

# Merlande Jean

## **Registered Nurse- Med Surg, covid 19 crisis unit at Tsehootsooi Medical Center**

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Over 15 years of nursing experience in the acute care environment with 6 to 8 years of direct and indirect care. 4 years experience as a float nurse Tele, PCU and Med Surg. I hold license in State of Florida with a Florida Compact, California, and the State of Michigan. I am seeking opportunity to work in the state of California as a travel nurse, for I have been Traveling for 2 years now. I am experience in EPIC, Cerner, and Meditech

Willing to relocate to: Fort Myers, FL - California -

## Work Experience

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### **Registered Nurse, Medical Telemetry**

Tsehootsooi Medical Ceter - Fort Defiance, AZ

August 2020 to Present

Working with COVID 19 crisis patient and babies.

Monitor the patient cardiac rhythm

Monitor post operative patients

### **Registered Nurse- Med Surg tele**

Fawcett Hospital Port Charlotte - Port Charlotte, FL

October 2018 to Present

Provides direct and indirect patient care in the acute care setting.

Functions as the liaison between administration, patients, physicians, and other healthcare providers.

Assessing patients

documenting findings

communicate with patient family

Calling physicians

taking orders over the phone

Communicates with physicians, Director, house supervisors, and co-workers as appropriate about changes in patient's clinical condition including results of diagnostic studies and changing symptoms.

Communicates with Social Service/Discharge Planner regarding both in the hospital and post-discharge needs.

Communicate effectively and accurately patients changes in condition or response to treatment.

Working with cardiac post operative patients.

### **Registered Nurse, IMCU**

Lowell General Hospital Saints Campus - Lowell, MA

November 2021 to May 2022

Cared for patients with multiple comorbidity, drug over dose, alcohol abuse, Covid, MI, DKA, Afib and other heart dysrhythmia. Caring for patients pre and post stent. Teaching patients and family on disease process on how to care for themselves.

### **Registered Nurse PCU**

Shannon medical hospital - San Angelo, TX  
August 2021 to November 2021

Covid PCU. Cared for patient with Covid, MI, ARDS, and cardiac complication.

### **Registered Nurse, Telemetry**

Lutheran Hospital - Fort Wayne, IN  
May 2021 to July 2021

Cared for patients with STEMI, NSTEMI, stroke, TIA and Covid. DKA complication. Teaching patients and family how to care for the patient and deal with disease process.

### **Med Surge Tele Nurse**

Lee Health - Fort Myers, FL  
January 2020 to July 2020

Monitor the heart rhythm, and monitor electrocardiograms output and keep the doctor informed.

Assessing patient

Documenting findings

Assisting physicians

taking orders over the phone

communicating with physicians

communicating with patients family member

providing patient with emotional support

Performed various diagnostic tests

Administering medications

Educating patients on cardiac issue

Work with Covid 19 positive patient

### **Home Health Nurse**

Nurclear Care Partner - Port Charlotte, FL  
August 2019 to March 2020

Providing care in home setting

Administering medications

Monitor patient

Collecting data

Assessing patient

Calling physician

communication with family members.

### **LPN Staff Nurse**

Lee Health - Fort Myers, FL  
March 2013 to September 2016

\* Responsible for carrying out the safe and effective care of clients, thoroughly evaluating, monitoring and documenting patients progress, symptoms and vital signs. Worked closely with other nursing staff to complete initial evaluations and plotting the plan of care.

\* Document changes in the status of patient's conditions, conferring with physicians and other providers to ensure prompt attention.

- \* Passing and documenting all forms of medications, following rehabilitation and treatment plans to accelerate patient's outcomes and oversaw direct care requirements within the rehabilitation setting.
- \* Use proactive problem-solving techniques working closely with patients, nurses and physicians to address issues requiring immediate and ongoing resolution.
- \* Develop and deliver education modules to staff, patients and families on numerous topics including the prevention of transmitted infections.

### **LPN Supervisor**

HERITAGE HEALTH AND REHABILITATION - Naples, FL  
October 2010 to March 2012

### **LPN Supervisor**

SIGNATURE HEALTH CARE AND REHABILITATION - Fort Myers, FL  
November 2010 to December 2011

### **LPN Staff Nurse**

Lehigh Acres Health & Rehab  
March 2009 to June 2010

### **LPN Supervisor**

HCR MANOR CARE - Fort Myers, FL  
January 2007 to March 2009

LPN Supervisor duties included, but not limited to:

- \* Direct supervisor for nursing staff, provided direction and leadership to a variety of skilled healthcare providers, establishing and meeting goals and objectives related to care planning and meeting patient care outcomes
- \* Leadership over the everyday operations and functioning of rehabilitation unit(s) ensuring patients care requirements were met and carried out within the nursing rehabilitation standard guidelines.
- \* Coordinated and executed medication pass functions and ensuring safe handling procedures.
- \* Provided ongoing evaluation, monitoring and documentation of patient's progress, noting changes and onset in symptoms and vital signs. Relied on as the resource person for nursing staff for the plan of care or changes to patient condition.
- \* Promptly reporting changes in patients' conditions and other matters of concern.
- \* Functioned as a liaison between patients and families, nurses, and physicians to resolve matters related to administering holistic client care.
- \* Develop, plan and carry out professional development classes and seminars for nursing staff, along with carrying out education for patients and families in relation to care in facility and at home.

### **Med/Surg/Tele RN**

## Education

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### **ADN**

Galen College of Nursing - Saint Petersburg, FL  
October 2018

## **ADN**

### Nursing Licenses

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#### **RN**

Expires: July 2024

State: FL

#### **RN**

### Skills

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- PCU, Telemetry (3 years)
- Med Surg (6 years)
- RN
- Nursing
- Medication Administration
- EMR Systems
- Vital Signs
- Acute Care
- Experience Administering Injections
- Laboratory Experience
- Tube Feeding
- Critical Care Experience
- Hospital Experience
- Epic (2 years)
- Supervising Experience
- Home care
- Documentation review

### Certifications and Licenses

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#### **LPN**

Home health nurse

Trach and vent

#### **CNA**

#### **CPR Certification**

## Assessments

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### **Patient-Focused Care — Highly Proficient**

May 2019

Addressing concerns and using sensitivity when responding to needs and feelings of patients

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

### **Nursing Skills: Patient Focus & Orientation — Highly Proficient**

April 2019

Measures a candidate's ability to address concerns and use sensitivity when responding to needs and feelings of patients.

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

### **Memorization & Recall Skills — Proficient**

April 2019

Measures a candidate's ability to commit product or merchandize information to memory and recall at a later time.

Full results: [Proficient](#)

### **Electronic Medical Records: Best Practices — Highly Proficient**

March 2020

Knowledge of EHR data, associated privacy regulations, and best practices for EHR use

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

### **Nursing Skills: Clinical Judgment — Proficient**

March 2020

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

Full results: [Proficient](#)

### **Home Health Aide Skills — Highly Proficient**

March 2020

Providing care to patients in a home setting.

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

### **Work Style: Reliability — Proficient**

March 2020

Tendency to be dependable and come to work

Full results: [Proficient](#)

### **Medical Terminology — Highly Proficient**

March 2020

Understanding and using medical terminology

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

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