RAE CUTNO

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OBJECTIVE

Patient-focused and compassionate professional seeking a Registered Nurse position, utilizing my experience in nursing profession to contribute to the total well-being of patients

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Patient-focused Registered Nurse with a background in geriatric, telemetry, mental health, and hospice home health care
- Caring Registered Nurse with excellent assessment, verbal, written communication and problem solving skills
- RN with 7 years case management experience
- Experienced with computer documentation, assessing, planning, implementing, and managing patient care in keeping with facility standards
- HIPPA and JCAHO compliant

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

RN Case Manager

Catholic Charities Pace Program, October 2014 to present - 4201 North Rampart St, New Orleans, La 70117

Supervisor: Ashlyn Aayler RN, MSN (504) 945-1531

- Responsible for assessing the needs of the participant/family and coordinates processes to facilitate the participant's efficient movement through the health care continuum
- Direct daily IDT meetings
- Accountable for reviewing/monitoring the appropriateness and necessity of participant hospital admission, intensity of service, and continued stay
- Communicate with physicians, nurse practitioners, other case managers, nurse managers/ staff
 nurse, social workers, outside agencies, and ancillary departments to effectively manage clinical
 and financial outcomes, identifying opportunities to reduce cost and length of stay while maintaining
 or enhancing quality and services
- Provide assessments for home, nursing home and hospital participants
- Assessed new admissions, assessing their conditions and needs in order to develop personalized care plans. Regularly evaluate these plans of care and update them on an as-needed basis
- Educate patients and their families on diagnoses, medications, disease processes, management and on how to follow their care plans to aid in reduction of hospital admissions
- Coordinate and manage referrals, communicate outcomes with Primary Providers.
- Document in participant computerized clinical chart as appropriate

Case Manager/Field RN

Canon Hospice, March 2008 to July 2014(April 2014-JULY 2014 PRN) -1221 S .Clearview Pkwy Jefferson, La 70121

Supervisor: Patrice Robinson RN,DON (504) 818-2723

- Responsible for coordinating and providing direct patient care to terminally ill patients in home and skilled facilities
- Admit, discharge and re certify patients for hospice care services, attend to their holistic needs, communicate with physicians, therapists and the care team. Develop plan of care in accordance to patient needs
- Responsible for primary care, case management, medication management and education

- Responsible for in home medication administration
- Educate patient and family on palliative/ hospice care, and terminal disease process
- Coordinate, evaluate and perform ongoing assessment and revise plan of care with interdisciplinary collaboration as the needs and condition of the patient/family change
- Manage, supervise and coordinate LPN and CNA staff as it relates to patient care
- Managed caseload of up to 24 clients, with multiple comorbidities, including managing clients with multiple mental health diagnosis, providing education and various treatments
- Responsible for managing various types of wounds and provided wound care in home setting Educated patient/ family on wound care and infection control.
- Attend IDT /Care plan meetings
- Managed and kept patient records updated

Registered Nurse, Med-Surg/Telemetry

West Jefferson Medical Center, March 2007 to March 2008(32hrs/wk) - 1101 Medical Center Blvd, Marrero, LA 70072

Supervisor: Pamela Woodridge RN, Unit Supervisor, (504) 347-5511, may be contacted

- Responsible for managing and providing care to adult and elderly patients with a variety of chronic and acute conditions
- Conducted patient admissions and discharges
- Conducted individualized patient assessments, and prioritized patient care. Performed appropriate treatments and medication administration as ordered by physicians
- Provided therapeutic nursing interventions and documented patient assessment findings and responses to interventions, updated patient care plans as needed
- Transcribed physician orders
- Maintained and tracked confidential patient information

Massage Therapist

Belladonna Day Spa, July 2000 to Aug 2005 - 2900 Magazine St, New Orleans, LA 70115

- Performed health history on clients and updating prior to each session
- Explained procedures and applied techniques appropriate to clients needs and preferences
- Documented all sessions and updated each follow-up visit
- Trained staff on new spa services
- Responsible for maintaining and ordering department supplies

EDUCATION/CERTIFICATIONS

Fall 2003 to Spring 2006 Registered Nurse - Charity School of Nursing, New Orleans, La **1999 to 2000** Licensed Massage Therapist - Blue Cliff School of Massage, Metarie, La **CPR/BLS Certified**