

Laura E. Gill, BSN

Travel RN,BSN, compact state licensure Med Surg/ PACU/ ICU

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EXPERIENCE

University Medical Center, New Orleans, La. — PACU RN, staff full time

May-2021 - PRESENT

Monitoring post-operative patients' levels of consciousness during recovery from anesthesia. Measuring and recording patients' vital signs. Closely observing patients for signs of side effects of anesthesia medication. Treating pain, nausea, and other post-operative symptoms of anesthesia. Updating charts, patient files, and medical records. Collaborating with the medical team on post-operative patient care and facilitating timely specialized interventions. Providing comfort and reassurance to distressed post-operative patients and concerned family members

University Medical Center, New Orleans, La. — Medical surgical Trauma stepdown RN, staff full time

November 2019-May 2021

Assessing, planning, implementing, and evaluating patient care plans in consultation with healthcare professionals.
Evaluating medical information, as well as providing direct and individualized bedside nursing care to pre- and post-surgery patients. Preparing, administering and recording prescribed medications. Changing dressings, inserting catheters, and starting IVs. Adjusting specialized medical equipment as needed, as well as interpreting and recording measurements.
Collaborating on discharge planning with the healthcare team.
Answering questions and educating patients and their families on surgical procedures and post-surgery care.
Maintaining and updating patient files, medical charts, and health records. Adhering to best nursing practices, standards, and protocols.

SKILLS

ACLS certified
BLS certified

Trauma ICU/MICU/SICU/
NEURO/ Covid-19/ Bariatric
experience

Nurse residency program
graduate UMC class of winter
2020

Practicum experience in
Telemetry at Providence
Hospital, Mobile AL. Obtained
200 hours on medical surgical
telemetry unit.

Advanced Pharmacology
course Fall 2018 • Advanced
Pathophysiology course Fall
2018

AWARDS

Lifetime Member of the AED
Alpha Epsilon Delta- The
National Health professional
honors society

Beta Beta Beta National
Biological Honors Society

BS Degree in Biology from
the University of New Orleans
class of 2015 • Presidents list (
4.0 GPA) summer of 2014 •
Dean's list (3.5 or higher
GPA) Fall 2014

**Ochsner Medical Center, New Orleans, La. — PT/OT
assistant inpatient rehab, ICU**

Sep 2017 - July 2019

**Ochsner Medical Center, New Orleans, La. — CNA Neuro
step-down**

June 2015 - Sep 2017

EDUCATION

**University of South Alabama, Mobile, Al. — BSN accelerated
BSN/ MSN degree 2019**

July 2018 - July 2019

**University of New Orleans, New Orleans, La — BS Biology
Pre Medical**

Sep 2013 - May 2015

PROJECTS

**Mentorship program — University of New Orleans peer
educator and mentor 2015**

2015-2018 Strengths Quest Peer Educator • Develop a strong understanding of how to apply StrengthsQuest to multiple aspects of one's overall personal and academic development. • Develop public speaking and facilitation skills.

Independent Research and Development— University of New Orleans, Advance Plant taxonomy Biology degree program 2015

Screened a variety of nuclear and chloroplast markings using standard PCR methods • Sequenced PCR products with Sanger sequencing methods • Estimated the Phylogenetic relationship sequences using the maximum likelihood criterion • Submitted Research in 2015 Innovate UNO science fair.