

Karla Hernandez-Alvarado

Licensed Practical Nurse

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Caring and compassionate, looking to provide high quality care directly to patients.

Las Animas/CO/US

Work Experience

COVID Specimen Collector

Medix Staffing Solutions - Southeastern Colorado

June 2021 to June 2022

- Traveled to locations set up throughout rural communities in Southeast CO for specimen collections to test for COVID-19 for 200+ people
- Collaborated and worked with a team to ensure testing was efficient
- Input information and submitted testing orders to the laboratory to ensure clients receive their results in a timely manner
- Performed PPE according to the State of Colorado

Licensed Practical Nurse

Valley-Wide Health Systems - Las Animas, CO

August 2020 to April 2021

- Provide and document patient care.
- Perform patient intake and collect data for visit.
- Thoroughly assess patient reports and concerns during visit
- Collaborate with healthcare providers.
- Effectively communicate with patients and health care team
- Perform in house labs, read, and report results.
- Administer medications, immunizations, and injections as appropriate, including COVID Moderna vaccine.
- Answer phone calls and address patient concerns appropriately
- Performed telehealth services for patients
- Triage patients according to concerns
- Manage clinic inventory orders.
- Utilize computer skills as well as word, outlook, power point and excel
- Manage and perform clinic office daily duties.
- Performing and interpreting COVID rapid tests and PCR test

Education

Associate Degree of Nursing in Nursing

Otero Junior college

August 2018 to April 2019

Associate of Science

Otero Junior College

August 2016 to May 2018

Skills

- Listening and communication skills and collaborative with healthcare team
- Professional bed-side manner
- Bilingual skills in both English and Spanish
- Laboratory experience
- Telephone triaging
- Vital signs
- Catheterization
- Charting using med itech , next gen and epic
- Immunizations and Injections
- Medical office, and Supervision experience
- Medication dispensing And administration
- Medication Administration
- Patient Care
- Medical Records
- Nursing
- EMR Systems
- Anatomy Knowledge

Languages

- Spanish - Expert

Certifications and Licenses

LPN

CPR/BLS

November 2022