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Experienced and compassionate RN looking to apply more than 23 years of experience for a variety of medical needs. My goal is to be an asset to the team and my employer with the ability to meet and exceed client expectations.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

RN CHARGE NURSE | Medical/Surgical RN

Marshall Browning Hospital

August 2021 to Present

Duties include: Caring for observation, medical inpatient, telemetry, swing bed as well as Covid-19 positive patients. Admitting and discharging patients, initial and scheduled assessments, passing medications, wound care, Meditech documentation, educating on diagnosis, medications, and plan of care. Starting iv's, accessing port-a-caths, caring for PICC lines along with IV therapy. Close communication with the Provider and all departments involved for the patient's best outcome.

RN Charge Nurse

Covid-19 Vaccination RN, HR Support

September 2021 to March 2022

Duties include: Vaccination site setup including emergency kit with adult/pediatric Epinephrine and Benadryl, temperature logs, vaccine count/use/expiration dates/lot numbers, CDC cards, huddle prior educating all staff on clinical updates, observe that PPE being used effectively by all staff members, monitor proficiency of medical assistants, address medical questions and concerns, administer vaccines, monitor clients for post vaccine reactions-unusual reaction to anaphylactic reactions, document any adverse reactions, reporting any concerns to my Regional Clinician.

RN| Covid-19 Testing

Judge Healthcare

August 2021 to December 2021

Duties include: Covid-19 testing for residents and employees at local Assisted Living and Long-Term Care Facilities. Retrieving oropharyngeal specimens, assessments, paper documentation, inventory of supplies and shipping specimens at the end of my shift.

RN Charge Nurse

Integrity Healthcare

March 2021 to November 2021

Duties include: Assessments, medication pass, accucheck/insulin administration, injections and enforced injections (PRN and scheduled), wound care/skin checks, specimen collection, Point Click Care documentation. Educating residents, family/POA on medications, disease process and any new illnesses. Maintaining close communication with Providers regarding resident behavior, any change in condition,

abnormal labs or the need to send resident out for psychiatric or medical evaluation. This is a fast-paced job that requires teamwork and looking out for every resident regardless of your assignment.

RN | Vaccination Nurse

CVS/A-Line Staffing

February 2021 to May 2021

Duties included: Administering Covid vaccinations, monitoring for any potential side effects including anaphylaxis reaction and treating if necessary.

RN Charge Nurse

Covid travel nursing assignment | ESP Personnel/Heritage Health and Rehab

November 2020 to December 2020

Duties included: Being flexible and floating to either Red, Yellow or Green zoned areas for patient care. Most of my 6-week contract was spent in the red zone with Covid positive patients. Daily assessments, wound care/skin checks, medication pass, accucheck/insulin administration, starting iv's, iv therapy, lab draws/specimen collections, Point Click Care documentation, educating residents and families. I was in close communication with the Providers and families regarding health status and code status. Unfortunately, Covid positive patients can rapidly decline so assessing their respiratory system, temperature and verbal complaints frequently was a must. I was also in charge of 3-5 CNA's assignments and duties per shift.

RN Charge Nurse

Riverview at the Park

August 2020 to November 2020

Duties included: Assessments, medication pass, accuchecks/insulin administration, wound care/skin checks, starting iv's, IV therapy, lab draws/specimen collections, PEG tubes and tube feedings, Point Click Care documentation, accompanying residents to their in-house Dr's appointment, education and health updates to both residents and families. Supervision of LPN's and CNA's and reporting any problems to administration. This was a sister company of Community Manor and closer to my home so I worked until my temporary Missouri license expired.

RN Charge Nurse

Community Manor

December 2019 to August 2020

Duties included: Assessments, Point Click Care documentation, admissions and discharges, MD rounds, signing off on orders, IV's, IV therapy, medication pass, wound care, administering insulin, patient education, communication with Physicians, family and outside facilities regarding patient's plan of care. Supervision of co-workers (RN's, LPN's, CNA's) and reporting any problems to administration.

RN | Corrections Nurse 1

Illinois Department of Corrections | Menard Correctional Center

June 2017 to July 2019

Assignments included the Infirmary, First Aid/Charge Nurse, Dr's call line or assignment of a cell house
Duties included: Assessment, treatment, follow-up and referrals for Nurse Sick Call, Infirmary and First Aid/Charge Nurse. Emergent needs for injured/assaulted inmates and staff along with responding to codes. Admission and discharge to the

Infirmery, Suicide hold/watch, Hunger Strikes, NG tube placement with tube feedings, medication pass, education on disease processes/medications, paper documentation, insulin, IV's, IV therapy, lab draws, wound care, vital signs and communication with Physicians. Rounding with Physicians, Dentist, Ophthalmologist and Physical Therapy. Working closely with Security to provide the best care for the inmates in the safest environment possible. Also, precepting new correctional nurses to each area of assignments.

