

LaTisha Dandridge

COVID NURSE, LVN Field Nurse, LVN Charge Nurse

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Willing to relocate to: Houston, TX - Cypress, TX - Pearland, TX

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

LVN Staff Nurse

MID-JEFFERSON EXTENDED CARE HOSPITAL - Nederland, TX

March 2022 to Present

- Performed nursing care for critical care, medical-surgical, trauma, surgery, telemetry, wound care, pulmonology, rehab, neurology, cardiology and oncology unit patients
- Assessed patient physical, social, language or mental needs
- Provided support services regarding treatments and administration of medication as ordered
- Continuously monitored patients' conditions
- Provided life-saving interventions
- Provided discharge planning
- Performed direct clinic nursing administrative duties
- Evaluated nursing care delivered by other non-licensed student workers

TRAVEL LVN, COVID INFUSION NURSE

The Execu|Search Group - Beaumont, TX

August 2021 to January 2022

- IV therapy nurse inserts, monitors and removes an IV used to give medications & fluids to a patient.
- During the IV therapy, the nurse monitors the patient for adverse reactions and ensures that the tubing, bandages and needle stay in place.
- Taking all necessary infection prevention and control measures.
- Assess the IV insertion site and transparent dressing on IV site.
- Check IV insertion site for signs and symptoms of phlebitis or infection.
- Monitor the patient for anaphylaxis while receiving the infusion and 1 hr after.
- Check for fluid leaking, redness, pain, tenderness, and swelling. IV site should be free from pain, tenderness, redness, or swelling.
- Collect v/s
- Monitor & report to physician any side effects or adverse reactions.

COVID-19 Vaccinator LVN

The Execu|Search Group - Houston, TX

November 2021 to November 2021

- SN prepare vaccine, ensure informed consent, administer vaccine, clean vaccinator station between clients, and ensure client receives COVID-19 vaccination record
- Perform COVID screenings

- Preparing vaccine doses
- help educate vaccine recipients
- Ensuring the safe handling, storage of PFIZER, JANSEN & JANSEN, MODERNA, & PEDI PFIZER
- Draw up vaccines and/or injections for administration.
- Monitor clients for 15 mins after administering covid 19 vaccination.

LVN Field Nurse

Texas Total Care, Inc. - Vidor, TX
February 2020 to July 2021

Duties include:

- Document symptoms and vital signs
- Perform Collection of COVID-19 swabs
- Follows current TX and CDC guidelines, regulations, requirements and best practices on COVID-19 patients.
- Monitor patient health and update care plan accordingly
- Instruct patients and their families on proper home care
- Provide suggestions to improve safety at home
- Detect early symptoms that could lead to a hospital visit.
- Provide empathetic nursing care and effective counselling to patients.
- Use medical equipment and supplies appropriate to a clinical setting.
- Assist physicians and mid-level practitioners with examination and treatment of patients.
- Assess patient needs; counsel patient and provide information as appropriate to patient and family; and provide education and referral.
- Supervise home health aides
- Communicate with physicians, social workers or other health advisors
- Provide encouragement and support
- Administer medications and assist with pain management
- Create reports to track the patients' progress.
- Work with other professionals to create treatment plans.
- Proficient in skills such as manual blood pressure, finger stick, height/weight measurements, BMI, and flu shot administration
- Timely and accurate documentation
- Clean and re-dress wounds if needed
- Monitor changes in behavior and progress.
- Draw blood, collect urine samples, collect wound cultures and send it to the lab
- administer vaccinations
- support specimen collection;
- Administer prescribed medication; give diagnostic skin tests and read results; prepare, sterilize and maintain instruments and other equipment used in diagnosis and treatment; and take proper care of specimens obtained.
- Maintain charts, records and reports; and handle special complicated billings and charges.

LVN Charge Nurse

Daybreak Venture, LLC - Orange, TX
May 2016 to March 2020

- Duties include: *providing care and treatment for the sick, injured or disabled as prescribed by physicians
- chart patients' vital signs
 - dress wounds

- prepare equipment
- assist with personal hygiene
- monitor patients' reactions to medication or treatment and report back to the supervising physician or the RN to manage a treatment plan *delegating nursing assignments
- Skills in handling emergency and life-threatening situations
- preparing schedules
- overseeing admissions and discharges
- monitoring and ordering medicines and supplies.

Certified Nurse's Aide (CNA)

The Meadows Nursing and Rehab of Orange - Orange, TX
March 2012 to May 2016

Duties include:

- Answer patient call signals, signal lights, bells, or intercom systems to determine patients' needs,
- Change bed linens or make beds,
- Document or otherwise report observations of patient behavior, complaints, or physical symptoms to nurses,
- Feed patients or assist patients to eat or drink,
- Provide patients with help moving in and out of beds, baths, wheelchairs, or automobiles
- Assist with dressing, grooming, cleaning, or assisting with their personal care.

Education

Diploma in General

Lamar state college - Orange, TX
2013 to 2015

VOCATIONAL

VOCATIONAL Nursing in NURSING

Nursing Licenses

PN

Expires: August 2023

State: TX

Skills

- CUSTOMER SERVICE (10+ years)
- RECEPTIONIST (4 years)
- RETAIL SALES (4 years)
- 70 WPM (10+ years)
- PEOPLE ORIENTED (10+ years)
- CNA (4 years)
- LVN (5 years)

- Pediatrics
- Home Health
- Nursing Home Experience (8 years)
- Medication Administration (5 years)
- Patient Care (10+ years)
- English
- Home Health (1 year)
- Vital Signs Experience (10+ years)
- Phlebotomy (3 years)
- Home Care (3 years)
- Nursing (4 years)
- Pain Management
- Critical Care Experience
- Laboratory Experience
- Tube Feeding (4 years)
- Experience Administering Injections (5 years)
- Documentation review
- Behavioral health
- Hospice Care
- EMR Systems
- Covid-19 testing (1 year)
- Caregiving
- Supervising Experience
- Travel nursing
- LPN (5 years)

Certifications and Licenses

LVN

May 2016 to August 2023

Licensed vocational nurse

IV Certification

Present

CPR & First Aid

February 2020 to February 2022

CPR

Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)

BLS Certification

Assessments

Reliability — Proficient

February 2020

Tendency to be dependable and come to work

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Patient-focused care — Highly Proficient

July 2021

Responding to patient concerns with sensitivity

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Work style: Reliability — Highly Proficient

July 2021

Tendency to be reliable, dependable, and act with integrity at work

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Electronic health records: Best practices — Proficient

July 2021

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

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Indeed Assessments provides skills tests that are not indicative of a license or certification, or continued development in any professional field.

Additional Information

Skills & Abilities

- Time management
- Critical thinking and conflict resolution
- Delegation and teamwork management
- Customer service
- Technologically savvy
- Monitoring patient's condition
- Sound ability to observe, monitor, administer immunizations and medications, and ability to perform physical exam
- People Oriented
- Proactive
- Strong Communicator
- Typing Speed: 50-70 WPM