

# Shana Franklin

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- Well-qualified RN extensive experience in medical surgical settings
- Knowledgeable and skilled at maximizing patient comfort and safety while meeting strict cost control standards
- Well-organized and forward-thinking in managing patient needs
- Passionate about delivering compassionate patient care with respect to individual patient needs
- Analytical problem-solving abilities and advanced clinical expertise

## Work Experience

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### **Travel RN**

Emory Hospital, Hillandale location - Lithonia, GA  
April 2022 to July 2022

#### ✓ Med Surg & Telemetry

- Monitor patient vitals signs, administer medications via IV, PO, SQ/IM.
- Establish IV access to take blood samples, monitor, and record input and output in patients with renal, gastroenteric, cardiac conditions.
- Educate patients and their families on disease processes, med/surg and tele procedures and medication.
- Assist patient with activities of daily living. Ensured that patients were properly prepared for EKGs and stress tests.
- Completed daily assessments of patient conditions.

### **Travel RN**

Landmark Hospital - Savannah, GA  
November 2021 to February 2022

#### LTAC/

#### Critical Care Hospital

- The management of multiple, long-term, complex medical conditions, multiple system failures
- Administer medications to treat patients' symptoms and address underlying disease progression.
- Educate patients and caregiver of various available external resources to support wound management and disease management.
- Tracheostomy and ventilator assistance.

### **Mental Health/Acute Psychiatric Unit Nurse RN**

MHM Services - Centurion - Decatur, GA  
October 2013 to February 2022

- Provide care to psychiatric patients to promote & improve their overall health utilizing the nursing process in triage.
- Facilitated therapeutic communication, conflict resolution and crisis intervention by redirecting negative behaviors and helping patients regain or improve coping abilities.

- Professional training and various resources in accordance with regulatory agencies and established guidelines.
- Assisted patients initially and every shift to maintain current understanding of conditions and presentations.

### **Neuro Trauma Unit**

Orlando Regional Medical Center (Level I Trauma) - Orlando, FL  
August 2021 to October 2021

- Provide care and administer medications to patients with head and spinal trauma from accidents, or illnesses, such as Parkinson's disease, meningitis, encephalitis, epilepsy, and multiple sclerosis.
- Care for patients with strokes and congenital disabilities that have affected the nervous system.

### **Cardiac Telemetry**

St. Francis Hospital - Memphis, TN  
June 2021 to August 2021

- Admit patient, complete patient assessments, administer patients' medications/dosages.
- Interpret physician instructions, monitor patients for dysrhythmias, pre and post-surgical/cardiac procedures, assist with "codes, " titrate cardiac drips.

### **Med-Surg/Ortho/Telemetry/IMCU/TCU/CDU/Acute Care/Trauma - Staff RN**

Piedmont Hospital (Level I Trauma) - Stockbridge, GA  
July 2019 to August 2021

- Develop and implement nursing care for surgical and medical patients with multidisciplinary team members to facilitate comprehensive care.
- IV therapy, administer medications, TPN, PPN, IVP medications, administer blood products, CPM machines, caring for drains, patient teaching, fracture and arthroplasty care, surgical incision care.
- Provide safety and comfort measures.
- Documented work in EPIC and update patients' charts with orders and observations.
- Charge nurse experience.

### **Travel RN**

Select Specialty Hospital - Macon, GA  
February 2021 to April 2021

Critical Care Hospital

- Protected care for critically ill patients from unnecessary risks by limiting visitors, using proper PPE and using strong infection control procedures.
- Care for tracheostomy and ventilated patients.
- IV therapy, critical drips, TPN, PPN, IVP medications, blood administration.
- Wound care management.

### **Travel RN**

Landmark Hospital - Athens, GA  
September 2020 to September 2020

Critical Care Hospital

- Administered medications to treat patients' symptoms and address underlying disease progression.
- Took samples such as blood and urine to complete diagnostic and routine assessment test.
- Educate patients and caregiver of various available external resources to support wound management and disease management.

- Tracheostomy and vent care.

### **Internal Med/Ambulatory Care /Geriatrics/ LPN-Nurse Float Pool**

Kaiser Permanente - South Region

January 2017 to October 2019

- Assist physicians in health care facilities and perform duties such as delivering patient care, administering injections and medications, monitoring vital signs, performing tests, handling medical emergencies, and recording patient behavior.
- Informed patients and families of effective treatment options and at-home care strategies, enhancing long-term outcomes.

### **LPN Charge Nurse/LTAC/Trach/Vent/Wound Care**

Pruitt Health Brookhaven Health & Rehab - Atlanta, GA

- Evaluate residents' needs, develop care plans, and supervise the care provided by nursing aides.
- Administer prescribed medicines, IV therapy, trach and vent care. Taking vital signs, administering injections. Wound care. Monitoring patients for change in condition.

## Education

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### **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

Chamberlain University

July 2021

### **Associate of Science in Nursing**

Southern Crescent Technical College - Griffin, GA

May 2019

## Skills

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- Medication Administration
- Infection Control
- Disease Management
- Electronic Health Records
- EPIC
- CERNER
- Safety
- Quality
- Policies
- Nursing
- Triage
- EMR Systems

## Certifications and Licenses

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**RN License**

**BLS Certification**

**Compact State Nurse License**

**Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)**

**NIHSS**