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Top Skills

Nursing Care

Medication Administration

Patient Education

Languages

Spanish (Elementary)
English (Native or Bilingual)
Cantonese (Native or Bilingual)

Elizabeth Richardson

BSN, RN, CCRN

Houston, Texas

Summary

Elizabeth is an outgoing and a driven individual who believes in delivering optimal patient care as she works with a wide variety of patients. Elizabeth has an outstanding work ethic and is always seeking new challenges and learning opportunities in medicine and in nursing. In her quest for excellence, she strives to excel and to distinguish herself as a leader, patient advocate, and a proactive professional. Diligent, sensitive and tenacious, she aspires to be an exceptional nurse to patients and to the community she serves.

Experience

Memorial Hermann Health System 4 years 4 months

Critical Care Registered Nurse April 2016 - July 2019 (3 years 4 months) The Woodlands, TX

- Care for critically ill general or neurosurgery patients who have undergone or need complex surgical procedures, and patients that need medical treatment for a variety of acuities
- Provide care for patients with multiple system organ dysfunctions, ventilators, vasoactive drips and other therapies to ensure optimal sedation, analgesia, cardiac, and hemodynamic function
- Provide multidisciplinary education for patient and family members regarding post-surgical care
- Provide continuous cardiac monitoring, hemodynamic monitoring, neurological monitoring, respiratory monitoring, frequent nursing and ancillary service intervention, CRRT, post cardiac arrest care, fluid and electrolyte replacement, transfusion of blood and blood products, nutritional therapy, and comfort measures as indicated

Registered Nurse - Neuro IMU & ICU April 2015 - April 2016 (1 year 1 month) Houston, Texas

- Provide care for patients admitted from Neurosurgical Intensive Care (NSICU), PACU, Emergency Department, and/or Neuro Acute Care for continued cardiovascular, respiratory, or neurological monitoring
- Care for patients with status post neurosurgery and include diagnoses such as aneurysms, traumatic brain injury, spinal cord injury, hemorrhagic/ischemic stroke, seizure disorders, patients who require treatment for neuro-degenerative diseases, and prepare patients for organ donation
- Provide vigilance and the close monitoring of each patient's condition including: hemodynamic function, neurological function with bolts and ventriculostomies, cardiac rhythm, fluid and electrolytes, respiratory function
- Provide specialized wound care, nutritional therapy, medication management, and comfort measures as indicated

NEXUS SPECIALTY HOSPITAL - THE WOODLANDS, LTD. Registered Nurse - IMU

October 2014 - April 2015 (7 months)

Shenandoah, TX

- Provide intermediate care for high-risk medical, surgical and telemetry patients
- Manage patients requiring high level of care due to complex cardiovascular or pulmonary complications
- Monitor hemodynamic function, fluid and electrolytes, provide respiratory management, specialized wound care, nutritional therapy, medication management and comfort measures
- Provide family education and emotional support in relation to patient condition and treatment process

Bellaire ER

Registered Nurse

October 2013 - October 2014 (1 year 1 month)

Bellaire, TX

- Initiate patient assessment and collect patient information to determine immediate care
- Perform nursing interventions, manage injuries and other emergency situations as required
- Document and monitor patient progress
- Run and analyze freestanding ER lab tests and lab work
- Operate front desk registration
- Collaborate with other ER professionals to ensure effective patient care

Education

The University of Texas at Austin
Bachelor of Science (BS), Nursing · (2008 - 2013)