

# Melinda Milton, RN, BSN

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My goal is to obtain a position as a Registered Nurse, utilizing my years of experience, in a healthcare setting.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

## Work Experience

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### **Senior RN/Cardiac ICU/CVICU**

Augusta University Medical Center - Augusta, GA

April 2019 to Present

706-721-6366

I work a minimum of 24 hours a week in the Cardiac ICU/CVICU. I precept students and new hires as assigned and am one of the charge nurses. I teach IV insertion using ultrasound guidance. I am proficient in hemodynamic monitoring using PA catheters and continuous cardiac output monitoring, Flow Trac management, arterial line and central line management, IABP (intra-aortic balloon pump), Impella, open heart recovery, LVAD trained, CRRT super user, IV by ultrasound super user.

### **PRN Case Manager/ Hospice Nurse**

St. Joseph Hospice; 1220 George C. Wilson Dr - Augusta, GA

August 2017 to March 2019

I was the regular on call CM/RN from 5pm to 8am Monday through Thursday and some weekends. I performed emergency visits, death pronouncements, after hours admissions. I handled all after hours phone calls from patients and families and obtained appropriate orders from our medical directors and arranged equipment and services to be delivered. I called in medications to local pharmacies as needed and arranged for regular medications to be delivered from the hospice pharmacy. I attended interdisciplinary meetings bimonthly. I performed routine patient visits to assist in vacation coverage.

### **Adult Vascular Access Team/ Senior RN**

Augusta University Medical Center - Augusta, GA

August 2011 to October 2016

706-721-0214

I was employed as a full time PICC nurse on the AVAT team. I maintained my VA-BC while on the team. I was trained in bedside insertion of PICC lines using ultrasound guidance and gained my VA-BC during that time. I accessed and maintained implanted ports, hemodialysis catheters, central lines, and Hickman catheters for chemotherapy. I was a resource for doctors and floor nurses for trouble shooting central lines, performing difficult IV insertions, teaching iv insertions, certifying central lines placed by physicians, performing daily surveillance and prevention on all central lines, and precepting and teaching as needed.

### **PACU RN**

Augusta University Medical Center - Augusta, GA

April 2010 to August 2011

I was employed as a prn PACU nurse. I recovered inpatients and outpatients in the immediate post operative period. I managed ventilated patients and those hemodynamically unstable. I regularly was the on call PACU RN at night and weekends. I left this position to take a full time job within the facility.

### **RN: full time to prn**

Doctors Hospital of Augusta - Augusta - Augusta, GA

July 2000 to July 2011

706-651-3232

I began working in the intensive care unit as a new grad nurse in 2000. I worked full time for 3 years and changed my status to prn to accommodate family needs and continued to work a regular part time schedule. From 2003 to 2010, I split my time between the emergency department and the ICU. I was a relief charge nurse, preceptor, yearly competency instructor, and taught critical care classes. I was trained in Swan Ganz use and monitoring, IABP management. ICP monitoring and bedside insertion, CRRT initiation and management, certification of central and sterile lines placed at the bedside, ventilator management and intubation procedures. I was PALS certified, BLS, ACLS, and TNCC during this time. ICU patients consisted of teens to geriatric. In the ER, I managed the care of newborn up to geriatric.

## Education

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### **BSN**

WESTERN GOVERNORS UNIVERSITY

February 2022

### **nursing**

ARMSTRONG STATE UNIVERSITY - Savannah, GA

1992 to 1994

### **Biology and Psychology**

HARDING UNIVERSITY - Searcy, AR

August 1991 to June 1992

### **ADN**

AUGUSTA STATE UNIVERSITY

## Nursing Licenses

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### **RN**

Expires: April 2024

State: SC

## Skills

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- Critical Care Experience (10+ years)
- Hospice Care (2 years)
- ICU Experience (10+ years)
- EMR Systems (10+ years)

- Medication Administration (10+ years)
- Triage (7 years)
- Hospital Experience (10+ years)
- Cerner (10+ years)
- Nursing (10+ years)
- Case Management (2 years)
- Patient Care (10+ years)
- Supervising Experience (10+ years)
- Phlebotomy (10+ years)
- Experience Administering Injections
- Venipuncture (10+ years)
- Home Care (2 years)
- Management
- Teaching (8 years)
- Leadership
- Charge experience

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **BLS Certification**

June 1993 to August 2024

### **RN**

July 2000 to June 2022

Active compact r n license

### **ACLS Certification**

August 2024

## Assessments

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