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Top Skills

Customer Service

Research

Biochemistry

Languages

English

Spanish

Certifications

ACLS

PALS

CCRN

Emergency Medical Technician

Kevin Chavez

BSN, RN, CCRN, SRNA

New York, New York

Summary

BS in both Biochemistry and Biology, Minor in Medical Physics at the University of Denver.

BSN received at the University of Colorado Anchutz Medical Campus.

Prior RN experience:

Surgical Intensive Care Unit at the University of Maryland Medical Center - Shock Trauma.

Medical Intensive Care Unit at Denver Health

Experience

University of Maryland Medical Center 3 years 9 months

RN - Travel RN - Transplant IMC November 2016 - Present (3 years 9 months) Baltimore, Maryland Area

- Experience in providing pre/post-op care to kidney and liver transplants.
- Patient to Nurse Ratio: 4:1 or 3:1 depending on acuity, with frequent admissions from SICU and discharges.

Clinical Nurse II - RN- Surgical Intensive Care Unit March 2017 - April 2018 (1 year 2 months) Baltimore, Maryland Area

- 24 Bed Unit that accepts and manages patients who have undergone a variety of general and specialty surgical procedures including but not limited to: thoracic, ENT, OMFS, GI, GU, Liver/Renal/Pancreas Transplantation, Trauma, Vascular, etc.
- Independently provides and coordinates care provided to patients.
- Serves as a fully effective and participative member of the multidisciplinary patient care services team.

Johns Hopkins Hospital Specialty RN - Per Diem

October 2017 - April 2018 (7 months)

Baltimore, Maryland Area

- Serves on Johns Hopkins Intrastaff, which is the internal staffing agency for the Johns Hopkins Health System.
- Practices as an expert in the application of the nursing process and theory within specialty areas such as intensive care units.
- Advances patient care directly in the role of an expert clinical practitioner and patient educator; and indirectly in the roles of educator and consultant.

Denver Health
RN Medical Intensive Care Unit
September 2014 - October 2016 (2 years 2 months)
Denver, CO

Medical Intense Care Unit (10/2015-10/2016)

- 24 bed unit in Rocky Mountain's Regional Level 1 Trauma Center
- Experience in providing safe, efficient, and equitable care to critically ill adults using interdisciplinary collaboration within the teaching hospital environment
- Experiences with illnesses/situations including but not limited to DKA, Alcohol Withdrawal, Severe Sepsis, ARDS, CHF, GI Bleeds, Acute Renal Failure, Acute Coronary Syndrome, Post-Cath Lab, CVA, Cardiac Arrest, Rapid Sequence Intubation
- Essentials of Critical Care Orientation (ECCO) Completed
- HCAHP Committee Member

Medical-Surgical/Orthopedic Unit (09/2014-10/2015)

- Day/Nights shift RN providing acute care to orthopedic, post operative, surgical, and admitted patients
- Duramorph post-operative monitoring
- 5:1 Patient to RN ratio with frequent admissions and discharges

University of Colorado Hospital ACP April 2013 - September 2014 (1 year 6 months)

Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment Medical Laboratory Technician April 2012 - November 2012 (8 months)

Responsibilities include answering sample testing questions with customers, operating database procedures, sending reports to contacts, handling of blood

and urine samples, sample storage, maintenance of media room and growth, testing samples, ELISA, etc. Read, comprehend, and interpret testing results and technical data. PPE.

SOP Development, QC development

Newmont Mining Corporation Metallurgical Technician 2011 - 2012 (1 year)

Responsibilities included performing metallurgical tests in compliance with state and federal health and safety regulations, performing duties as directed and needed by the company to ensure optimal safe operation; PPE was often a requirement. Common functions included Bottle rolls, pulverizing, and data entry.

- Read, comprehended, interpreted, and learned metallurgical information, technical data, Material Safety Data Sheets, labels on products, and warning signs to prevent loss of personnel, property and process.
- Supervised top priority company projects and reported results to lead site engineers

The Buckle Sales Representative 2011 - 2011 (less than a year)

Provided clients with a knowledgeable and successful purchasing experience. Worked to effectively drive sales and build relationships, and consistently ranked in the top sales performers. Trained new employees. Top 5% in sales.

University of Denver Customer Service Representative 2008 - 2011 (3 years)

Education

Columbia University in the City of New York MS, Nurse Anesthetist · (2018 - 2020)

University of Denver
Bachelor of Science (BS), Biochemistry, Biology, Medical
Physics · (2007 - 2011)

Universidad Veritas

Spanish, Costa Rican Health Care · (2010 - 2010)

University of Colorado at Denver BSN, Nursing