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Top Skills

Home Care

Patient Safety

Hospitals

Sarah Collins

BSN, RN *no longer interested in any travel please*
Houston, Texas Area

Summary

RN, BSN with over 10 years of experience in patient care. Punctual, fast learner, detail-oriented and actively pursues learning opportunities. Current BLS, ACLS, AWHONN Intermediate & Advanced Fetal Monitoring and NRP certifications.

Experience

Magnet Medical

Travel RN

May 2019 - Present (1 year 2 months)

Littlefield, Texas, United States

Labor & Delivery, Emergency Department

Maxim Healthcare Services

Travel RN

December 2018 - April 2019 (5 months)

San Antonio, Texas Area

Labor & Delivery, 120 - 150 births per month

Aureus Medical Group

Travel RN

August 2018 - November 2018 (4 months)

Portland, Oregon Area

12 bed high risk L&D unit with 200-300 births per month.

Fastaff Travel Nursing

Travel Nurse

September 2017 - September 2017 (1 month)

Boca Raton, Florida

Short-term emergency relief following Hurricane Irma.

Aureus Medical Group

Travel RN

August 2017 - August 2017 (1 month)

Madras, Oregon

Critical needs contract during period of time surrounding 2017 Solar Eclipse

PPR Talent Management Group

Travel RN

November 2016 - January 2017 (3 months)

Silver City, New Mexico

3 bed critical access L&D unit with approximately 20-30 births per month.

Aureus Medical Group

Travel RN

September 2016 - October 2016 (2 months)

Springfield, Oregon

22 bed high risk L&D unit with 250 - 300 births per month

PPR Talent Management Group

RN III

June 2016 - August 2016 (3 months)

Sugar Land, Texas

15 bed LDRP unit with 90-120 births per month

HCA

RN, BSN

April 2013 - January 2016 (2 years 10 months)

The Woman's Hospital of Texas | Houston, Tx

- Work as a team with fellow nurses and 90+ physicians
- Care of low and high-risk patients during ante partum, peripartum, post-partum periods, and all phases of labor and delivery
- Responsible for assisting with vacuum and forceps assisted deliveries
- Administer blood transfusions to critical patients
- Proficient in Cervidil, Cytotec, and Pitocin inductions
- Circulate for cesarean sections, including placenta previa and accreta
- Care of newborn infants during 1st 1-2 hours of life, including resuscitation

The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston
Peer Tutor| Adult I Fundamentals of Nursing, Care of Mother and
Family (OB), Mental Health
August 2012 - April 2013 (9 months)
Galveston, Texas

- Tutored large group sessions for nursing students in specific course material
- Integrated study and learning strategies to promote independent learning
- Quickly establish rapport to best communicate with students and meet learning needs
- Communicated student needs with faculty in timely and professional manner

HCA

Nurse

December 2010 - August 2011 (9 months)
Bayshore Medical Center, Pasadena

- Provided nursing care for new mothers after routine and emergency deliveries on a 32 bed unit
- Facilitated mother – baby bonding
- Administered and monitored the effects and side-effects of medications and treatments prescribed by physician
- Coordinated care between nursing mothers and Lactation Consultants.
- Documented all elements of nursing assessment, treatments, medications, discharge instructions, and follow-up care
- Provided patient/family education on topics including basic nutrition, care needs, and pain management

Psychiatric Solutions, Inc.

Nurse

June 2010 - January 2011 (8 months)
Cypress Creek Psychiatric Hospital, Houston

- Provided nursing care for psychiatric and chemical dependent patients by providing milieu management including crisis intervention to ensure patient safety for 16 bed unit
- Administered and monitored the effects and side-effects of medications and treatments prescribed by physician
- Documented nursing care, treatment and patient response
- Responsible for patient chart audits and reconciliation of physician orders with the MAR
- Consistently “exceeded expectations” on yearly performance reviews

United States Army

Health Care Specialist

September 2001 - June 2008 (6 years 10 months)

- Trained to administer emergency medical treatment to battlefield casualties
- Assisted with outpatient and inpatient care and treatment
- Interviewed patients and recorded their medical histories
- Maintained health records and clinical files
- Coordinated vaccination clinic for deploying soldiers
- Achieved Combat Lifesaver Certification
- Received advanced training with Brooke Army Medical Center Burn Unit

Education

The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston

Bachelor of Science, Nursing · (2011 - 2013)

Alvin Community College

Vocational Nursing Certificate, Nursing · (2009 - 2010)

San Jacinto College

Associate of Arts (AA), Biology · (2007 - 2010)