**Aurielle Lewis (Veteran)**

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**EDUCATION and CREDENTIALS**

**Excelsior College** – Registered Nurse (RN), 2021

**Southeast Louisiana Technical College** – Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN), 2008

**Professional Development Training**

* Certified LPN
* Certified CPI (Crisis Prevention Intervention)
* NLC Multi-state license

**Military Affiliation:** Operation Iraqi Freedom Veteran who honorably served 10 years in the United States Army (2001-2011).

**Nursing – Patient Care/Therapy – Communication – Analysis/Evaluation – Management**

Highly skilled, resourceful, and attentive professional, offering 12+ years of achievements and expertise in the field of nursing. My years of experience includes, but not limited to patient care, charting/documentation, patient therapy, consultation/communication and management of CNAs; excels in managing patients, caseloads and setting priorities; demonstrates a solid comprehension of medical policies, legal standards and patient confidentiality agreements. Recognized as an exceptional team leader and problem solver.

**Technology Snapshot:** MS Office Suite (Excel, Outlook, Powerpoint, etc) | CPRS | AHT

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Perimeter Healthcare – RN** (full time) **05/2021 - Present**

Kenner, LA

* Assists healthcare provider with comprehensive psychiatric services; focuses on patient treatment, medication management, and after care planning
* Assesses patients using the Clinical Opiate Withdrawal Scale (COWS) and the Clinical Institute Withdrawal Assessment (CIWA) to measure opiate and alcohol withdrawal
* Administers medication as required; executes doctors orders
* Charts/documents patient information to include history, current conditions, and medications; disseminates information as required
* Directs and supervises daily work of LPNs and Mental Health technicians; delegates work as required
* Performs phlebotomy tasks, collects and logs specimens, and assists in the coordination of lab result reporting processes

**Advantage Medical Professionals – LPN** (part time) **01/2016 – 04/2021**

Metairie, LA

* Directed and supervised daily work of CNAs; delegates work as required
* Performed phlebotomy tasks, collects and logs specimens, and assists in the coordination of lab result reporting processes
* Routinely performed IV starts, EKGs, injections, enteral feedings, and the insertion/removal of catheters
* Provided post-surgical care for patients such as pain management, wound treatment, and infection treatment
* Administered respiratory treatment
* Documented patient information to include history, current conditions, and medications; disseminates information as required
* Communicated health issues and recommendations to staff, health care providers and families
* Assisted with the preparation of equipment and assists physicians during treatment, examination, and testing of patients

**The Atrium Assisted Living – LPN** (part time) **01/2018 – 03/2020**

Metairie, LA

* Oversaw the performance of CNAs
* Performed tasks such as wound care, injections, Accu checks, and respiratory therapy; provided patients with education required to maintain good health
* Provided basic treatment for patients; blood pressure measurements, glucose checks, and performed catherizations
* Evaluated and assessed patient care needs; documented and distributed patient information timely/accurately to healthcare provider
* Collected blood, tissue, and other laboratory specimens; prepared them for lab testing
* Assisted in the assessment and development of written care plan for residents

**Gifted Nurses – LPN (part time) 03/2012 – 01/2018**

Metairie, LA

* Provided patient care support and assisted providers as instructed by the physicians
* Oversaw the performance of CNAs
* Accurately charted patient health information to include but not limited to history, current medical conditions, and medications
* Performed IV starts, injections, insertion/removal of catheters, administered vaccinations and TB test, and Accu checks
* Conducted patient assessments and diagnostic tests to provide physician with better understanding of patient health
* Assisted physicians during patient treatments and examinations
* Maintained patient confidentiality and HIPAA compliance

**Southeast Louisiana Veterans Healthcare System – LPN** (full time) **11/2014 – 07/2017**

New Orleans, LA

* Provided patient care support and assisted providers as instructed by the physicians
* Performed diagnostic imaging to include teleretinal and teledermatology
* Provided assessments to health services administrators, physicians, and nurses
* Oversaw the performance of CNAs
* Documented patient vitals such as blood pressure and weight
* Administered Flu and Pneumonia vaccinations
* Utilized EKG equipment to help physicians identify cardiovascular problems in patients

**Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women – LPN (full time) 08/2013 – 08/2014** St. Gabriel, LA

* Conducted inventory duties; ordered medications and laboratory supplies
* Performed tasks such as wound care, injections, Accu checks, respiratory therapy, insertion/removal of catheters, and TB testing
* Performed IV starts and EKG evaluations
* Evaluated and assessed patient care needs; documented and distributed patient information timely/accurately to healthcare provider
* Charted/documented patient health information
* Educated patients on proper maintenance of health and wellness
* Administered vaccinations

**New Orleans Jobcorp – Well Nurse (full time) 12/2012 – 03/2013**

New Orleans, LA

* Provided counseling and education to patients to promote healthy living habits
* Distributed prescribed medications to patients as directed
* Scheduled appointments and managed physician referrals
* Performed testing and examinations of patients to include STD screenings; also conducted STD counseling
* Documented patient vitals such as blood pressure and weight
* Evaluated and assessed patient care needs; documented and distributed patient information timely/accurately to healthcare provider

**Tulane Medical Center – LPN (full time) 12/2011 – 12/2012**

New Orleans, LA

* Provided patient care support and assisted providers as instructed by the physicians
* Accurately charted patient health information to include but not limited to history, current medical conditions, and medications
* Performed IV starts, injections, insertion/removal of catheters, administered vaccinations and TB test, and Accu checks
* Conducted patient assessments and diagnostic tests to provide physician with better understanding of patient health

**Southeast Louisiana War Veterans Home – LPN (part time) 04/2010 – 02/2012**

Reserve, LA

* Provided patient care support and assisted providers as instructed by the physicians
* Provided assessments to health services administrators, physicians, and nurses
* Performed IV starts, injections, insertion/removal of catheters, administered vaccinations and TB test, and Accu checks
* Recorded patient vitals such as blood pressure and weight; recorded patient medical history and current medical conditions
* Distributed prescribed medications to patients as directed

**Summerville Assisted Living – LPN (full time) 09/2011 – 10/2011**

Kenner, LA

* Provided patient care support and assisted providers as instructed by the physicians
* Performed phlebotomy tasks, collected and logged specimens, and assisted in the coordination of lab result reporting processes
* Performed IV starts, EKGs, injections, enteral feedings, and the insertion/removal of catheters
* Conducted MARs reconciliation

**Metairie Healthcare – LPN (full time) 06/2009 – 07/2009**

Metairie, LA

* Provided assessments to health services administrators, physicians, and nurses
* Charted patients’ medical condition, history, prescriptions and other vital medical information
* Completed patient vitals such as blood pressure and weight
* Performed IV starts, EKGs, injections, enteral feedings, and the insertion/removal of catheters
* Performed wound care

**Medpass – LPN (full time) 06/2008 – 03/2009**

Gonzales, LA

* Provided patient care support and assisted providers as instructed by the physicians
* Provided assessments to health services administrators, physicians, and nurses
* Distributed prescribed medications to patients as directed
* Admitted/discharged patients
* Conducted MARs reconciliation

**Other Recognitions**

* Member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) association
* Member of the Delta Zeta Delta Sorority; Louisiana Chapter Secretary