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# Objective

# I am a professionally trained Patient Care Technician seeking to bring a wide range of clinical skills I’ve gained through six years of experience as a CNA. I have a proactive attitude and committed to patient care and comfort.

# Skills

* Reliable,
* Service-focused nursing professional with excellent patient-care and charting skills.
* Compassionate and technically skilled in attending to patients in diverse healthcare settings.
* BLS and CPR certified (current).
* Excellent communication skills
* Detail-oriented with a strong ability follow patient health plans
* Clean and Sanitize medical equipment
* Possess strong bedside patient care skills
* Ability to comprehend technical medical terminology. Ability to visually scan and proof information that has been entered into the chart/computer. Ability to accurately and efficiently enter appropriate data into the patient medical record. Ability to communicate with nursing, support services, patient/family, and with physicians and physician’s offices via the telephone
* Ability to transport and lift patients using hospital transport device
* Ability to interact with patients, co-workers and physicians in a courteous service oriented manner
* Ability to communicate effectively in English

# Experience

## **February 2018- Present**

**Midland Care, Topeka KS-Activities Coordinator/ CNA**

* Assist patient with any daily exercises, physical therapy, or mobilization efforts patient has been prescribed
* Transport patients via wheelchair or rolling bed
* Monitor patient vital signs and record weight, blood pressure, and pulse
* Ensure patients’ safety and remove any safety hazards (clear walkways, cleaning chemicals, etc.)
* Transport and use medical equipment according to patient requirements
* Follow all organization, state, and federal mandated medical standards and procedures
* Ensure patient confidentiality by following all HIPAA rules and regulations
* Reported and recorded patient care findings and data in a timely manner. Reports changes in the patient condition quickly, and secures qualified assistance as needed

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## **September 2015 - PRESENT**

### Brewster Place, Topeka KS*- Kaizen*

* Provide high-quality patient care as an in-demand per-diem CNA within surgical, acute-care, rehabilitation, home-healthcare and nursing-home settings.
* Preserve patient dignity and minimize discomfort while carrying out duties such as bedpan changes, diapering, emptying drainage bags and bathing.
* Commended for chart accuracy, effective team collaboration, patient relations and consistent delivery of empathetic care.
* Responded appropriately to the physical, emotional, and developmental needs of patients

## **October 2014 - PRESENT**

### Stormont Vail, Topeka KS *- Patient Care Technician*

* Displayed strong clinical skills in assessing vital signs, performing glucose checks and providing pre- and post-operative care.
* Adhered to safety guidelines; completed hospital’s Patient Safety Training Program.
* Ensured the accurate, timely flow of information by maintaining thorough patient records and updating healthcare team on patients’ status.
* Complied with HIPAA standards in all patient documentation and interactions
* Managed medication under the direction of physician.
* Dressing, checked blood pressure, charting,

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## **August 2006 - October 2015**

### RCIL, Topeka KS *- Caregiver*

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* Provided care to multicultural patients under the facility’s laws and protocols
* Took and recorded vital signs
* Performed first aid and emergency response procedures when necessary
* Prepared and served meals
* Assisted residents with bathing, changing and toileting
* Performer light housekeeping tasks including cleaning and laundry
* Assisted residents by involving with them in daily activities
* Accompanied residents to and from the facility for appointments and other activities

# Education

## April 2010 - May 2010

### Washburn Tech, Topeka *- CNA*

## August 2002 - May 2006

### Shawnee Heights, Tecumseh - *Diploma*

**Software Skills**

* Microsoft
* Excel
* Adobe
* Windows
* Power Point
* Matrix
* MS Office
* Outlook
* Electronic Health Records