# Tabitha Preacher

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Seeking the opportunity to utilize clinical nursing skills, interpersonal communication, and collaborative care planning as a Critical Care Nurse.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

# Work Experience

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

Lexington Medical Center - West Columbia, SC June 2021 to Present

o Proficient in ventilator support and management, tracheostomy care, ET tube management, drips such as vasopressors, and insulin.

- Responsible for continuous monitoring and assessment of assigned patients.
- Reported any symptoms and changes in patient's condition while modified patient treatment plans as indicated by patient's condition
- Consulted and coordinated with health care team members to assess, plan, implement and evaluate patient care plans in a dynamic critical care environment.
- Charge nurse: coordinate staffing for nurses and CNAs, monitor working and non working equipment, and assist other RNs with patient care, respond to rapid response and codes, gather patient census report, delegate patient care to nurses, coordinate care, and ensure the code cart is ready and available for emergency response.
- Clinical mentor for new staff, nurse residents, and nursing students.
- President of unit based practice council for unit. Attending all hospital wide UBC meetings. As president, I organize meetings and execute approved actions for our unit.

#### Icu RN

Roper St Francis Hospital November 2020 to May 2021

Travel Nurse Across America travel assignment for crisis assistance. o Management of 2-3 COVID/ surgical/medical/CVICU patients at a time. o Responsible for continuous monitoring and assessment of assigned patients.

- Proficient in ventilator support and management, ET tube management, trach care, drips such as vasopressors, insulin, sedation, and paralytics.
- Consulted and coordinated with health care team members to assess, plan, implement and evaluate patient care plans in a dynamic critical care environment.
- · Ordered, interpreted, and evaluated diagnostic tests to identify and assess a patient's condition.
- Preceptor for other travelers on orientation. Educated on policies, oriented to the unit, and help navigate the charting system.
- Charge nurse: coordinate patient care, charge duties, and assist other RNs with patient care, respond
  to rapid response and codes, gather patient census report, delegate patient care to nurses, coordinate
  care, and ensure the code cart is ready and available for emergency response.

### RN, Prisma Health Richland Hospital

Medical Stepdown Unit

January 2019 to November 2020

o Proficient in ventilator support and management, ET tube management, drips such as vasopressors, insulin, and some for agitation.

- Responsible for continuous monitoring and assessment of assigned patients.
- Reported any symptoms and changes in patient's condition while modified patient treatment plans as indicated by patient's condition
- Consulted and coordinated with health care team members to assess, plan, implement and evaluate patient care plans in a dynamic critical care environment.
- Clinical Nurse Mentor for Critical Care Nursing Residency program.

#### Icu RN

Self-Regional Healthcare August 2020 to October 2020

Aya healthcare travel assignment for crisis assistance. o Management of 3 ICU patients at a time. Some COVID-19 positive and some not. o Responsible for continuous monitoring and assessment of assigned patients.

- Proficient in ventilator support and management, ET tube management, trach care, drips such as vasopressors, insulin, sedation, and paralytics.
- Consulted and coordinated with health care team members to assess, plan, implement and evaluate patient care plans in a dynamic critical care environment.
- · Ordered, interpreted, and evaluated diagnostic tests to identify and assess a patient's condition.
- Ability to utilize time efficiently to bundle and coordinate care appropriately to minimize COVID-19 exposure and reduce supply consumption.

#### **ICU RN**

El Centro Regional Medical Center June 2020 to August 2020

Aya healthcare Crisis travel assignment to the most infected COVID-19 county in southern California.

- Management of 2 COVID-19 positive patients at a time; Ventilator dependent, ART lines, CVC, moderate sedation drips, vasopressors, other respiratory care oxygenation, coordinate care with interdisciplinary team, and maintain infection control during patient care.
- Preceptor for other travelers on orientation. Educated on policies, oriented to the unit, and help navigate the charting system.
- Proficiently utilize an interpreter for effective communication with non-English speaking patients

#### **Nursing Supervisor**

Lexington Medical Center Extended Care - Lexington, SC January 2020 to June 2020

- Manage and supervise a 368 bed facility, while assessing falls, skin complications, infection control, DHEC compliance, and running Codes.
- Assign and delegate nurses and CNAs to units.
- Coordinate daily and weekly schedules.
- Monitor central lines, give IV antibiotics, and perform dressing changes.

#### **Cardiac ICU RN**

Providence Health Hospital October 2017 to October 2019

- Knowledge in electrocardiogram telemetry monitoring, defibrillation, and medication administration.
- Developed a plan of care and provided a collaborative approach to patient's care.
- Providing care, education and preparation for Pre- and post- heart catheterization patients.
- Ability to titrate and calculate IV therapy medications.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to provide the care needed as described in the unit's policies and procedure.
- Preceptor for experienced new hire nurse.
- As Charge Nurse
- Ability to coordinate patient care, charge duties, and assist other RNs with patient care.
- Accumulate patient census report.
- Delegate patient care to nurses and coordinate care.
- Ensure the code cart is ready and available for emergency response.

### **Full Time Nursing Student**

Midlands Technical College May 2016 to August 2017

o Developed skills in patient care, time management, administering medications, creating patient care plans and clinical nurse practice.

#### K-3 Preschool Teacher

Lexington Kiddie Kollege May 2013 to May 2016

- o Ensured that a safe environment was provided for the children.
- Developed and implemented weekly lesson plans. o Coordinated activities tailored to children's needs and interests. o Managed more than 12 children at one time and led in activities.
- Completed required documentation and progress reports.

### Education

### **Associate Degree in Nursing**

Midlands Technical College - West Columbia, SC August 2017

# **Nursing Licenses**

#### RN

Expires: April 2024

State: SC

## Skills

- ICU Experience
- Critical Care Experience
- Nursing
- Supervising experience
- Basic life support
- Epic
- EMR Systems
- Cerner
- Hospital Experience
- Infection Control Training
- Medication Administration
- Patient Care
- Nurse Management

# Certifications and Licenses

## **BLS, ACLS**

July 2022 to July 2024

#### **NIHSS**

July 2022 to July 2023

#### **PCCN**

June 2022 to June 2024

Progressive care certified nurse

# Groups

#### **AACN**

December 2021 to Present