

# Barbara Carpenter

## Registered Nurse/House Supervisor

Kenosha, WI

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Dedicated, service-focused professional seeking to transition into a permanent position with opportunity to advance. Current goals include obtaining BSN through Grand Canyon University, with a bridge into the MSN program concentrating on nurse education/management. Reliable worker with the ability to quickly learn new concepts and skills. Backed by a solid work history, reputation as a team player and passion for helping others.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

## Work Experience

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### Registered Nurse

Autumn Lake Healthcare - Milwaukee, WI  
March 2019 to Present

- Electronic documentation of nursing cares and procedures
- Admitted and discharged patients
- Utilized the nursing process to assess, plan, intervene, and evaluate patient care
- Consulted and coordinated with healthcare team members
- Monitored, recorded and communicated patient condition
- Provided daily medication administration and administration of all medications
- Performed administrative duties
- Treated life-threatening emergencies

### Registered Nurse

Wellspring of Milwaukee - Milwaukee, WI  
July 2017 to March 2019

- Monitored, recorded and communicated patient condition
- Provided daily medication administration and administration of all medications
- Performed administrative duties
- Treated life-threatening emergencies

### RN Supervisor

BRIA Health Services - Milwaukee, WI  
November 2015 to July 2017

Responds to all emergency situations with the facility. Provide assistance and guidance to nursing staff in administering new procedures. • Plan and educate during in-services for staff monthly and as needed, encouraging open communication between nursing staff on all shifts and other departments. • Encourage open discussions with residents, resident families and multidisciplinary team within the facility. • Counsel employees and initiate disciplinary action as necessary. • Act as a mediator in resident's staffing. • Initiates and develops care plans and update on an on-going basis. • Perform physical and psychological nursing assessments on residents when necessary. • Participate in all inspections of nursing care by outside agencies and responsible for gathering information needed by IDPH inspectors from an assigned

unit. • Review and negotiate IOC scans from assigned units with inspectors if necessary. • Responsible for weekly and monthly audits for policy and procedure compliance.

### **Registered Nurse/Clinical Coordinator**

Winchester House

May 2015 to August 2015

Provide assistance and guidance to nursing staff in administering new procedures.

- Responds to all emergency situations with the facility.
- Encourage open discussions with residents, resident families and multidisciplinary team within the facility.
- Counsel employees and initiate disciplinary action as necessary.
- Act as a mediator in resident's staffing.
- Initiates and develops care plans and update on an on-going basis.
- Perform physical and psychological nursing assessments on residents when necessary.
- Participate in all inspections of nursing care by outside agencies and responsible for gathering information needed by IDPH inspectors from an assigned unit.
- Review and negotiate IOC scans from assigned units with inspectors if necessary.
- Plan and educate during in-services for staff monthly and as needed, encouraging open communication between nursing staff on all shifts and other departments.
- Responsible for weekly and monthly audits for policy and procedure compliance.
- Initiate, coordinate and facilitate special care plan meetings as needed.

### **Registered Nurse/Case Manager**

Society's Assets

January 2014 to May 2015

Plan, organize and direct home care services with emphasis on community health education.

- Complete initial assessment of patient and family to determine home care needs, provide a complete physical assessment and history of current and previous illness(es).
- Initiate plan of care and make necessary revisions as patient status and needs change.
- Develop a care plan which establishes goals, based on nursing diagnosis and incorporates therapeutic, preventative, and rehabilitative nursing actions.
- Provide health care instructions to the patient as appropriate per assessment and plan.
- Prepare clinical notes and update the primary physician when necessary and at least every 9 weeks.
- Communicates with community health related persons to coordinate the care plan.
- Participates in on call duties.
- Ensures that arrangements for equipment and other necessary items and services are available.
- Instructs, supervises and evaluates home health aide care provided.

### **Paramedical Examiner**

Exam One

July 2010 to March 2014

Cited for excellence in interpersonal communications, teamwork, customer service, flexibility and reliability.

- Demonstrated the ability to interact with customers from diverse cultures and backgrounds.
- Transformed "difficult" customers into loyal, repeat guests by leveraging strengths in premium service delivery and ability to find win-win resolutions.

- Job requirements include performing mobile paramedical exams. Collect specimens such as urine, oral fluids, and blood. Excellent phlebotomy skills. Take vitals, physical measurements, and review medical history. Administer resting EKG. Complete all paperwork and send specimens to the lab.

First Student

### **Bus Driver**

January 2006 to July 2010

Responsible for safely transporting elementary, junior high and high school students to and from school.

- Obtained a CDL with P (passenger) and School Bus endorsements.
- Maintain and inspect the bus and stock the bus with needed supplies.

### **Phlebotomist**

Interstate Plasma Donor Center

September 2004 to July 2005

Complete health history for clients

- Successful venipuncture for donation
- Monitor and assess donor(s) for any adverse effects related to donation
- This is a very fast paced facility safety always being our number one concern

## Education

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### **Associates**

Gateway Technical College

December 2013

### **Clinical**

Grand Canyon University

September 2009

### **High School Diploma**

Tremper High School

June 2000

## Skills

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- Nursing

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **RN**

### **BLS Certification**

### **ACLS Certification**