Tricia Chambers

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Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Vascular Access Nurse

Grady Memorial Hospital - Atlanta, GA May 2021 to Present

Operating Room Nurse

HealthTrust Workforce Solutions - Savannah, GA September 2019 to Present

level 1Trauma Center Nursing care of adult and Pediatric Acute Surgery.

Operating Room Nurse

Wellstar Health System Inc - Roswell, GA June 2020 to June 2021

19 years of Nursing experience and 15yrs operating room nursing. CNOR certified with both adult and Pediatric experience.

Trustaff Travel Nurse Agency

University of Cincinnati Medical Center May 2019 to July 2019

Worked 12 hour shifts from Sunday to Saturday three scheduled days per week 7am - 7:30pm and every 3rd weekend. Procedures circulated include: ENT, GYN, General Surgery, Spine and neuro surgery, Trauma and Transplant procedures Cadaver and Donor transplant Tissue and organ harvest Cystoscopy, ophthalmology, orthopedic trauma, Robotic and Laparoscopic procedures minimal invasive procedures.

Operating Room Nurse

American Mobile Network (AMN) Emory St Joseph - Atlanta, GA February 2019 to April 2019

Feb - May 2019

• Operating Room nursing care of the adult patient. Services include general surgery, plastic and reconstructive, peripheral vascular, Gynecology, urology, and oncology surgery. 12hr days with call.

Clinical RN Charge/Preceptor-Operating Room

Northside Hospital Outpatient Surgery Center July 2018 to February 2019 Responsible for communicating with clinical staff internal and peripheral supporting department. (PACU) post anesthesia care unit and pre-op assessment areas.

• Contributed to staff assignment and delegation of duties to staff in the absence of the Clinical operations coordinator and supervisors.

• Troubleshooting staffing needs and providing ongoing communication with the Director in the absence of the coordinator and supervisors.

◆ Implementation of the Meridian Mark Outpatient Surgery Patient positioning book according to the AORN standards of safe patient care.

• Evaluation and assessment of resident nurses' skills.

◆ Procedures Maintaining circulating roll for procedures: Plastic, ear nose and throat (ENT), Orthopedic total joints and arthroscopic procedures (hip, knees, & shoulders) podiatry, Gynecology, Urology and General Surgery.

◆ Active participation in one-chart electronic training as a super-user with continued on-site support by troubleshooting and application of background knowledge to complete individual assignment. Scrub, circulate and provide relief care for staff.

• Provide support through active participation in smart-goals and patient safety initiatives; handwashing and other methods of infection control practices.

• Maintaining a strong work ethic professionalism in all aspects of care, and a role model to patients and staff.

Function as an expeditor to all six operating rooms, troubleshooting and anticipating the needs of the staff and patients to facilitate safe and timely transition between each procedure. Mentor and precept resident nurses.

Senior Staff Nurse

Augusta University Medical Center July 2014 to July 2018

Provided care to patients using the nursing process as a guide for actions, assesses and formulates an appropriate plan that addresses: educational needs, discharge planning, age-specific needs, bio-psychosocial needs, and patient/family preference.

◆ I have circulated and monitored patients undergoing surgical procedures - Gastro-Enterology/ Endoscopy, Pulmonology, Vascular, Orthopedics, Oncology, General Surgery, Plastic/Reconstructive, ENT, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Uro-Gynecology, Oncology surgery for both male and female patients. Care needs ranged from stable and predictable outcomes to and stabilization of critically unstable patients.

♦ Worked along with the interdisciplinary team of Anesthesiologist, Surgical technologist, Students, Interns Resident Doctors, and fellow nursing staff to ensure safe and quality patient care

◆ Participated and provided in-putt from current literature in the prevention of skin breakdown and maintenance of skin integrity throughout the patient's perioperative experience.

• Function as desk coordinator and charge nurse on weekends for perioperative staff

• Delegating duties to personnel based on knowledge of patients' needs, staff skills, and competencies.

• Prepare and plan for next day procedures and adjust staffing needs in collaboration with the Operating Room Nurse Manager.