RN | Wexford Agency Nurse

Illinois Department of Corrections

June 2016 to September 2017

Assignments included the Infirmery, First Aid, Dr Call Line, Charge Nurse

Duties included: Assessment, treatment, follow-up care for inmates. Admissions and discharges to the infirmery, Hunger Strikes and Suicide watches. Medication pass, education on medications and disease processes, paper documentation, IV's, IV therapy, wound care/dressing changes, insulin lines, vital signs and narcotic and sharps count when acting as charge nurse.

RN | Triage Nurse

North Campus Healthcare

October 2016 to June 2017

Duties included: Collaborating closely with the Physician for each patient's care, assessing each individual need, referrals and prior authorizations, medication refills and general Q and A.

RN | Medical/Surgical RN and OR/SDS RN

St. Joseph Memorial Hospital

July 2010 to June 2016

Duties included for Med/Surg: Admitting and discharging patients, initial and scheduled assessments, passing medications, wound care/dressing changes, documenting with Meditech, educating on medications and diagnosis, IV's and IV therapy. Prepping for inpatient endoscopy procedures/urology procedures/general surgeries along with education of the procedure/surgery. As well as post-procedure or post-surgical care.

Duties included for OR/SDS: Admitting patients including history and physical assessment pre-operatively. Circulating local and conscious sedation cases with discharge teaching/education.

Circulating in the OR with Urology,

Gastrointestinal, Podiatry, Plastic Surgery, Pain Management and General

Surgeries. Occasionally being assigned to PACU to help recover surgical/conscious sedation patients that I was involved with.

RN | Home Health RN

VNA-Tip Home Health

February 2009 to December 2009

Duties included: Visiting patients at home performing an initial and scheduled assessments, dressing changes, lab draws, IVs with the initiation of antibiotic therapy. Primary Care Nursing, utilizing resources, education and sharing health information with physicians was a daily collaboration.

Clinical Nurse Leader, RN

Heartland Regional Medical Center - Marion, IL

September 2003 to February 2009

Duties included: I was responsible for scheduling Unit Secretary's, CNA's and

RN's, covering open shifts, payroll, education and monthly meetings. I was a hands-on leader, covering for lunchbreaks, answering call lights, medicating and admitting or discharging when needed. I also assisted in building the Telemetry Unit with the Director of the ICU which was very rewarding.

RN | Medical/Surgical, Interventional Radiology, ICU

Heartland Regional

September 2003 to June 2007

Duties included: Assessments of pediatric and adult patients, admissions, transfers, discharges with education of diagnosis and medications or change in condition. Medication pass, IV's, accessing port-a-caths, central lines, PICC lines, single and double lumen dialysis catheters, flushing and changing dressings. Administering IV therapy, TPN, Lipids, blood products, PCA pumps, peg tubes, chest tubes, NG tubes, foley catheters. Assisting Dr's with sterile/non-sterile bedside procedures in Med/Surg and ICU. Assisting with treadmill and chemical stress tests, tilt table tests, TEE's and cardioversion. Floating to ICU and taking a team of patients when needed which was frequently (no fresh open hearts or drips). I was always flexible and was floated to the ER, SDS, PACU and Post-partum without any difficulties. I was exposed to numerous opportunities by being a team player. I also loved being a preceptor and sharing my experience and knowledge with other nurses.

RN | Obstetrics/Gynecology RN

Anna Rural Health Clinic

June 2001 to February 2002

Duties included: Initial patient assessments, gathering information about patient's health history and current health status, vital signs. Educated the mothers about prenatal care, checked fetal heart tones, assisted with pap-smears and in office procedures such as colposcopies and leeps.

Education

Associates Degree in Nursing Program

Shawnee Community College - Ullin, IL

May 2001

Murphysboro High School - Murphysboro, IL

May 1990

Nursing Licenses

RN

Expires: May 2024

State: IL

Skills

- EMR Systems
- Vaccine Nurse

- Medication Administration
- Home Care
- Venipuncture
- Hospice Care
- Same Day Surgery
- Triage
- Critical Care Experience
- Nurse Management
- Hospital Experience
- Experience Administering Injections
- Pain Management
- Tube Feeding
- Nursing

Certifications and Licenses

First Aid Certification

BLS Certification

September 2020 to September 2022

RN

May 2020 to May 2022

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)

April 2022 to April 2024

Assessments

Clinical judgment — Proficient

February 2022

Assessing a patient's condition and implementing the appropriate medical intervention

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Indeed Assessments provides skills tests that are not indicative of a license or certification, or continued development in any professional field.