

PROFILE

Enthusiastic, compassionate, and highly motivated registered nurse with 7 years experience of hands on patient care in the hospital setting. Devoted to providing excellent patient care and aim to provide effective communication with other medical interdisciplinary teams to provide a safe and quality experience for all patients, family members, and healthcare staff.

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE / CERTIFICATIONS



American Heart Association BLS/ACLS
Current - 8

EDUCATION

Northern Arizona University

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Minor in Biology,

Flagstaff, AZ

AWARDS:

20 Daisy Award Recipient- Medical Center Phoenix, AZ

WORK EXPERIENCE:



Responsible for managing all nursing care within the operating room including assisting the surgical team to create and maintain a safe and sterile environment for patient surgery, positioning patients for various surgical procedures, and properly prepping skin for surgical incision. Assist Anesthesiologists and CRNAs with general anesthesia, spinal and block anesthetics, MAC sedation, and difficult airways. Have thorough knowledge in OR specialties such as Oncologic, Bariatric, Robotic, General, Urology, GYN, and Orthopedics. Able to formulate a plan of care that utilizes assessment data and patient input to initiate a plan of care based on patient specific needs. Prepare OR rooms to ensure patient safety, prepare for emergency care, and anticipate surgeon and anesthesia needs.

Medical Center, Endoscopy RN September 20 December 20

Provided direct patient care during Endoscopy procedures according to physician's orders and hospital policies. Assessed and prepared both inpatient and outpatients for procedures in a fast-paced environment. Performed as a procedural RN in cases that include EGD's, Colonoscopies, Bronchoscopies, ERCP's, EUS's, EBUS's, Small Bowel Capsules, and Enteroscopies. Performed conscious sedation procedures including sedation administration, airway management, and emergency care under the direct supervision of a physician. Conducted a thorough assessment of each patient upon admission and discharge as well as completed all required documentation in a timely and accurate manner. Prepared rooms to ensure patient safety and anticipate physician's needs during procedure. Assisted Anesthesiologists and CRNAs with intubation and proper patient positioning for advanced endoscopic procedures. Educated patients and family members on procedures and post anesthesia care to ensure a high standard of nursing service.



Provided direct patient care during Endoscopy procedures at a level one trauma center in Mesa, Arizona. Thorough knowledge in pre-operative, procedural, and post anesthesia care. Assisted surgeons and anesthesiologists with procedures ranging from gastrointestinal to pulmonary care while managing endoscopy equipment and supplies. Trained in managing endoscopic instruments including scopes and procedural devices to aid in case turnover and assist endoscopy technicians. Cross trained to work in the OR's pre-operative and PACU setting managing surgical patients and educating on post operative care to patients and family members. Worked and collaborated with OR staff during ostomy reversals, foreign body removals, and large colon polyp removals. Performed as a team leader/charge RN for the unit managing procedural schedule, daily staffing, and aiding the endoscopy staff as a resource of information.



Provided direct quality of care to patients and infants on a labor and delivery/ antepartum unit. Monitored fetal heart tones on a continuous basis along with educating and encouraging maternal patients throughout the laboring and postpartum period. Thorough education in areas of postpartum care including breastfeeding, infant care at time of delivery and proper SBAR communication with physicians and fellow registered nurses. Performed cesarean sections in an OR setting as a circulating RN and provided post anesthesia care to patients receiving general or spinal epidural anesthesia. Collaborated with other medical interdisciplinary teams to achieve a positive and valued experience for both the patient and family members.



July 20 - *April 20*

Provided direct quality of care to patients on a medical/surgical and telemetry unit. Assessed and monitored patients with illnesses ranging from respiratory, cardiovascular, renal, orthopedics, geriatrics, and gastrointestinal. Monitored, documented, and reported symptoms and changes in patient's condition. Worked extensively with other medical interdisciplinary teams to formulate and implement a plan of care that would ensure the patient's safety and improve the individual's overall health and wellness. Delegated and supervised other health care team members to provide continuity in patient care. Worked as a preceptor to new team members as well as educated new employees on cerner system.

REFERENCES

Available upon request