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Top Skills

Fluent in 2 different languages (speak, read and write): Spanish and English

Proficient with EMRs

Healthcare

Languages

Spanish (Native or Bilingual) English (Native or Bilingual)

Certifications

ACNP-BC

ACLS

BLS

CCRN

CGFNS

Maria Ciccarello

Acute Care Nurse Practitioner at CHI St. Luke's Health - Baylor St. Luke's Medical Center

Conroe, Texas

Summary

Some of my skills include:

- Strong ability to work in a collaborative practice model
- Bi-lingual (English and Spanish)
- Ability to adapt quickly to a fast-paced, dynamic, and demanding work environment

Experience

CHI St. Luke's Health - Baylor St. Luke's Medical Center Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (ACNP-BC)

December 2015 - Present (4 years 6 months)

- 1,Admitting critically ill patients to the unit, writing H&P, progress, transfer and discharge notes.
- 2. Ordering medication, imaging and laboratory studies when appropriate.
- 3. Ordering and providing consult referrals.
- 4. Communicating and collaborating with the intensivist in the Unit.
- 5. Managing care for the cardiac population which include post op Coronary Bypass Grafts, all cardiac repair/replacement valves, transapical aortic valves, ascending aortic repairs and heart transplants.
- 6.Managing care for patients with Left ventricular assisted devices (LVADs) used as a bridge to transplant or for destination therapy.
- 7. Managing care for patients with intra aortic balloon pump and/or continuous renal replacement therapy.
- 8..Transplanted population: Lung, Heart, Liver and Kidney.
- 9. Performing invasive procedures such as placement of Central lines, MACs, Pulmonary artery catheters, arterial lines.

University of Virginia Medical Center (Level I Trauma Center)
Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (ACNP-BC)
August 2014 - September 2015 (1 year 2 months)

Post Op Thoracic Cardiovascular ICU

1,Admitting critically ill patients to the unit, writing H&P, progress, transfer and discharge notes.

- 2. Ordering medication, imaging and laboratory studies when appropriate.
- 3. Ordering and providing consult referrals.
- 4. Communicating and collaborating with the intensivist in the Unit.
- 5. Managing care for the cardiac population which include post op Coronary Bypass Grafts, all cardiac repair/replacement valves, transapical aortic valves, ascending aortic repairs and heart transplants.
- 6.Managing care for patients with Left ventricular assisted devices (LVADs) used as a bridge to transplant or for destination therapy.
- 7. Managing care for patients with intra aortic balloon pump and/or continuous renal replacement therapy.
- 8.Managing care for patients on VV or VA ECMO (Extracorporeal cardiac membrane oxygenation) in conjunction with perfusionist.
- 9.Thoracic population: esophagectomies, Roux-en Ys, Ivor, Lewis, thymectomies, all lung surgeries (high risk wedge resections, lobectomies), pneumonectomies and bilateral lung transplants.
- 10.Performing invasive procedures such as placement of Central lines, MACs, Pulmonary artery catheters, arterial lines and bronchoscopies when needed.

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