

**Kathleen S. Ahlers**  
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***May 2018 to August 2020***

***Department of Health Services, Northern Wisconsin Center***

Nursing Supervisor: Administration of emergency medication and direct patient care of developmentally disabled children and adults, supervision of medication administration by LPNs, oversight of daily duties and annual review of LPNs and CNAs, evaluation of emergency situations with regard to threatening patient behaviors, coordinating care per protocol with medical director and facility director.

***July 2009 to May 2018***

***Chippewa Valley Correctional Treatment Facility, Chippewa Falls, WI***

Registered Nurse (NCII): Medication Administration, direct patient care & evaluation of chronic & emergent needs, training new nursing staff (3 RNs and 2 LPNs in the last 2 years), organization & procurement of medical supplies & medications, skilled phlebotomy, charge nurse/staff supervision in absence of manager, working daily with individuals with intellectual & educational deficits, criminal behaviors, while maintaining safety & security in a state DOC institutional setting. Assisting with RN & LPN staff interview & hiring. Assisting manager with RN/LPN staff conflict resolution. Sharing my knowledge & experience by voluntarily assisting other medium & maximum security prisons who are in need of skilled & experienced DOC nursing staff.

***July 2007 to July 2009***

***Rusk County Memorial Hospital, Ladysmith, WI***

Registered Nurse: Med/Surg staff nurse/charge nurse as needed, medication administration, patient care in acute care setting, charting, proficient in computer systems, patient registration, assist with ER & CODE situations. Birth Center labor & delivery RN, post-partum mother & infant care, directing team response to obstetric emergencies. \*Created, updated, & organized 60+ new care plans for Med/Surg as a volunteer project.

***Feb 2003 to April 2007***

***Aspirus Memorial Health Center, Medford, WI***

Registered Nurse 3 months, LPN 1 year, CNA 3 years: As RN/LPN medication administration, direct patient care & computer charting for 22-40 residents in long-term care setting, working with dementia, Alzheimer, & other challenging behaviors, assisting with therapies & rehabilitation. One year as a CAN in OB, assist with L&D, infant care post-delivery, new mom care and lactation assistance.

***Dec 1979 to July 1981***

***Middleton Farmers Coop, Middleton, WI***

Full-charge bookkeeper: Interviewing, hiring, training, managing, scheduling, conflict resolving staff of 6, accounts payable & receivable, payroll & employee records, customer service, telephone & counter sales, maintaining all business & tax records up to annual audit level. \*Created & implemented new & efficient organized record keeping system.

***May 1979 to Nov 1979***

***Burkhalter Travel, Madison, WI***

Accountant: Accounts payable & receivable, telephone & direct customer care, sales & service. \*Created & implemented new & efficient & organized filing system.

**Education:**

BLS/ACLS certification through Sept 2024

Chippewa Valley Technical College, Associate Degree Nursing, Graduated Dec2006