

Jessica Claire

Resourceful nurse with 20 years of experience in patient care and collaboration with healthcare staff.

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Resourceful nurse with 20 years of experience in patient care and collaboration with healthcare staff. Well-rounded individual skilled in providing emotional support to patients and families, performing diagnostic tests, and administering medication. In-depth knowledge of emergency care, nursing techniques, and methods. Hardworking and compassionate, with a desire to positively impact patients and their families.

SKILLS

Expert in compassionate care

Handling needs in highly-structured and unstructured environments

Coordinating simultaneous patient needs

Charting and documentation

Medication and IV administration

Wound care

Taking vital signs

Building trust and rapport

HIPAA confidentiality

Intake and discharge

Dispensing medication

Triaging patient concerns

Diabetes management

Broad medical terminology knowledge

WORK EXPERIENCE

RN Staff Nurse, Pre Admission Testing

NorthShore, Glenview, IL - September 2017 - Current

- Promoted healthy lifestyle choices to reduce reemergence of symptoms
- Answered patient questions and provided take-home materials
- Reviewed physician orders to optimize patient safety
- Facilitated strategic goals to increase satisfaction and improve outcomes
- Mentored new nurses in practices and procedures
- Used facility EMR system to update patient records
- Conducted patient assessments and diagnostic tests
- Recognized with the "Excellence in Nursing" award by the Illinois Nurses Association in 2019

School Nurse

Sparkman, James Clemons, Madison County Schools, City, State - April 2009 - September 2017

- Assisted in the development of school safety plans
- Evaluated students' health concerns and injuries
- Developed care plans and provided references to healthcare providers
- Addressed patient care needs and collected vitals
- Managed catheters and coordinated with families, school personnel, and healthcare professionals
- Used facility EMR system to update patient records
- Administered oral, intramuscular, and IV medications
- Counseled patients and caregivers
- Responded to emergency situations with speed and expertise

RN Staff Nurse, Preop/Post Recovery

Huntsville Hospital, City, State - January 1999 - April 2009

- Administered oral, intramuscular, and IV medications
- Answered patient questions and provided take-home materials
- Explained treatment procedures and medication risks
- Circulated throughout multiple hospital departments
- Monitored and recorded patient conditions and vital signs
- Participated in medication management to optimize patient safety
- Addressed rapid response code situations

Staff Nurse, Emergency Room

Huntsville Hospital, City, State - August 1996 - January 1999

- Triage incoming patients and communicated with doctors
- Managed complete processing of patients
- Collected personal information and contacted relatives
- Cared for patients of all ages
- Monitored and recorded patient conditions and vital signs
- Administered oral, intramuscular, and IV medications
- Conducted patient assessments and diagnostic tests
- Stabilized patients and provided direct patient care
- Supported criminal inquiries by reporting injuries and completing evidence collection kits

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Health Information Technology

University of Alabama, Birmingham, AL

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Auburn University, Auburn, AL

Master of Science in Education

Alabama University, Normal, AL - May 1993 - May 1996

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Commanded a salary in the top 10% of nurses in the state of Illinois for the past 5 years, as evidenced by tax returns and pay statements.