

Maureen Rosol-Short

Medical-Surgical RN with 3+ years experience in the Orthopedics/Spine/Bariatric service looking for local travel and short term contract opportunities.

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Work Experience

Registered Nurse (RN)

Ascension, St Agnes Hospital - Baltimore, MD

February 2019 to Present

- Charge RN - Responsible for management of the unit according to policy and personnel scope of practice. Report to Nursing Supervision changing census levels, staffing needs and admissions/discharges updates. Resolve staff/patient issues. Make patient assignment based on patient acuity. Perform all duties concurrently with having own patient assignment.
- Manage care of the orthopedic, spine and bariatric post operative and medical surgical patient from admission to discharge.
- Treat pain of the post operative and medical surgical patient via oral and IV routes and with patient controlled analgesic pumps.
- Administer blood and blood products
- Initiate and monitor IV anticoagulant therapy.
- Provide care of drains/tubes. (JP, Hemovac, and suction drains)
- Insert and maintain nasogastric tubes
- Ensure patient receives safe formula feeding for nasogastric tubes and enteral feeding for percutaneous endoscopic gastrostomy tubes.
- Start and monitor administration of total parental nutrition.
- Place and maintain Foley catheters.
- Provide a safe environment for all patients.
- Communicate with patients, families, providers, care management and other members of the unit to bring the best outcome and care of every patient .
- Train new nurses in proper techniques, care standards, operational procedures and safety protocols.

Clinical Laboratory Scientist III

The Johns Hopkins Hospital - Baltimore, MD

August 2008 to June 2014

- Core Laboratory - Performed all aspects of patient testing including QC, calibration and quality assurance in Chemistry, Hematology, Coagulation and Urinalysis. Maintain, trouble shoot and correct issues with analyzers in the above areas of the lab. Train students and new staff in all areas of the Core Lab.
- Blood Bank/Transfusion Services- Performed type/screens, antibody identification and resolve serological and compatibility challenges in the obstetric, sickle cell and frequently transfused population. Using aseptic technique, separated special CMV negative blood units into neonatal units as prescribed by MD.

- Microbiology- Select appropriate culture media for the growth of organisms from various body sources. Carry out preliminary testing based on Gram stain results. Identify organisms and test for antibiotic sensitivities. Perform routine and stat serological testing. Responsible for quality control of media and QC organisms.

Medical Technologist

American Red Cross - Anchorage, AK
August 2004 to September 2005

- Responsible for receipt of whole blood from remote locations to provide finished blood products for local and global locations.
- Maintained meticulous records of all units of blood
- Tested ABO/Rh of units from first time donors as a safety measure to check against results from testing center in Seattle, WA.
- Coordinated air transport to Seattle of testing samples for timely results.
- Provided antibody identification for local hospitals.
- Enumerated quantity of platelets in each platelet apheresis using Hematology analyzer and filtered these units.

Medical Technologist

Laboratory Alliance of Central New York - Syracuse, NY
July 2000 to May 2003

- Lead Technologist on weekend shift. Assisted personnel to perform correct techniques for analysis of blood, urine and body fluids. Ensured proper staffing for call outs and other staffing issues. Acted as "go between" for physician, nurses and laboratory staff.
- Hematology/Coagulation/Urinalysis - Using automated and manual methods to determine complete blood counts with white blood differentials, analysis of body and spinal fluids with cell counts with detailed differential descriptions. Detection and identification of blood factor deficiencies. Assisted physicians in bedside bone marrow procedures, made slides and used special staining techniques for leukemia and blood cell dyscrasia diagnosis.
- Blood Bank- Stat and routine type/screens, compatibility testing of units for patient use. Reviewed daily OR schedule to ensure proper number of blood units for the surgical procedure and to select autologous units for the patients who provided them. Pooled fresh frozen plasma for plasma exchanges. Provided platelet and plasma products for critically ill neonates who are using ECMO.

Medical Technologist

Robert Packer Hospital/Guthrie Clinic - Sayre, PA
July 1994 to July 2000

- Core Lab - Accurate reporting of patient results. Responsible for analyzer maintenance including quality control/calibration/shut down procedures to ensure accurate patient testing in Chemistry, Hematology , Coagulation and Urinalysis.
- Blood Bank - Maintain proper levels of blood products to be able to respond to emergencies in a level II trauma center, as well as MTP (massive transfusion protocol), Type/screen/antibody identification for compatibility testing for routine and stat situations.

Medical Technologist

Henrico Doctors Hospital - Richmond, VA
May 1993 to May 1994

- Blood Bank - Performed more advanced serological testing methodologies to ensure blood unit compatibility including acid elution, detection of warm and cold autoantibodies, Lui freeze/thaw as well as routine testing. Assessed degree of maternal-fetal hemorrhages using Kleihauer-Betke testing and calculating volume of Rhogam to administer.
- Chemistry - Provided accurate testing results. Maintain analyzers as prescribed and QC/calibrations.

Education

A.A. in Nursing

Howard Community College - Columbia, MD
January 2017 to December 2018

B.S. in Medical Technology

Medical College of Virginia/Virginia Commonwealth University - Richmond, VA
August 1992 to May 1993

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: September 2023

State: MD

Skills

- Aseptic Technique
- Microbiology
- Laboratory Experience
- Tube Feeding
- EMR Systems

Certifications and Licenses

American Society of Clinical Pathologists

August 1993 to Present