

Heather Felpel

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Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Director of Nursing (DON)

LEGACY OF HERINGTON - Herington, KS

March 2022 to September 2022

Charge Nurse, RN

Diversicare of Council Grove - Council Grove, KS

August 2019 to April 2021

- Receives report on patient/resident status from previous shift, evaluates and ensures resources in place to meet needs
- Makes physical rounds in assigned area of oversight assessing quality of care, intervening with provision of care and interacting with care givers and patients/residents
- Provides direct care in line with the responsibilities of a nurse, assessing conditions, communicating with attending physicians/practitioners and carrying out nursing functions according to the needs of the patients
- Assists in establishing a plan of care for patients based on their unique needs
- Is a member of the Interdisciplinary Care Team
- Accurately documents patient/resident condition including assessments, communication and care provided
- Supervises nurses and/or other providers of care in carrying out their responsibility (medication pass, nursing care, documentation, treatments, supervision)
- Evaluates performance of nurses, nursing assistants; coaches when needed
- Assesses and monitors to verify patient/residents' needs are met and policies and procedures are followed.
- respond and coordinate actions in emergency situations
- Assists with the Continuous Quality Improvement
- Provides empathetic communication to families, patient/residents regarding change of condition and in response to care concerns, ensures resident rights are respected
- Proficient with Point Click Care electronic health record

ED Charge Registered Nurse

Herington Municipal Hospital - Herington, KS

September 2018 to July 2019

- ESI Triage of patients presenting to the ED
- Assessment
- interventions based on nursing care plans, provider orders, and protocol
- detailed and accurate charting

- use of Azalea EHR system
- medication administration -
- admission coordination
- transfer coordination
- Patient education
- staffing coordination
- outpatient treatments
- blood administration

Labor and Delivery RN

Salina Regional Health Center - Salina, KS
September 2017 to October 2018

- Triage
- assessment
- documentation using Meditech EHR
- medication administration
- Monitoring of FHT and contractions
- Sterile Vaginal Exam
- nursing care during vaginal birth
- APGAR
- Circulating nurse for cesarean section
- scrub nurse for c-sections
- PACU nurse
- Postpartum care of mother and baby
- breastfeeding education
- Patient education
- discharge planning

Charge Registered Nurse

The Legacy of Herington - Herington, KS
December 2016 to March 2018

- Assessment
- documentation using Point Click Care EHR
- care planning
- medication administration
- perform treatments for patients - wound care, breathing treatments, insulin administration, CPAP
- collaboration with medical staff and ancillary staff
- coordination transportation for appointments
- scheduling of appointments for residents
- communication with resident families

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Education

Doctorate in Nursing Practice

Fort Hays State University - Hays, KS

January 2019 to Present

Bachelor's in Nursing Science

Wichita State University - Wichita, KS

May 2016 to May 2017

Associate in Pre-Nursing Health Science

Butler County Community College - El Dorado, KS

August 2015 to May 2016

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: April 2021

State: KS

RN

Expires: April 2021

Skills

- ACLS (2 years)
- NRP (1 year)
- RN (3 years)
- Operating Room (Less than 1 year)
- Staff Nurse (3 years)
- NIHSS (1 year)
- CNA (1 year)
- Medication Administration (4 years)
- Vital Signs (5 years)
- EMR Systems (5 years)
- Hospital Experience (2 years)
- Triage (3 years)
- Supervising Experience (3 years)

Certifications and Licenses

BLS Certification

ACLS Certification

Assessments

Nursing Aide Skills — Highly Proficient

August 2019

Measures a candidate's ability to provide nursing aid to patients using knowledge of relevant equipment and procedures.

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Nursing Skills: Patient Focus & Orientation — Highly Proficient

August 2019

Addressing concerns and using sensitivity when responding to needs and feelings of patients

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Nursing Skills: Clinical Judgment — Expert

August 2019

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention.

Full results: [Expert](#)

Electronic Medical Records Knowledge — Highly Proficient

August 2019

Knowledge of EMR data, associated privacy regulations, and best practices for EMR use.

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Medical Terminology — Expert

August 2019

Understanding and using medical terminology

Full results: [Expert](#)

First Aid — Expert

August 2019

Measures a candidate's ability to identify treatments for common medical emergencies.

Full results: [Expert](#)

Problem Solving — Proficient

August 2019

Analyzing relevant information when solving problems.

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Numerical Reasoning Skills — Highly Proficient

August 2019

Quickly and accurately performing basic mathematical operations, recognizing numerical sequences, and interpreting graphs.

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Clinical Judgment — Expert

September 2020

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention.

Full results: [Expert](#)

Electronic Health Records: Best Practices — Highly Proficient

September 2020

Knowledge of EHR data, associated privacy regulations, and best practices for EHR use
Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

First Aid — Highly Proficient

September 2020

Treating common medical emergencies

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

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