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Summary

Family Nurse Practitioner, with a Washington, DC license and ANCC board certification. Dedicated to assisting patients with improving overall well-being through treatment and optimal life choices. Strong communication and interpersonal skills with in-depth understanding of family medicine, and human behavior. Consistently commended for delivering quality, patient-centered care, while utilizing evidence-based nursing practices.

Skills

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| * Physical and Mental Health Assessment * Advanced Pharmacology * Advanced Pathophysiology * HIPAA Guidelines | * Critical Thinking * Judgement and Decision Making * Patient Advocacy * Health Needs Education |

Experience

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| CVS Minute Clinic | Washington, DC  Family Nurse Practitioner  *04/2022 - Current* | * Oversee an average of 30 patients per shift * Diagnose and treat acute, episodic, or chronic illnesses independently * Formulate individual patient center treatment plan according to company guidelines * Assess the physical, mental, and emotional health of patients and formulate measures to meet patient needs * Chart clinical observation, evaluation, and treatment of patients according to company guidelines * Manage pharmacological and non-pharmacological treatment of various acute illnesses and chronic conditions * Assess need for, ordered, obtained, and interpreted appropriate lab test * Communicate with physicians and other staff as necessary to provide quality patient care within appropriate guidelines * Encourage family involvement in patient care and respond to educational needs * Support and follow legal requirements, clinical policies and procedures, staff bylaws, and regulatory requirements * Focus on educating patients and the community about health issues and preventative care |

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| Georgetown University Hospital, Transplant Clinic  Liver Transplant Coordinator  *12/2020 - 09/2022* | * Conducted pre-transplant interviews with patient and families of possible transplant recipients in the inpatient and outpatient setting * Selected appropriate patients for transplantation based on MGUH Health Transplant Program and UNOS guidelines * Prepared and analyzed pre-transplant clinical data and collaborated with members of the multidisciplinary team in preparation for transplantation * Communicated with third-party payers regarding issues of medical necessity and benefits coverage for their clients undergoing transplantation * Composed written transplant summaries, clinic visit, and summaries letters * Conducted post-discharge planning and education for transplant patients * Provided telephone follow-up to support patients and their families |

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| Georgetown University Hospital  RN Discharge/Medication Coordinator  *06/2017 - 12/2020* | * Conducted daily meeting with physicians, social workers, therapists, nutritionists, and case managers to facilitate accurate assessment of patient needs post-transplant to discharge * Advocated for patients by communicating care preferences to practitioners * Liaised with home caregivers/rehabilitation centers to ensure timely assessments and completion of required documentation to facilitate discharge * Identified insurance coverage limitations * Taught patients how to improve lifestyle choices, dramatically reducing chances of symptom reoccurrence * Informed patient and families of expected treatment options at home or at caregiving settings. * Executed monthly prescription refill calls to include, compliance, monitoring medication refills and insurance * Reviewed and monitor regular reporting cycles and interpreted that data to drive actions with clinic staff and patients * Administrative tasks included weekly reporting on medication discrepancies, dose changes and discontinued medications for patients |

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| George Washington University Hospital | Washington, DC  Registered Nurse, Neurological & Orthopedic Unit  *03/2014 - 04/2017* | * Staff nurse for a busy 60-bed unit * Floated to various units in the hospital * Collected and prioritized comprehensive data pertinent to the patient's health situation * Analyzed the assessment data to determine appropriate nursing diagnosis * Consulted with specialists for individual patients' diagnosis, as needed * Identified expected outcomes per individual patient * Implemented individual nursing care plan ranging from physical illnesses to mental health concerns, across a wide range of ages. * Provided nursing care within the philosophy objectives and policies of the facility * Evaluated patient progress and expected outcomes * Contributed to the professional development of my peers and colleagues, and precepted future registered nurses * Identified discharge/transfer needs to initiate plan for movement to next level of care * Provided a variety of resources to teach and support patient and family learning, specific to individual |

Education and Training

George Washington University

Master of Science in Nursing- Family Nurse Practitioner

*05/2019*

Shenandoah University

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

*12/2013*

Virginia Commonwealth University

Bachelor of Science in Sociology

*12/2006*

Activities and Honors

MedStar Georgetown Transplant Institute Shared Governance Member – Education Counsel Representative and Contributor American Association of Nurse Practitioners –Member Peer Acclimation Program at Shenandoah University – Peer Group Leader Student Nurses Association at Shenandoah University – Member

Golden Key International Honor Society

Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society

Languages

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| **English:**    Native/ Bilingual |  | **Krio:**    Native/ Bilingual |

Certifications

* ANCC Board Certified Family Nurse Practitioner- Virginia, Washington, DC
* Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS), Washington, DC
* Registered Nurse - Virginia (compact), Washington, DC, California
* Advanced Stroke Life Support - National Institute of Health
* Basic Life Support: Adult and Pediatric - American Heart Association