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Experienced and caring Registered Nursing professional with experience delivering compassionate and quality health care to high acuity patients in an acute care environment. Strong leadership skills and a commitment to the nursing profession with excellent communication abilities and technical knowledge. Enjoys meeting challenges and multitasking, while exuding a positive attitude, assisting with pain management, and providing quality care in a safe environment.

**SKILLS**

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| Focused Assessments | Electronic Health Records | Patient Charting and Monitoring | Training and Mentoring |
| CPR Certified | Psychosocial Nursing | Palliative and hospice care | Wound and drain care |
| Parenteral and Enteral Medications | Bladder Scans and Catheterization | Pharmacology | Pre and post operation care |
| Medical Terminology | Geriatric Nursing | Head to Toe Assessments | Organization and Time Management |

**EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

**Professional Nursing Associate of Science**  September 2020

 Rasmussen College, Rockford, IL

**Clinical Experience and Skills:**
Holistic Health Assessment, Mom/Baby, Labor and delivery, Vital Signs, Proficient use of Electronic Health Record (EPIC), Acute Care, Telemetry, Surgery, Infection Control, Pediatrics, Medication Administration, Pain Management, Mobility, Charting, Documentation, Patient Education , Mental Health, Head- toe Assessments

**Clinical Locations:**

* Javon Bae Hospital Rockford IL – Maternal child unit and Labor and Delivery
* Mercy Health Hospital Rockford IL- Medical-Surgical floor
* Beloit memorial Hospital- Maternal child/ Labor and Delivery/Pediatrics
* Mercy health Janesville WI- Medical-Surgical/Mental Health/GI Lab/ICU

**RELATED EXPERIENCE**

**Swedish American Hospital** 2020-present

* Provide direct care for up to 8 high acuity patients with multiple medical diagnoses.
* Prepares and administers (orally, subcutaneously, through an IV) and records prescribed medications. Reports adverse reactions to medications or treatments in accordance with the policy regarding the administration of medications by a licensed registered nurse.
* Educates patients on surgical procedures.
* Records patients’ medical information and vital signs.
* Monitors and adjusts specialized equipment used on patients, and interprets and records electronic displays.
* Initiates corrective action whenever the patient displays adverse symptomatology.
* Provides bedside care for a wide variety of medical patients, including pre- and post-surgery patients.
* Initiates patient education plan, as prescribed by physician. Teaches patients and significant others how to manage their illness/injury, by explaining: post-treatment home care needs.
* Changes dressings, inserts catheters, Nasogastric tubes, starts IVs.
* Consults and coordinates with health care team members to assess, plan, implement and evaluate patient care plans.
* Provide an environment of pain relief and comfort for palliative and hospice care patients.

**Presence Health Cor Mariae Center** 2013-2014

**Certified Nursing Assistant**

* Provide direct care for up to 25 patients aimed at increasing comfort, social and spiritual well-being by providing assistance with hygiene, physical comfort, nutrition, elimination, prevention of skin breakdown, rehabilitation, and safety
* Monitor vital signs and assist with transferring residents in and out of wheelchairs, mechanical lifts, and use of adaptive equipment
* Promote continuity of care by communicating to other healthcare workers the status of patient

**ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE**

* Sales associate -DEB 2013-2014
* Sales associate- GameStop 2012
* Construction clean-up 2013-2014

 **REFERENCES**

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