

FAYGE BARAL

MSN, AGACNP-BC
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LICENSE AND CERTIFICATIONS

- ANCC AGACNP-BC May 31, 2023
- State of Illinois Advance Practice Registered Nurse July 26, 2023
- State of Illinois Registered Professional Nurse September 20, 2017
- ACLS and BLS

WORK EXPERIENCE

Advocate Aurora Health Registered Nurse January 2018 – Present

- Flexible Staffing Services March 2022 – Present
 - Contracts at Advocate hospitals as dialysis RN and med-surg/telemetry RN. Have worked at Lutheran General Hospital, Good Samaritan Hospital, and Illinois Masonic Medical Center.
 - Excellent communication, collaboration, and time-management skills.
 - Utilizes evidence-based practice and critical thinking.
 - Advocates for patients and coordinates patient-centered transitional care.
- Trinity Hospital Dialysis RN March 2021 – March 2022
 - Analyzed dialysis orders and laboratory results, and discussed the plan of care with the nephrologist and the patient.
 - Initiated and discontinued hemodialysis, assessed patients, verified safety, and administered appropriate medications and treatments as needed.
 - Educated patients about the treatment plan and collaborated with the social worker and dietitian.
 - Charge nurse duties and precepted new nurses.
- Lutheran General Hospital Float Pool Med-Surg/Telemetry RN January 2018 – March 2021
 - Cared for patients on the following units: cardiac-telemetry, surgical-telemetry, medical-telemetry, neurology-stroke, oncology, respiratory, general medicine, general surgery, medical management of withdrawal and detox, and inpatient rehab.
 - Charge nurse duties and precepted new nurses.

EHR EXPERIENCE

- EPIC

- Cerner

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Nursing—Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner,

Lewis University June 2020 – May 2023

Overall GPA: 3.92

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Resurrection University April 2017

Associate in Arts, Oakton Community College May 2015

MSN CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Emergency Department Advocate Aurora Health South Suburban Hospital

January 2022 – May 2022

- Completed 180 practicum hours with Stacy Prskalo, FNP-C who has been working as an FNP in the emergency department since May 2019.
- Provided acute and episodic care to adults in both emergency and fast-track settings.
- Assisted in the performance of minor bedside procedures including, but not limited to, laceration repair, abscess drainage, and foreign body removal.

Mixed Medical ICU Advocate Aurora Health South Suburban Hospital

September 2022 – December 2022

- Completed 72 practicum hours with Heather Krusemark, AGACNP-BC who has been working as a CNP since September 2020.
- Conducted health histories and physical assessments. Diagnosed and treated acute disease processes.
- Ordered laboratory and diagnostic studies for patients while considering benefits and risks to the patients.

Structural Heart Cardiology Coordinator Advocate Aurora Health Lutheran General Hospital

September 2022 – December 2022

- Completed 116 practicum hours with Marie Hagman, CNS who has been working as an APRN since 2015.
- Provided acute pre- and post-care for patients undergoing TAVR and TMVR.
- Explained the rationale, preparation, benefits, risks, and anticipated effects to patients.

Nephrology Associates in Nephrology (AIN)

January 2023 – May 2023

- Completed 181 practicum hours with Kareen Simpson, MD who has been working as a nephrologist since 1998.

- Worked in the acute setting, outpatient CKD clinic, outpatient PD clinic, and hemodialysis center. Coordinated with the nurse navigator, social worker, dietitian, nurses, and other physicians on the interdisciplinary team.
- Established rapport with patients. Encouraged patients and helped them navigate the difficulties of CKD, such as initiating dialysis or getting a transplant.
- Exemplary bedside manner. Great listener.

VOLUNTEERING

- CASA of Cook County February 2022 – Present
- Rainbow Hospice November 2019 – November 2022

HOBBIES

- Bouldering
- Tennis
- Reading fiction books