

LUIS MORENO REGISTERED NURSE

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Diligent nursing professional with demonstrated success in emergency patient care. Agile and responsive to dynamic patient needs and environmental conditions. Team-oriented and reliable with expert healthcare knowledge, clear verbal and written communication skills and sound clinical judgment. Eager to contribute to team success through hard work, attention to detail and excellent organizational skills. Clear understanding of task at hand and training in diverse skills. Motivated to learn, grow and excel in healthcare, utilizing interpersonal skills, excellent time management and problem-solving skills.

SKILLS

Invasive Procedures

- Immunizations and Vaccinations
- Wound vac, administration and assessment
- Bladder scanner usage
- Medication drip titration
- EKG
- IV Insertion
- IV Insertion with ultrasound guided equipment
- Stroke prompt identification and treatment
- Sepsis identification and treatment
- Trauma protocols
- External temperature regulation methods, bear hugger, artic sun
- Feeding tube formula administration
- Indwelling Foley catheter
- Three way Foley irrigation
- Colostomy care and education
- Emergency Room Services
- Medical Procedure Preparation
- Operational Standards
- Intramuscular Injections
- Patient Stabilization
- Blood Draw and Sample Collection
- Nursing Consultation
- Monitoring Vital Signs
- PICC Lines management and dressing change
- Endotracheal Intubation
- Prioritizing Patients
- Preventive Healthcare
- Patient Condition Monitoring
- Maintaining Patient Safety Standards
- Height and Weight Measurement
- Staffing Requirements
- Electronic Charting
- Ng Tube Insertion
- Complex Problem-Solving
- Healthcare Personnel Supervision
- Emotional Support
- Nursing Plan Development
- Coronary Artery Disease Knowledge
- Emergency Response Coordination
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
- Universal Precautions
- Floor Assignments
- Hygiene Support
- Pharmacologic Intervention
- Acute and Chronic Pain
- Family Guidance
- Chest Tubes
- Admissions and Discharge Processes
- Nasogastric Tube Insertion

- Accurate Documentation
- Specialized Healthcare Referrals
- Medication Side Effect Knowledge
- Diet and Nutrition
- Emergency Patient Triage
- Cardiac Arrest management
- Patient Care Assessment
- Patient Condition Observation
- Medical Supply Management
- Treatment Preparation
- Privacy and Confidentiality
- Compassionate and Caring
- Patient Examination
- Endotracheal Tubes
- Acute Illness
- Patient Admission
- Blood Product Transfusion
- Disease Processes
- Community Healthcare Programming
- Immune Conditions
- Student Precepting
- Tissue Preparation
- Accurate Dosages
- Delegation and Motivation
- Rehabilitation Assistance
- Staff Development
- Cleaning and Bandaging Wounds
- Medical Histories and Vital Statistics
- Acute Myocardial Infarction identification and treatment
- Therapy and Counseling
- Infection Control Procedures
- Withdrawal Symptoms
- Ulcer Diagnosis and Treatment
- Seizure Disorders
- Tracheotomy Equipment
- First Aid
- Family and Patient Support
- Pulmonary Conditions
- Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome
- Treatment Plan Modification
- Oral Hygiene
- Emergency Diagnostics
- Glucose Testing
- Crisis Resolution
- Inmate Monitoring
- Scheduling Medical Appointments
- Problem Management
- Situational Awareness
- Critical Thinking
- Active Listening
- Visual Inspections
- Corrections Environments
- Preventing Incidents
- Equipment Inspection
- Suicide Prevention
- Basic First Aid
- Interpersonal Communication Skills
- Mobility Devices
- Pressure Wound Treatment
- Skin Grafts care
- Patient Advocacy
- Wound Surgical Procedures care
- Proper Staffing
- Post-Surgical Care
- Photo Documentation
- Hospice and Palliative Care
- Debridement
- Disease Treatment
- Injury Treatment
- Monitoring Telemetry
- Suture Removal
- Chronic Renal Disease Management

WORK HISTORY

10/2021 to Current

Emergency Room Registered Nurse

The Hospitals Of Providence Sierra Campus

- Collaborated with physicians to quickly assess patients and deliver appropriate treatment while managing rapidly changing conditions.
- Administered different therapies and medications in line with physician orders and

treatment plan.

- Educated patients and answered questions about health condition, prognosis and treatment.
- Communicated openly and collaboratively with all healthcare staff to organize successful patient care.
- Answered codes quickly and orchestrated efficient, skilled medical care.
- Administered medications via oral, IV and intramuscular injections and monitored responses.
- Educated family members and caregivers on patient care instructions.
- Teamed on trauma and emergency interventions involving serious head injuries, gunshot wounds and thoracic trauma.
- Trained new nurses in proper techniques, care standards, operational procedures and safety protocols.
- Updated patient charts with data such as medications to keep records current and support accurate treatments.
- Kept optimal supply levels in treatment rooms, triage and other areas to meet typical patient loads.
- Vaccinated patients to protect individuals from measles, pneumonia, influenza and other illnesses of concern.
- Performed triage on incoming patients and determined severity of injuries and illnesses.
- Provided skilled, timely and level-headed emergency response to critically-ill patients.
- Delivered high level of quality care to diverse populations while overseeing patient admission and triaging based on acuity and appropriate department admission.
- Evaluated patient histories, complaints and current symptoms.
- Monitored patient reactions after administering medications and IV therapies.
- Advocated for and strived to protect health, safety and rights of patient.
- Offered exceptional care and support to individuals recovering from acute incidents and dealing with chronic conditions.
- Provided exceptional care to high-acute patients needing complex care such as ventilator management, extensive wound care and rehabilitation.
- Followed all personal and health data procedures to effectively comply with HIPAA laws and prevent information breaches.

