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**Angela J. Smith**

**Objective:**

To advance my skills and experience in the workforce. I have been a LPN since 2004. I currently hold a AL Multi State LPN License I have worked in many different areas in the nursing profession Surgery, Employee Health, Risk Mgmt, Assisted Living, Labor and Delivery, and Psychiatric. I also have experience in claims adjusting, for flood claims and can perform most all clerical duties

**Skills:** Working with Pediatric, Geriatric and Mental Health patients, basic nursing skills, charting, medication passes. Data entry, Computer (Excel, Power Point, Word), Copy/Fax/Scanner machines, CPR, IV Certified, Proficient in Xactimate for insurance flood claims. I have been NFIP Flood Certified

**Experience:**

**Northeast Georgia Medical Center/AHS staffing**

**13 week Travel Assignment with extension**

**Feb 2022- current**

**I started working in the MICU III in a team nursing role of a RN and LPN from February until April assessing patients needs, medication pass, basic nursing duties, communicating with physicians. I was moved from MICU III in April 2022 to PCCU which is a progressive cardiac step down unit. It was also a team nursing unit with a RN and LPN team assessing patients needs, medication passes, basc nursing duties. I have also been training the new onboarding LPN’s for the unit.**

**Central State Hospital/AHS staffing**

**Forensic Psych Unit**

**Milledgeville, GA**

**13 week Travel Assignment plus extension**

**Aug 2021-Jan 2022**

I worked at a Forensic Psychiatric Facilily in Milledgeville, GA. My duties consisted of assessment and treatment of patients with psychiatric problems. Medication passes twice daily, charting, and general nursing duties.

**Tallahassee Memorial Hospital/AHS staffing**

**Tallahassee, FL**

**13 week Travel Assignment**

**BHC- Psychiatric Unit**

May 2021-August 2021

I worked in the psychiatric unit and my duties consisted of assessing and treating patients, medication pass, charting using Cerner.

**Northeast Georgia Medical Center/AHS Staffing**

**13 week Travel Assignment**

Feb 2021-April 2021

Nurse Liasion

I worked in the ICU as a Liasion calling and updating family members of their loved ones condition during COVID 19.

**Northeast Georgia Medical Center /AHS Staffing**

**13 week Travel Assignment**

11/2020-Feb2021

I was part of a Turn Team on a Covid 19 positive ICU unit. My duties consisted of basic nursing care and turning patients every 2 hours performing skin assessments and addressing wounds.

**Southeast Health Medical Center**

04/2019-Present

I am a LPN on the Behavioral Health (Psychiatric) Unit in the hospital. I assess patients mental status, perform an assessment, perform hourly rounds, go over care plans, chart and pass all medications and administer shots when needed during my shift, I communicate with the Physicians, coworkers, other areas in the hospital and lead nursing groups on my unit.

**Pilot Catastrophe Services**

09/2017-Present

Independant

I worked Hurricane Irma in 2017 in Miami and the Florida Keys meeting hurricane victims at their houses going over claims policy and damage and taking measurements and pictures of damage. Using Xactimate, I would enter measurements, damages, and pictures and submit the claims.

**Mississippi Eye Surgery Center Ocean Springs**

12/2017-Present

LPN- I work in the Pre OP/Recovery Area and also in Surgery. I prepped patients for their surgical procedure by administering a series of eye drops, reviewing MD orders, and Post op instructions with the patients and patients family member. I call patients after they get home their procedure to check up on them to make sure they are ok and answer any questions or concerns they may have. I call patients in advance before their procedure to go over pre-op instructions and the time to be at the surgery center. I have also helped out in the surgical suite during the procedure when needed.

