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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Driven and compassionate healthcare professional with five years of hands-on experience in a fast-paced hospital environment and outpatient setting. I have a strong focus on patient wellness and I believe in accountability and being responsible for all aspects of patient care. I enjoy building rapport with patients and their families, and achieved a strong reputation for providing high levels of patient satisfaction.

SKILL HIGHLIGHTS

- Board certified Family Nurse Practitioner
- 4 years cardiac nursing experience
- 2 years experience graduate instructor
- NP board Prep-teacher

- Health promotion expertise
- Patient advocate "Patients First"
- Fluent in Spanish
- Expertise in Epic & Meditech

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

08/2020 to 10/2020

Nurse Practitioner

CVS Health - Mundelein, IL

- COVID-19 Nurse Practitioner
- Provided clinical oversight for COVID-19 testing services of multiple CVS Health testing locations.
- Clinical collaboration and oversight of pharmacy colleagues, and technical support.
- Educated patients about COVID test, results, followup care and health promotion.

10/2019 to 10/2020

Substitute School Nurse

BrightStar Care — Aurora, IL

- Assessed acute injuries and illnesses and responded with appropriate intervention methods.
- Administered medications to students with ongoing conditions such as ADHD, Asthma and Diabetes.
- Assisted students with feeding disabilities by completing gastronomy tube feedings.

04/2017 to 02/2018

Registered Nurse, Family Practice

Northwestern Medicine — Aurora, IL

- Carried the role as a Triage Nurse as part of a care coordination team supporting general processes alongside the providers.
- Handled emergent/non-emergent patient telephone calls and walk in patients.
- Evaluated and assessed patients healthcare needs based on patients signs and symptoms utilizing established triage protocols and guidelines.

- Utilized standing orders and triage protocols for patient care. Managed prescription refills per protocol.
- Reported abnormal test results, care instructions to patients.
- Provided patient education e.g. chronic disease, preventive, and family.

01/2013 to 03/2017

Registered Nurse, Cardiac Unit

Amita Mercy Medical Center — Aurora, IL

- Monitored and analyzed cardiac rhythms.
- Specialized to in treating patients with heart disease and heart-related medical conditions.
- Treated arrhythmias as well as managed heart failure, post-MI, and open-heart surgery patients.
- Provided necessary health education training for patients.
- Demonstrated good management and organizational skills by delivering care in a timely and efficient matter.

08/2014 to 05/2016

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Northern Illinois University — DeKalb, IL

- Assisted undergraduate students in the learning of a variety of nursing skills.
- Have taken the teacher role in undergraduate seminars.
- Collaborated with students to assist their learning and enhancement of clinical skills.

08/2009 to 12/2012

Certified Nursing Assistant

Amita Mercy Medical Center — Aurora, IL

- Assisted nursing staff with collecting patient assessments and performed other responsibilities in support of unit operations.
- Provided assistance to patients with activities of daily living.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

2017

Master of Science: Family Nurse Practitioner

Northern Illinois University — Dekalb, IL, United States

Nurse Practitioner Internships

- Provided direct care to patients with acute and chronic health problems in the clinic setting. Strong emphasis on using evidence based practice and relevant clinical research to care for patients.
- Performed comprehensive assessments that entailed health histories, and physical examinations.
- Diagnosed and developed a comprehensive plan of care. Strong advocate and educator for the patients and families.
- Women's Health-182 hours/ Associated Women's Health/ Fall 2017
 Pediatrics-182 hours/Will County Health Department / Joliet IL / Spring 2017
 Family Practice-182 hours/Fox Valley Medical Associates/Batavia IL/Summer 2016

2012

Bachelor of Science: Nursing

Northern Illinois University — Dekalb, IL, United States

CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSES

- American Heart Association- Basic Life Support [current]
- Illinois APRN License [2018-2022]

- Board Certified Family Nurse Practitioner- AANP [2018-2023]
- Illinois RN License [2012-2022]

MEMBERSHIPS

American Association of Nurse Practitioners [2018-2020] Sigma Theta Tau -Honor Society [2015-2017]