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REGISTERED NURSE

Bi-lingual Spanish and English | CPR, AED Certified | Mental Health and Substance Abuse Specialist

- Excellent assessment, organization, customer service, and communication skills.
- Review charts for potential drug interactions or other health concerns.
- Ensure proper maintenance of electronic medical records in compliance with local, state and federal laws.
- Managed Physician's outpatient and inpatient psychiatric clinics; actively collaborating with patient mental health treatment team.

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Travel Registered Nurse

IDR Medical Agency - Denver, CO

May 2021 to March 2022

Assisted in the effective deployment of COVID-19 Vaccines in a well-ventilated, CDC guideline approved area with proper social distancing Monitored patient's condition and assess their needs to provide the best possible care and advice.

Collaborated with Nursing teams to devise individualized care plans for patients,

Inspected the facilities and act to maintain excellent hygiene and safety

(decontaminating equipment, sanitizing surfaces, preparing beds etc.) Provided instant medical care in emergencies, fostered a supportive and compassionate environment to care for patients. Expanded knowledge and capabilities by attending educational workshops, conferences etc. Supervised COVID Vaccination sites. In this role, I was responsible for overseeing the quality and storage of all vaccinations (Pfizer, Moderna, and J&J). Proper administration of the vaccines to adult as pediatric population. Evidence base patient and staff education. Support patients who may be experiencing symptoms or allergic reactions of the vaccines

Agency Registered Nurse Corrections

QPI Medical staffing - Cañon City, CO

March 2020 to May 2021

Assess physical, psychological and social dimensions of patients; obtain health history and provide a written assessment of patients upon admission. During confinement, and upon discharge; document and communicate triage decision to appropriate health care provider. Develop individual nursing care plan using nursing assessment protocols in consultation with health care providers. According to physician orders implement medical care plans to include diagnostic tests, EKGs, etc. Administer medications using proper techniques, procedures and approved routes of administration; nutrition and therapeutic diet plans. Assist physician in medical or minor surgical

procedures as necessary. Provide and monitor direct patient care. Document nursing encounters on patient electronic medical record

Maintain accountability of all controlled substances and prescription medications according to federal and state laws, and organizational regulations. Coordinate with medical, dental, mental and ancillary personnel as required to ensure continuity of care. Follow established policies, procedures, continuous quality improvement and safety, environmental and infection control standards.

Register Nurse Crisis Team

Freedom Healthcare Staffing - Denver, CO

March 2020 to April 2020

Work in collaboration with the state of Colorado department of public health and environmental laboratory service division, during the first COVID 19 outbreak in

March 2020 as a part of the crisis respond team. Subject matter expert on COVID 19 testing and nursing care of patient infected with the virus.

Register Nurse - OBHS Denver Health

Favorite Staffing - Denver, CO

June 2019 to July 2019

Administer medication to a high volume of clients each day. Under general supervision, utilizes the nursing process to provide care to all patients with respect for their uniqueness using informed judgment, individual competence and qualifications, and collaboration with the health care team.

Assesses patient's physical and psychological condition on an ongoing basis throughout the continuum of care. Documents patients medical status during outpatient encounter.

Registered Nurse- Department of Corrections

Action Staffing - Pueblo, CO

June 2018 to May 2019

Assess physical, psychological and social dimensions of patients; obtain health history and provide a written assessment of patients upon admission. During confinement, and upon discharge; document and communicate triage decision to appropriate health care provider. Develop individual nursing care plan using nursing assessment protocols in consultation with health care providers. According to physician orders implement medical care plans to include diagnostic tests,

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Licensed Practical Nurse

Lakeside Methadone Clinic - Clearwater, FL

June 2016 to January 2018

Administering medication to a high percentage of patients during morning med pass and assessing the medical needs of patients during the day. Manage Physician's outpatient and inpatient psychiatric clinics. Assisting patients with filling medications or obtaining medications through Patient Assistance Programs.

Answering and managing pharmacy phone calls participating in various inpatient/outpatient treatment teams. Maintaining active communication between patients, counselors, and physicians.

Education

BSN

University of Florida College of Nursing
September 2021

Skills

- Nursing
- Medication Administration
- EMR Systems
- Infection Control Training
- Experience Administering Injections
- Patient Care
- Triage
- Vital Signs
- Epic
- Computer Operation

Certifications and Licenses

AED Certification

RN License

LPN

CPR Certification

BLS Certification