**Memorial Hospital Gulfport**

4/19/2012-8/10/2017

Patient Safety/Risk Mgmt-I have experience working in the Pt Safety/Risk Mgmt. department as a Quality Mgmt Specialist. My job is Physician Peer Review. I receive complaints against the physicians in the hospital by way of MIDAS program. I review and abstract data from the pt's charts using Cerner application and meet with the MD Chair of various Departments and present the data gathered to see if care was appropriate or if there was an issue or a non-issue in the case. I send out letters to the physicians, file appropriate documents in the physicians folders in our locked cabinets in Risk mgmt and expunge documents when appropriate.

Before I transferred to Pt Safety/Risk Mgmt. I worked in Employee Health as the Leave and Absence Nurse for 5 years. I handled all the FMLA (Family Medical Leave), Return to Work, Light Duty accommodations, and helped in the Employee Health clinic with general assessment of illness, BP's, flu shots, TB tests/reads, all other vaccines, and general clinic operations. I also performed assessment of injuries for Worker Comp.

**Garden Park Medical Center**

December 2009-Janurary 2017

Gulfport, MS

ER- I worked PRN in the ER at Garden Park for the past 8 years. I am a IV certified LPN. I helped the RN's with pt care, assessments, blood draws, and stocked rooms when needed and provided education and teaching upon discharge. I also work in triage assessing patients from newborn to geriatrics. I performed vital signs and took the pts to the appropriate room and give brief report to MD or mid-level and the RN, I also have experience of working in Surgery, Wound Care and Labor and Delivery while being employed at Garden Park. I work at Garden Park as an OB Surgical Tech, PRN in the Labor and Delivery Dept and work as a Surgical Tech in the OR. My duties as an OB tech involve Scrubbing and Assisting C-Section, Vital Signs and seeing to patient’s need. I was working in the Wound Care PRN as an LPN. Assessing patients, patient’s wounds, measurement of wounds, dressing of wounds. Obtaining patient information and history.

**Singing River Hospital System/Ocean Springs Hospital**

 June 2000-October 2009

Pascagoula/Ocean Springs, MS

I was a LPN at Cedar Lake Family Practice owned by Singing River Hospital System

August 2009-October 2009-I worked briefly as an Lpn in a family practice clinic. I performed general assessments, gathered patient data, Vital Signs, Pt History of illness, medications, and provided teaching upon discharge. I oversaw the prescription line of calling in the prescriptions that were on the voice mail at my desk of mostly middle aged to geriatric patients. Before transferring to the Family Practice Office. I worked in surgery as a Surgical Tech/LPN.

**Singing River Hospital System/Ocean Springs Hospital-Cont**

 June 2000-October 2009

**OR Clerical Coordinator, Surgical Tech, LPN**

I worked for the hospital for 8 ½ years. I have experience in being a clerical coordinator in the operating room, a medical bill collector in the financial services department of the hospital and my current job for the past 5 ½ years has been that of a surgical tech in the operating room. I am also a licensed LPN.

 My job responsibilities: creating and maintaining a sterile field in the operating room, helping the RN circulator open the OR room and gather supplies and equipment needed for surgical case, scrubbing in and setting up the back table in the OR, I also assist the doctors in surgical cases and provide patient safety, and working proficiently with and respecting my co-workers. Pulling OR cases for the following days surgical cases. Taking call and responding within a 30-min time frame to work after being called out for emergency cases. Scrub and assist in C-sections in the L & D department. I have proficient experience in the following fields: General, Gyn, Cysto, ENT, Plastics, Most Ortho, some Vascular, and some Neuro. And Endo

 I was also employed PRN at the Ocean Springs Surgery and Endoscopy Center located across the street from the hospital as a Surgical Tech and LPN. My responsibilities included scrubbing in on surgery cases to pass instruments to the surgeons and/or to assist the surgeon and I have also worked as an LPN in pre-op on patients from pediatrics to geriatrics

**Education:**

Jan 2001-May 2004

MGCCC (Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College)

Gautier, MS

 LPN Nursing and IV Certification course and an Associate Degree in Applied Science and Occupational Education.

**References:**

Barbara Lacoste 228-424-3149 co-worker

Frankie Box 228-623-2180 RN friend

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