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| Mission Statement | To solve issues using creative solutions and improve the quality of care for the surgical patient in the perioperative setting. **To utilize my unique talents, knowledge and skills in a team atmosphere where I can grow professionally through long term commitments for myself and my employer.**   |
| Education  | RN to BSN Transition Program – Western Governors University – 08/2019Associate Degree RN Program – San Jacinto College – 12/2007 |
| Certifications/ Completed coursework | * CNOR
* BASIC LIFE SUPPORT
* NEONATAL RESUSCITATION
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| Key Skills | * Currently working as a Circulating Nurse in a hospital OR Setting
* Manager of Andrews Women’s Perioperative Services – 5 Departments
* Charge Nurse Experience for Small OR Setting - 15 Primary Team Members
* Labor & Delivery Experience – 6 Years
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| Experience | Baylor Scott & White All Saints – Andrews Women’s Hospital 10/2021 – PresentCirculating Nurse/OR Charge Nurse* Return to lower level of responsibility related to impending relocation

Baylor Scott & White All Saints – Andrews Women’s Hospital 04/2017 – 10/2021Supervisor/Interim Manager AWH Surgical Services 04-2017 – 10/20019*Manager AWH Surgical Services 10/2019 – 10/2021 (Title Change with completion of BSN)** Responsible for daily staffing requirements of six departments including OR, Sterile Processing, Post Anesthesia Care Unit, Day Surgery Pre-Assessment, and Anesthesia Support
* Forty employees under my leadership including three supervisors.
* Lead teams during the ever-evolving demands throughout COVID Pandemic
* Implemented Robotic Program
* Responsible for reporting and maintaining metrics related to case volumes, productivity, surgical site infections, and employee engagement.
* Implemented and maintained block scheduling for surgeons
* Navigated groundwork for new OR build
* Employee discipline including hiring, firing, and yearly review of employee performances
* Improve engagement and satisfaction for approximately 100 surgeons

Baylor Scott & White All Saints – Andrews Women’s Hospital 04/2015 – 06/2017Circulating Nurse/OR Charge Nurse* Staff 4 to 5 OR suites as well as ancillary staff including a scheduler, pre-op/holding nurse and transport/housekeeping staff
* Make sure appropriate equipment and/or implants are available for all cases daily
* Troubleshoot issues with equipment failure as needed
* Responsible for maintaining smooth OR schedules and adjusting for unexpected delays
* Maintain evening, weekend and holiday call staff schedules for RN’s
* Cultivate and maintain a supportive relationship between L&D Staff and Gyn Surgery Staff
* Circulate for Women’s Gynecological, plastic and some minor general surgical cases
* Responsible for Interviewing patients prior to their surgical procedure and resolving any issues with consents, History & Physical reports or updates and site markings prior to going to the OR
* Maintaining sterile fields
* Having appropriate medications available and handing off those medications in a sterile manner
* Time outs to verify patient and procedure
* Surgical Counts
* Assist physicians as requested

Clear Lake Regional Medical Center 10/2010 – 03/2014Labor & Delivery Nurse* Triage patient’s arriving from the ED, ambulance, or home setting.
* Work as a circulating nurse in the OR during cesarean sections
* Provide bedside care to the laboring patient either induced or presented in labor
* Monitor fetal heart tones and contractions for appropriate labor progress
* Administer Pitocin to enhance or induce labor as directed by physician
* Assist patients in preparation of and assist anesthesiologist in administration of epidural
* Assist at bedside with vaginal delivery of infants maintaining sterile fields
* Assist nursery nurses with transitional phase of infant care including initiating skin to skin contact
* Assist patients with breastfeeding
* Antepartum care
* Administration of high-risk medications including Magnesium Sulfate and/or terbutaline
* Care for patients experiencing Pre-eclampsia, preterm labor or multiple gestation pregnancies
* Appropriate care for the grieving parents who experience infant loss as well as end of life care for the infant to include appropriate photos and mementos for parents.
* Preceptor and mentor to new hires both GN’s and experienced RN’s
* Care for patients immediately post-delivery until transfer to postpartum floor.
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| Technology Knowledge  | Software* Centricity
* Allscripts – Electronic Health Record
* Epic Electronic Health Record
* Microsoft Office
* Internet Explorer
* Teams
* Sharepoint
 | Equipment* Stryker Laproscopic Equipment
* Valleylab Monopolar, Bipolar & Ligasure
* Spy Elite
* Faxitron
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| Activities | AORN Member; Attended AORN Conference in 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019 |
| References | Available upon request |