10/2021 to Current

Telephone Triage Registered Nurse

Department Of Health And Human Services

- Obtained case history and gathered triage information to determine appropriate avenue for care.
- Performed additional clinic and non-triage nurse duties such as instructing patients in general and specific medical care and health issues and administering or dispensing medication and injections.
- Relayed triage information and facilitated communication between provider and patient concerning patient disposition.
- Counseled patients via telephone according to established guidelines and

- protocols, advising on provider-established plans of care.
- Scheduled appointments for patients not requiring emergency services but needing examination from provider and consulting directly with provider.
 - Educated family members and caregivers on patient care instructions.
 - Advocated for and strived to protect health, safety and rights of patient.
 - Communicated with healthcare team members to plan, implement and enhance treatment strategies.
 - Explained course of care and medication side effects to patients and caregivers in easy-to-understand terms.
 - Quickly responded to situations impacting safety and security to unit, actualizing crisis prevention interventions to control and de-escalate situations.
 - Recorded details regarding therapies to keep patient charts updated.

04/2020 to 01/2022 **Home Health Nurse**

Sierra Home Health & Hospice

- Provided physical assessments, medication and chronic disease management to home health patients.
- Advised and coached patients progressing from hospitals, rehab facilities and other medical organizations to at-home treatment settings.
- Worked with multidisciplinary team to carry out successful treatment plans for diverse acute and chronic conditions.
- Determined and addresses individual home care needs by completing detailed assessments and reviewing documentation.
- Delivered after-hours care to patients based on strict role-call rotations.
- Introduced changes to patient care plans based on regular evaluations and patient changes.
- Responded to patient requests with appropriate clinical and personal assistance.
- Collaborated with vendors to procure medical equipment, supplies and services.
- Took samples to complete diagnostic and routine assessment tests.
- Provided all daily living tasks to enhance quality of life for elderly patients.
- Educated family members and caregivers on patient care instructions.
- Evaluated patient histories, complaints and current symptoms.
- Accurately documented treatment, medications and IVs administered, discharge instructions and follow-up care.
- Explained course of care and medication side effects to patients and caregivers in easy-to-understand terms.
- Managed patients recovering from medical or surgical procedures.
- Monitored patient reactions after administering medications and IV therapies.
- Provided skilled, timely and level-headed emergency response to critically-ill patients.
- Followed all personal and health data procedures to effectively comply with HIPAA laws and prevent information breaches.
- Promoted patient and family comfort during challenging recoveries to enhance healing and eliminate non-compliance problems.

02/2020 to 04/2021 **Correctional Nurse**

Dona Ana County Detention Center

- Created and implemented care plans for prisoners suffering from chronic conditions.
- Stabilized prisoners suffering from falls, stab wounds or other injuries prior to hospital transfer.
- Treated variety of illnesses affecting offenders in close quarters.
- Performed mental health evaluations when warranted and recommended patients to therapists.
- Complied with all security regulations within prison system and administered care in safest possible environment.
- Evaluated patient histories, complaints and current symptoms.
- Performed triage on incoming patients and determined severity of injuries and illnesses.
- Facilitated therapeutic communication, conflict resolution and crisis intervention by redirecting negative behaviors and helping patients regain or improve coping abilities.
- Reported findings to quality departments after conducting routine restraint audits and worked with team to devise corrective actions for deficiencies.

11/2019 to 02/2021 **LVN Charge Nurse**

Las Cruces Post-Acute Care & Rehabilitation

- Administered medications and treatments to patients as ordered by physician, maintaining accountability for accurate narcotic count at end of each shift.
- Documented medications administered, treatments and patient procedures performed in appropriate records according to privacy requirements.
- Monitored nursing care, patient assessment processes and treatment implementations.
- Documented information in patients' electronic medical record, relaying information to clinicians and care providers to facilitate continuity of care.
- Supervise team members on the floor, such as nurses, physical therapists, culinary team and ensuring to provide highest quality level of care possible.
- Cared for patients' wounds and changed dressings.
- Interacted smoothly with patients and loved ones, updated on care plans and advocated for needs.
- Worked with patients diagnosed with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), asthma, congestive heart failure (CHF), cerebrovascular accidents (CVA), diabetes or sepsis to assess needs and determine best options for care.
- Coordinated nursing care on unit through staff assignments, assisting and rounding with physicians, monitoring patient orders and communicating with ancillary departments.
- Managed JP drains and chest, nasogastric, G and peg tubes.
- Supervised patient admissions and discharges from hospital to home care, rehabilitative facility or self-care.
- Assessed patients' temperature, pulse and blood pressure and recorded in electronic

medical records.

- Worked with multidisciplinary team to carry out successful treatment plans for diverse acute and chronic conditions.
- Helped long-term care residents with bathing, dressing, feeding and other daily living activities.
- Provided diagnosis information, treatment possibilities, disease management tips and wound care advice to patients, loved ones and caregivers.
- Took samples to complete diagnostic and routine assessment tests.
- Helped patients complete bathing, dressing and eating.

EDUCATION

01/2020 **Associate Degree In Nursing: Nursing**
New Mexico State University - Dona Ana Community College - Las Cruces, NM

01/2018 **Licensed Practical Nurse: Nursing**
El Paso Community College - El Paso, TX

CERTIFICATIONS

- ACLS
- PALS
- TNCC
- Mental health first aid
- BLS
- Eyesight and hearing screener

LANGUAGES

English

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Spanish

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