

# Jennifer Kirchhoff

## **RN, BSN**

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Professionally trained RN, BSN with experience ensuring high standards of culturally competent care for a wide variety of patients with diverse needs; experience in all facets of critical care, trauma and high risk L/D with excellent clinical and interpersonal skills; expertise focusing on all facets of hospice nursing including liaison, admissions, case manager and in patient responsibilities; current experience in fast-paced PACU setting

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

## Work Experience

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### **Registered Nurse, Labor and Delivery**

Mt. Sinai Medical Center - Chicago, IL

July 2021 to Present

Registered nurse in fast-paced and high risk labor and delivery center

### **Medical Surgical Nurse/ ER nurse**

COMMUNITY FIRST MEDICAL CENTER - Chicago, IL

March 2021 to July 2021

Providing medical surgical needs for a varied population across the health spectrum.

### **Hospice Nurse On Call PMs**

Harbor Light Hospice - Glen Ellyn, IL

July 2020 to March 2021

I am employed as an after hours on call hospice nurse. My job responsibilities include admission, emergency/symptom management, liaison, community outreach and teaching and orientating new nurses

### **PACU RN**

Reproductive Medical Insititute - Oak Brook, IL

April 2018 to October 2018

Provided pre-intra-post op care in fast paced PACU environment in an accurate, skilled and professional manner; provided culturally competent care and a wide range of patient education/teaching performed; nurse preceptor; contributed to ongoing research in given field.

### **Inpatient Hospice RN**

Journeycare Hospice - Barrington, IL

June 2016 to January 2017

Provided assessment and care of exacerbated/emergency symptoms in an acute inpatient hospice setting in an accurate, professionally competent and sensitive manor; provided ongoing education and

support of patient and family; individualized care plans to meet patient needs and expectations; symptom exacerbation and end of life care; postmortem care and support.

### **Admissions RN/ Case Manager RN**

VITAS Healthcare - Lombard, IL  
January 2015 to June 2016

Extensive chart review and personal interview for history done to assess patient needs and wishes; patient and family education regarding all aspects of hospice care; patient clinical assessment; suggestions and collaboration with hospice team, including orders for medications and supplies.

### **L/D and Mother/Baby Nurse**

Edward Hospital - Naperville, IL  
March 2003 to March 2005

Assessment of patient throughout the antepartum, intrapartum and postpartum; accurate and astute assessment and monitoring of adult and neonate.

### **Trauma Nurse**

Advocate Christ Medical Center - Oak Lawn, IL  
June 2002 to March 2003

Provided trauma care in a Level I trauma center with self-directed and astute judgement; wide range of nursing interventions applied with quick and competent clinical judgement and skills.

### **ICU Nurse**

Advocate Christ Medical Center - Oak Lawn, IL  
August 2000 to June 2002

Performed accurate assessments under strict time constraints and quickly provided necessary interventions; ability to adapt to high-stress and ever-changing environments and patient status; patient and family advocate and educator.

## Education

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### **BSN in Nursing**

UIC College of Nursing - Chicago, IL  
2000

## Nursing Licenses

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### **RN**

Expires: May 2020

State: IL

## Skills

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- Organizational Skills (10+ years)

- SELF-STARTER (10+ years)
- BLS for Healthcare Providers
- ACLS
- Home Health
- Med Surg
- RN
- Nursing
- Critical Care Experience
- ICU Experience
- Hospice Care
- Medication Administration
- EMR Systems
- Hospital Experience
- Laboratory Experience
- Case Management
- Patient Care
- Vital Signs
- Social Work
- Cerner
- Epic
- Employee Orientation
- Nurse Management
- Triage
- Supervising Experience
- Experience Administering Injections
- Phlebotomy
- Venipuncture
- Time management
- Computer literacy
- Customer service
- ICD-10
- Anatomy Knowledge
- Home Care

## Languages

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- French, Latin - Fluent

## Awards

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### **Sigma Theta Tau**

May 2000

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **MENSA**

Present

### **ACLS Certification**

### **BLS Certification**

### **CPI**

May 2022 to May 2024

## Additional Information

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### **SKILLS**

- Proficiency in assessment and educator and advocate of patient and family
- accurate and experienced nursing throughout the life spectrum
- sound and astute clinical judgement and compassionate care
- strong organizational skills; self-starter
- culturally competent care nursing