

RACHEAL KIRBY RN-BSN

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CAREER OBJECTIVE

Registered Nurse with more than 5 years of experience in the healthcare industry, Experienced in delivering exceptional care to patients and their families. Well organized and forward thinking in managing patient needs, maximizing comfort, and safety.

CERTIFICATES

Registered Nurse, GA, License#309276

Registered Nurse, PA, License# RN741935

Registered Nurse, IL, License# 41497664

SKILLS

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Medication administration/Management• Intravenous therapy• Strong clinical judgment Lab• result Interpretation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Administration of blood and blood products.• Obtaining blood from central venous line.• Great communication skills.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Problem –solving• Teamwork• Patient safety & Pain management
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EXPERIENCE

Registered Nurse Medical Surgical/Telemetry Unit – WellStar North Fulton Hospital, Roswell, GA, Jan 2022 to Present.

- Provide bedside care and use technology to monitor and interpret patient’s EKG rhythms, track vital signs, and oxygen levels.
- Document all changes in patient condition and behaviors by communicating with them to see if their conditions are improving or deteriorating.
- Perform lab work including blood tests, CXR, CT-scans, MRI’s, PET scans and more.
- Administer medications including IV’s, wound treatments, and monitor heparin and cardiac drips.
- Educate my patients about their disease processes and tests, speak to the families of patients informing them of any critical shifts in health or diagnoses.

Registered Nurse Medical Surgical/Telemetry Unit – VA Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA, Nov 2020 to Jan 2022

- Prepared/Administered medications and treatments per appropriate protocol as ordered.

- Recorded patient's medical information and vital signs.
- Operated and maintained equipment- IV tubes, feeding tubes, catheters, oxygen tubes, etc
- Documented patient cares, needs, and progress.
- Completed required documentation in an accurate manner.
- Placed medication orders and treatments as necessary using the EPIC charting system.

Registered Nurse, Medical Surgical Unit. Alden Estates of Barrington, Chicago, IL May 2020 to October 2020

- Assessed patients, created patient care plans, and maintained orders.
- Communicated and collaborated with the care team.
- Established IV access to take blood samples.
- Monitored patient condition, including interpreting, and tracking EKG readings, irregular telemetry readings, and updated team members of any changes in condition.
- Maintained and updated patient files, medical charts, and health records.
- Provided direct and individualized bedside nursing while adhering to the best nursing practices, standards, and protocols.
- Tended to patients by answering their questions and provided individualized education to their medical conditions.
- Collaborated on discharge planning with healthcare team such as the social workers and physical therapy team.

EDUCATION

Chamberlain College of Nursing/ Bachelor's in nursing
Chicago, IL May 2020

College of DuPage / Associate in Sciences

Chicago, IL Aug 2017

BLS, ACLS certificates