◆ Assessed patients' needs, formulated plan of care and provided care based on identified needs according to standards, policy, procedure, and legal and regulatory standards.

- Charge Nurse duties which ensured efficient operations and continuity of care within the unit
- Scheduled clients for surgical care and completed chart documentation for procedures.
- Provide ongoing communication to patients and family while waiting for their loved ones.

• Provide collaborative care and assessment of in house and transferring patients to ensure a smooth transition from the operating room to the unit, in-patient admission or discharge to other facility/home.

◆ I have maintained procedural and professional nursing skills through practice and ongoing skills performance evaluation and continuing education.

PRN

HealthTrust Workforce Solution-Joseph M. Still Burn Center Operating Room - Augusta, GA February 2017 to November 2017

Circulating and Scrub nurse role 2-3 days/wk.

Nurse

Suburban Hospital Night Shift Weekend Charge February 2013 to November 2013

providing nursing care of the adult patient in the operating room. Supervising staff in the recovery room, sterile processing department, validating, operating room, equipment, instruments and supplies, readiness for weekday procedures.

Union Hospital Elkton Maryland

Operating Room Nurse (Pediatric)

Children's National Medical Center Washington DC - Washington, DC December 2008 to December 2012

Scrub and Circulating for scheduled and level two trauma procedures including Orthopedic (spine, repair of congenital disabilities). General surgery, plastic cleft lip and palate repair. Ecmo-cannulation and de-cannulation, Urology, burn injury, open vs. laparoscopic procedures. Neurosurgery oral and dental procedures, Endoscopy and Botox procedures.

- Participated in Shared governance, education, towards their goal of becoming a magnet designated facility- (Awarded in 2011)
- Achieved CNOR certification by examination (May-2010)
- Received patient satisfaction and excellent job award for outstanding performance in patient care.
- Participate in shared governance and staff development programs to improve staffing ratios.
- Improve and maintain excellent patient care quality by attending continuing education classes.
- Rotate through various shift and schedules to facilitate adequate staffing.

Circulating Operating Room Nurse

Southern Maryland Hospital Medical Center October 2006 to May 2008

Operating room nurse fellowship training

Staff Nurse

Southern Regional Health Authority - Mandeville August 2001 to October 2006

Senior Staff Nurse. Medical surgical nursing care 2001-2003 Operating Room Nursing 2003-10/2006

Education

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Northern Caribbean University Jamaica W.I.

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: 2023

State: GA

Skills

- Hospital Experience
- EMR Systems
- Medication Administration
- Nursing
- Infection Control Training
- Cerner
- Epic
- Experience Administering Injections
- Employee Orientation
- Employee Evaluation
- Patient Care
- English
- Anatomy Knowledge
- Microsoft Word
- Medical Terminology
- Analytics
- Triage
- Ophthalmology Experience

Certifications and Licenses

CNOR

May 2010 to June 2020

I'm eligible for renewal

ACLS August 2019 to August 2021

BLS for Healthcare Providers

June 2018 to June 2020

PALS

August 2019 to August 2021

Georgia Single State RN license

December 2019 to December 2021

Compact State Nurse License

Assessments

Nursing Skills: Clinical Judgment — Proficient

April 2020

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention. Full results: <u>Proficient</u>

Electronic Medical Records: Best Practices – Expert

April 2020

Knowledge of EHR data, associated privacy regulations, and best practices for EHR use Full results: <u>Expert</u>

Medical Terminology — Expert

April 2020 Understanding and using medical terminology Full results: Expert

Scheduling — Proficient

April 2020

Cross-referencing agendas and itineraries to avoid scheduling conflicts. Full results: Proficient

Home Health Aide Skills — Familiar

April 2020 Providing care to patients in a home setting Full results: <u>Familiar</u>

Clinical judgment — Proficient

March 2021

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention Full results: <u>Proficient</u>

Indeed Assessments provides skills tests that are not indicative of a license or certification, or continued development in any professional field.