

# Stephanie Atlas

## **Registered Nurse**

Fort Myers, FL

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Authorized to work in the US for any employer

## Work Experience

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### **Travel Nurse**

Innovent Global - Cape Coral, FL

October 2021 to Present

Progressive Care Unit for Emergency Department patients under observation status. Majority of patients are admitted for chest pain/cardiac workup.

### **Registered Nurse (RN)**

New York Presbyterian Columbia Medical Center - New York, NY

January 2015 to October 2021

- NYP performs more transplant surgeries than any other hospital in the nation
- Exercised clinical judgment and skills to the highest extent of my nursing license caring for liver, lung, renal, pancreas and small bowel transplant patients pre and postoperatively
- Infection prevention and education for the different types of isolation
- Administered and monitored time sensitive transplant immunosuppressant and chemotherapy medications and transfusions for induction, maintenance and rejection therapy such as Thymoglobulin, Simulect, tacrolimus, sirolimus, mycophenolate mofetil, rituximab
- Coordinated with research team and principal investigator to administer clinical trial study drugs as per research guidelines while educating and monitoring patient
- Step-down monitoring, ventilator management, wound care, nasogastric and peg tube care, blood transfusions, PICC line/midline care, chest tube management, hourly fluid repletion for renal transplants
- In depth patient education on medications, immune support measurements upon leaving the hospital and signs of possible infection/rejection
- Member of the transplant unit-based council which consisted of monthly meetings to discuss unit outcomes, review and revise transplant nursing policies for the hospital and quality improvement projects
- Clinical Nurse Educator/Preceptor for new nurse hires to the unit. 3 month clinical orientation process in which nursing assessment skills, critical thinking and triage skills, transplant knowledge and nursing documentation are taught.

### **Registered Nurse**

Surgical Intensive Care Unit - Roslyn, NY

December 2013 to December 2014

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL, Roslyn, NY (December 2013- December 2014)

Registered Nurse, Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Beacon Award Winning Unit

- Responsible for delivery of care to critically ill patients both pre and post surgery requiring intubation and mechanical ventilation, vasoactive and sedative drips, hemodynamic bedside monitoring, and in depth computer documentation. Critical thinking skills are utilized in working collaboratively with surgeons, physicians, mid-level practitioners and respiratory therapists to discuss and identify patient needs.
- Some unique surgical patients on the unit are craniotomy patients with ventriculostomy drains and ICP monitoring and DIEP breast tissue oxygenation monitoring.
- Member of the rapid response and code team responding to codes throughout the hospital and providing appropriate medical care, administering emergency medications, and documenting the code interventions and outcome

### **Registered Nurse**

Congestive Heart Failure Telemetry Unit - Roslyn, NY  
January 2013 to December 2013

Magnet nursing institution nationally recognized for their arrhythmia and pacemaker center, congestive heart failure program and excellence in cardiac surgery. St Francis Hospital ranked #8 nationwide for cardiology and heart surgery.

- Exhibited leadership skills within the role of a new graduate nurse who later became a Charge nurse on a 36-bed adult telemetry medical surgical unit, 1:8 nurse-patient ratio, which were majorly congestive heart failure patients.
- Cared for patients pre/postoperative open-heart surgery including, but not limited to those undergoing CABG, valve replacements, TAA repair and transcatheter aortic valve implantation that is currently under clinical trials. Nonsurgical treatments included coronary artery stenting, radiofrequency ablation for arrhythmias and electrophysiology studies.
- Promoted to relief charge nurse after only six months with the hospital, supervised a staff of 6 nurses and 3 ancillary staff. Ensured optimal patient care and safety on the unit and promoted the confidence of new graduate nurses through clinical teaching moments. Involved in Magnet unit based council.

### **Operating room nurse**

DR. SHERWYN PLASTIC SURGERY - Manhattan, NY  
March 2012 to September 2012

Set up operating room for procedures, worked as scrub nurse and circulating nurse, sterilized and wrapped instruments, monitored patients post-procedure

## Education

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

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY - New York, NY  
2012

### **Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences/Anesthesia Technology**

STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY - Stony Brook, NY  
May 2010

## Skills

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- SKILLS Nursing Process ♦ Patient-Family Education ♦ Critical care assessment ♦ Central line care ♦ IV medication titration ♦ Dressing Changes ♦ Safety precautions ♦ Hemodynamic bedside monitoring ♦ Arterial line management ♦ Code and Rapid Response Protocol ♦ Ventilator care ♦ Blood transfusions and vasoactive medication titration ♦ Phlebotomy ♦ Chest tube management/JP and Blake drains ♦ EKG interpretation ♦ Electrolyte monitoring ♦ IV PCA Pain medication ♦ Nurse driven Heparin nomogram ♦ Insulin drip titration protocol ♦ Wound vac ♦ Foley care
- ICU Experience
- Triage
- Clinical Research
- Clinical Trials
- Medication Administration

## Awards

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### **New York University Cum Laude**

May 2012

Graduated with honors

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **BLS for Healthcare Providers**

### **New York State Registered Nurse**

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### **New Jersey Registered Nurse**

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### **Diabetes Nurse Champion Program Graduate (10 week course)**

Nurse's License: Class: RN, State: NJ

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### **Registered Nurse (RN) Florida**

July 2021 to April 2023

RN 9571416

### **Certified Clinical Transplant Nurse (CCTN)**

July 2021 to April 2023

### **Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)**

## Additional Information

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