# Karon Walker

### RN Ambulatory Care procedural nurse - Scott & White Baylor Medicine

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#### **REGISTER NURSE**

Skilled, Registered Nurse seeking a position within a functional health care facility 8 years of qualified experience as a RN working within a medical surgical unit, oncology, gastro-intestinal, mental health medical emergency room, cardiac monitoring and stroke readiness handling multi cultural and diverse patients of all ages. I am dedicated to work as a team player within a medical team, also work autonomously in a demanding environment while maintaining the dignity and respect for patients, families and colleagues. I will demonstrate the ability to deliver quality nursing care within a fast-paced critical care environment and the ability to communicate effectively with colleagues, patients, and families (holistically). I have strong knowledge of legal implications, patient rights and safety, and HIPAA compliance guidelines.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

## Work Experience

#### **RN Charge Nurse**

Veterans Administration Hospital - Waco, TX Present

Attend treatment team meetings, MDS, create and implement care plans, direct patient care, complete staffing assignments and oversee employees on each shift, complete daily assessments, and create a safe environment for all patients.

#### RN Ambulatory Care procedural nurse

Scott & White Baylor Medicine - Waco, TX June 2013 to January 2017

formerly Hillcrest)100 medical blvd suite 101 Waco, TX 76712 06/2013-current 254 202-6300 RN Ambulatory Care procedural nurse

- Conducts and manage functions under the supervision of the nurse manager and department director.
- Implements nurse care plans in accordance to nurse practice act and in compliance to specific healthcare standards while delivering direct patient care in clinical setting.
- Plays an integral part in enhancing the workflow and daily clinical operations that ensure quality health care delivery.
- Duties include employee, patient, physician, and guest satisfaction.
- Utilizes analytic and critical thinking skills to problem solve and address problems.

Hillcrest Baptist Medical Center 100 Hillcrest Medical Boulevard Waco Texas 76712 254 202-9197

RN Staff Nurse, Emergency

Perform all duties in accordance with the BON state nurse practice act

Promote positive health care while adhering to all facility policies and procedures.

- Monitor patient progress and identifies any changes in status, acting on those changes to insure patient comfort and safety.
- Assist physicians and all healthcare professionals caring for patient, always giving a complete and thorough report on patient status at end of shift/assignment.

## **Staff Nurse, Emergency**

Providence Health Network - Waco, TX November 2009 to May 2013

- Perform all nursing duties in accordance with the state Nursing Act according to the State of Texas, while adhering to all facility policies and procedures.
- Monitor patient progress and identifies any changes in status, acting on those changes to insure patient comfort and safety.
- Assist physicians and all healthcare professionals caring for patient, always giving a complete and thorough report on patient status at end of shift/assignment.
- Experience with psychiatric patients

Staff Nurse, Medical surgical: Oncology, Gastro, bone and joint, and urology

Charge Nurse, Over see staff nurses and assist doctors with floor rounding, Ensure patient care is delivered in a timely compassionate manor. Assign nurses to patient care according to capabilities and standards within their scope of practice.

#### **Assist physicians**

Providence Health Network - Waco, TX June 2007 to November 2009

- •6901 Medical Parkway Waco, Texas 76712 June 2007-November 2009
- Perform all nursing duties in accordance with the state Nursing Act according to the State of Texas, while adhering to all facility policies and procedures.
- Monitor patient progress and identifies any changes in status, acting on those changes to insure patient comfort and safety.
- Assist physicians and all healthcare professionals caring for patient, always giving a complete and thorough report on patient status at end of shift/assignment.
- Experience with psychiatric patients
- Experience with hospice patients

Nurse Tech, medical surgical

#### **Assist RN**

Veteran's Administration - Waco, TX December 2007 to May 2008

with patient ADLS

- Vital signs and assist with meals
- Interact with patients i.e. group, medication time, visiting times

#### Assist RN

Providence Healthcare System - Waco, TX August 2006 to June 2007

with IV, Catheters, and Naso-gastric tube insertions.

- BLS
- Assist physicians, nursing staff and patients.

Nurse tech, Psychiatry

### Education

## **Doctorate in Nursing**

Purdue - Indianapolis, IN July 2019 to January 2021

### **Master's in Family Nurse Practitioner**

Purdue University-Main Campus February 2016 to April 2019

### **Associate in Nursing**

McLennan Community College - Waco, TX May 2008

#### **Bachelor's**

University of Phoenix online

## **Nursing Licenses**

#### RN

State: TX

### Skills

- Critical Care Experience
- MDS
- Tube Feeding
- Nursing
- Medication Administration
- Hospice Care
- Hospital Experience
- EMR Systems
- Vital Signs
- Epic
- ICU Experience
- Employee Orientation
- Laboratory Experience
- Primary Care Experience

# Certifications and Licenses

# **BLS Certification**

# **ACLS Certification**