

ANTHONY PELAEZ

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Accelerated | South Dakota State University | Brookings, SD December 2019
B.S. Kinesiology | Interdisciplinary Health Care Emphasis | Chapman University | Orange, CA January 2016

LICENSURE, CERTIFICATIONS, and LINGUISTIC ABILITIES

Registered Nurse License California # 95217496 Expiration: May 2023
Advanced Cardiac Life Support | American Heart Association Expiration: April 2024
Basic Life Support | American Heart Association Expiration: December 2022
NIH Stroke Scale – B | American Heart Association Renewal: March 2023
Bilingual/Fluent – Spanish
Skills & Competencies: Emergency Care, Patient Triage, Leadership, Collaboration, Adaptability.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Medical ICU/ER | Anaheim Global Medical Center | Anaheim, CA February 2021 – Current

- Triage and perform initial patient assessments, and prioritize patient care and manage the acute MI R/O MI.
- Manage patients requiring mechanical ventilation, accurately interpreting ABG and lab values, maintain open airway with suctioning and positioning, assess pulse oximetry, assess patient lung status, and assist physician with intubation.
- Assist physicians with individualized treatment including special tests and procedures (e.g., chest tube insertion, CVP line insertion, thoracentesis, paracentesis, etc.)

Neuro ICU (Travel Assignment) | Community Regional Medical Center Level I Trauma Center | Fresno, CA October 2021 – February 2022

- Responded to life threatening situations utilizing nursing standards and protocols for treatment. Provided critical care nursing to a complex high acuity patient population.
- Provided direct bedside care of patients suffering acute stroke, subarachnoid hemorrhages, brain tumors, and various neurological surgeries.
- Performed specialized interventions such as ventilator maintenance, vasopressor and vasodilator support, sedation, and invasive intracranial pressure management devices.

Pre-Op/PACU | Bay City Surgery Center | Torrance, CA June 2020 – January 2021

- Identified emergency situations and independently initiated appropriate actions per facility protocols. Responded quickly and accurately to changes in condition or responses to treatment.
- Directed and coordinated all nursing care based on established facility policies and nursing practice standards and provided discharge teaching and post-operation instructions.

Emergency Room | Kern Medical Center Level II Trauma Center | Bakersfield, CA March 2020 – May 2020

- Triage and performed initial patient assessments including detailed patient histories.
- Managed basic and advanced life support needs and stabilized patients until attending physician was available, based upon hospital standards and protocol.
- Initiated patient education plan, as prescribed by attending physician. Taught patients and their family's how to manage their illness/injury, by explaining: post-treatment home care needs, diet/nutrition/exercise programs, self-administration of medication and rehabilitation, and provided referrals to other healthcare professionals for follow-up treatment.

MILITARY BACKGROUND

U.S. Army Security Specialist July 2004 – July 2007

- Team leader – responsible for the health, welfare, morale, discipline, and combat readiness of a 5-man squad in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.
- Trained groups of 5 soldiers in basic and advanced infantry skills to include maintenance of U.S. Army vehicles and equipment, counter-insurgency techniques, counter-intelligence operations, and security operations.