA
May 2018 to December 2018

WestMed College - Merced, CA
2013

High School Diploma

Dos Palos High School - Dos Palos, CA

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: February 2023

State: CA

Skills

- clerical (10+ years)
- CPR (6 years)
- Documentation (4 years)
- filing (10+ years)
- LVN (3 years)
- LPN
- MDS
- Nursing
- Vital Signs
- Medication Administration
- Experience Administering Injections
- Infection Control Training
- ICD-10
- Tube Feeding
- Supervising Experience
- English
- Basic life support (10+ years)
- Patient Care
- Care plans
- Case Management

Certifications and Licenses

CPR

First Aid

Driver's License

RN

BLS Certification

Assessments

Nursing Aide Skills — Expert

May 2019

Measures a candidate's ability to provide nursing aid to patients using knowledge of relevant equipment and procedures.

Full results: [Expert](#)

Protecting patient privacy — Highly Proficient

May 2022

Understanding privacy rules and regulations associated with patient records

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Clinical judgment — Highly Proficient

May 2022

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Management & leadership skills: Impact & influence — Proficient

May 2022

Choosing the most effective strategy to inspire and influence others to meet business objectives

Full results: [Proficient](#)

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