Betty Swann

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Objective: Interested in finding a position of a Staff nurse with a reputed hospital/Health center where I can put to use the experience and knowledge I have gained in the nursing field.

Experience

HMC Health Center New York Staff Nurse 3/3/2009 to Present

- Closely monitor patients to identify signs of arrhythmias and other life-threatening complications.
- Administer medications and hang drips; prepare patients for TEE, echocardiography, and stress tests.
- Perform clinical procedures utilizing non-invasive monitoring equipment
- Work collaboratively with surgeons and cardiologists to discuss patients' conditions and medical needs.
- Facilitate the recovery process through patient and family education with a focus on pre/post operative procedures, prevention, medication, and pain management techniques.
- Collaborate with medical professionals to establish a Plan of Care for all patients at point of discharge.
- Provided nursing service and first aid to persons who became ill or injured on premises of department store, industrial plant and other establishment.
- Took patient's vital signs, treated wounds, evaluated condition of patient and contacted physician to arrange for further medical treatment.
- Maintained record of persons treated, prepared accident reports and insurance forms.
- Provided nursing service and first aid to persons who became ill or injured on premises of department store, industrial plant and other establishment.
- Developed employee programs, such as health education, accident prevention, alcohol abuse counseling, curtailment of smoking and weight control regimens.
- Assisted physician in physical examination of new employees.

ABC Hospital New York Registered Nurse 3/3/2007 to 3/3/2009

Assess and care of patients during pre and post medical-surgical.

- Responsible for pain management, patient safety, care of patients with simple to complex surgeries
- Care of patients with GI bleed & procures to localize source.
- Care of patients with complex, open wounds, care of orthopedic patients both arthritic
 and, primarily, traumatic et al ortho injuries; closed head injuries, open fractures, spinal
 injuries including quadriplegia. Pneumo-thorax.
- Care of patients with chest tubes, JP drains Dialysis patients as well as uncontrolled Diabetics.

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 Co-existent psychiatric/ substance-abuse issues, placement Naso- gastric and Dobhoff tubes, Foley cath insertion/ discontinuan.

• Aseptic peripheral IV starts as well as Picc-lines, Medi-ports and Triple Lumen Cathers.

SMC Hospital New York Nurses Aide 3/3/2005 to 3/3/2007

- Educate patients and family members about self care and medication.
- Assisted with removal of staples and sutures.
- Assisted paitents with dressing wounds and medication.
- Educating patients and patient's family on pre-op/pre procedure preparation.
- Assisting patients with Insurance documentation.
- Clinical determination as to clients' stabilization or deterioration. Providing clinical findings to clients' status to insurer.

Education

Hutchins College of Medicine Bachelor of Science in Nursing

New York 2007

Registered Nurse License

New York 2007

References: Available upon request