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Top Skills

Critical Care

Nursing

Hospitals

Certifications

Certified Emergency Nurse

Kevin Quick RN, BSN, CEN

Flight Nurse Specialist at MetroHealth Medical Center
Cleveland/Akron, Ohio Area

Summary

Flight RN at Cleveland Metro Life Flight. I have been a nurse since 2000. I enjoy working on a team with critical problems to solve. Quality facilitator for Metro Life Flight. Amateur photographer with a few published shots. Very much an amateur golfer. Husband since 1997, and father of 4 great kiddos. Christian, headed for the kingdom.

Experience

MetroHealth Medical Center

15 years 10 months

Flight Nurse Specialist

November 2010 - Present (9 years 9 months)

- Providing care for acutely ill patient for inter-facility and scene response via air & ground to a Diverse patient age range dealing with Trauma, Cardiology, Medical, Pediatrics, Obstetrics, and Neonatal emergencies
- Interventions and medical management for acutely ill patients
- Procedures including intubations, Chest Tubes, Pericardiocentesis, Cricothyroidotomy, U/S Fast exams
- Team approach care with one other provider as a RN/RN, RN/MD, RN/NP or RN/2 Medic configuration
- Providing CE for EMS and RN's in public lecture format
- Multiple competency, simulation lab, surgical lab, cadaver lab, and skills lab to maintain competency
- Chair of Multi-Disciplinary Quality committee
- Prepare and be interviewed for MLF's accreditation process for CAMTS
- Fixed wing trips across county and over seas

RN-Emergency Dept

October 2004 - Present (15 years 10 months)

Emergency Dept.

- Level I Trauma Center (75 Bed ED/CDU)
- Student Nurse Preceptor for Case Western Reserve University

- Charge RN
- Preceptor for new staff
- Diverse age range of patients with diverse medical and surgical needs

RN-SICU/Rapid Response Team

May 2008 - November 2010 (2 years 7 months)

5C SICU (Trauma)

Rapid Response Team duties and responsibilities:

- Assume care of acute patients outside of critical care units
- Assess, plan, and implement care of acute patients
- Assist and suggest strategies to improve patient outcomes with primary service
- Determine placement needs of patients
- Teach floor nurses and families regarding care of acute symptoms
- Circulate throughout hospital discussing patients' acuity with charge nurses/ Senior MD's

SICU duties and responsibilities:

- Charge RN in Trauma SICU/Level I Trauma Center
- Code Blue Team (inpatient)
- Interview new staff
- Train new staff
- Attended one-week hospital disaster training (FEMA) in Alabama (8/08)
- Pick up shifts in Emergency Department PRN
- Participate weekly in Multi-Disciplinary trauma rounds
- Care for acutely ill patients in the SICU setting

Assistant Nurse Manager-Emergency Dept

March 2006 - May 2008 (2 years 3 months)

Emergency Dept

- Work with management team to run 75 bed ED/CDU in Level I Trauma Center
- Interview, hire, and dismiss staff in ED
- Staff schedule/daily adjustments to scheduling
- Staff disciplinary actions/work with HR on action plans for staff
- Write action plans for ED Department improvements
- Write and deliver staff performance evaluations
- Participate in Multi-Disciplinary Medical Operations meetings
- Review timecards and payroll
- Lead RN and Medic staff meetings
- Mentor and assist primary preceptors with struggling newly hired employees
- Monitor OT/Benefit time/Hospital Convenience time

- Monitor and track FMLA/Leaves of absence
- Give orientation lecture to new ED MD residents annually
- Cover department as staff RN and charge RN during staffing shortage
- Completed Non-Violent Crisis Intervention (NVCI) Train-the-Trainer (2/2008)

Lorain County Community College

Clinical Instructor

January 2006 - December 2010 (5 years)

Critical Care ICU (EMH, Fairview)

- Instructor of up to nine nursing students per semester at Fairview Hosp ICU & EMH ICU
- Final-year Acute Care setting clinical (ICU Rotation)
- Evaluate student performance in the clinical setting

EMH Regional Medical Center

RN--Emergency Dept. (Patient Care Coordinator)

April 2001 - October 2004 (3 years 7 months)

Emergency Dept

- Regularly-scheduled Charge Nurse
- Calculation of staff bonuses and payroll
- Intervention during high-stress, high-culpability situations
- Member of Policy & Procedures committee
- Regular member of Code Team
- Completed Non-violent Crisis Intervention (NVCI) Train-the-Trainer (2/2004)
- Instructor within hospital for NVCI, training new employees on unit
- Patient care for a diverse age populaton with multiple healthcare needs

Education

University of Cincinnati

BSN, Bachelor of Science in Nursing · (1996 - 2000)

Baptist Bible College and Seminary

Youth Ministry, Youth Ministry · (1994 - 1995)