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Career Objective

To provide exceptional quality patient care while contributing to team collaborations as a nurse

Education

Associate of Applied Science, Nursing Technology May 2013
University of Cincinnati Blue Ash College – Blue Ash, Ohio
Member, Student Nurse Association 2012-present

Certifications

BLS for Healthcare Providers Certification, American Heart Association, 2010 & 2012
EPIC Training Certification, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, 2012

Experience

- Utilized critical thinking skills to the nursing process: assessed conditions, demonstrated effective decision making, implemented appropriate interventions, anticipated potential complications, and evaluated care outcomes
- Displayed outstanding interpersonal skills with patients, families, physicians and staff
- Prioritized care for patients utilizing a written organization/time management method
- Integrated patient teaching, patient advocacy, and Swanson's caring theory while caring for patients and their families
- Educated patients and their families on disease processes, medical-surgical procedures and other aspects of therapeutic regimens, including medication and pain management techniques.
- Performed a full range of thorough shift and system assessments
- Administered and documented scheduled & PRN medications safely utilizing the five rights
- Initiated & maintained IV pumps, tubing, flushes, and IV medications
- Experienced with urinary catheters, drainage tubes, tube feeding, and suctioning
- Recognized the significance and impact of abnormal lab values; report immediately
- Applied knowledge to obtain additional information about patient's signs and symptoms while relating them to pathophysiology and their disease process
- Used Epic and Meditech to accurately document, chart, and obtain information
- Delegated effectively within the practice to increase efficacy and maximize use of resources

Christ Hospital – Telemetry/Cardiac unit, Med/Surg, 80 hours/2 weeks Summer Practicum

Chesterwood Village – Assisted Living/Skilled Nursing units, 10 week Clinical rotation

Mercy Anderson Hospital – Cardiac Step-Down unit, 10 week Clinical rotation

Jewish Hospital – Telemetry unit, 10 week Clinical rotation

Mercy Fairfield Hospital – Labor & Delivery, 5 week Clinical rotation

Cincinnati Children's Hospital – Pediatrics, 5 week Clinical rotation

Mercy Clermont Hospital – In-patient Psychiatry, 3 week Clinical rotation

Hospice of Southwest Ohio – Palliative Care, 3 week Clinical rotation

Visiting Nurses Association – Home Health, 3 week Clinical rotation

Work History

Amberly Village Retirement Center, Waitress, 2010 – present

YWCA Women's Shelter, Volunteer 2008 - present

Applebees, Hostess, 2009 – 2010

Kroger, Cashier 2008 – 2009

RDI Marketing Research, Telemarketer, 2007 – 2008