SHERRY PINKSTON

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Compassionate Registered Nurse with over twenty years of work experience providing quality and effective care to a variety of patients in the hospital and home setting. Most passionate about critically ill patients and individuals requiring extensive nursing care. Have an abundant amount of nursing knowledge and skills set that I look forward to bringing to your facility. Working toward earning a Bachelor of Nursing degree to further my education and career opportunities.

EXPERIENCE

2008-2018

REGISTERED NURSE, NORTHEASTERN HEALTH SYSTEMS TAHLEQUAH

- Critical care of unstable cardiac and medical patients.
- Extensive care of post-operative coronary artery bypass graft patients and other cardiac patients.
- Manage lifesaving equipment, multiple IV drips, and lab results.
- Work effectively as a team player on the Code Team
- Communicate and collaborate with the doctors in the direct planning and implementation of the patient's care.
- Monitor telemetry and respond appropriately
- Educate patient families on their loved one's condition and provide support.
- Act as charge nurse on multiple occasions and preceptor to new employees and students.

2010-2011

REGISTERED NURSE, HOPE HOSPICE

- Able to function and give compassionate care under high stress situations.
- Aid the patient and their family in coming to terms with death and help them reach acceptance and peace of mind.
- Provide effective management of pain and other symptoms of the dying process.
- Collaborate with the hospice doctor in the planning of care for the patient.
- Complete assessment and provide symptom management as needed.

2006-2008

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE, SOLARA LTAC HOSPTIAL OF MUSKOGEE

- Demonstrate exceptional organizational skills.
- Wound care administration and management of wound care equipment, ex. wound vac.

EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

- Providing education to the patient and their families on their condition, plan and expectations of care during their stay.
- Medication administration.
- Monitoring and management of patient's vital signs, lab results and overall needs.
- Maintain skin integrity.

2002-2006

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE, MUSKOGEE REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

- Provide exceptional nursing care to multiple patients on a fast-paced medical surgical floor.
- Time management and organizational skills.
- Monitor and maintain patient's vital signs.
- Medication administration.
- Maintain skin integrity.
- Work effectively and be an asset on the code team.

EDUCATION

2001-2002

LPN, INDIAN VOTECH SALLISAW, OK

2002-2008

RN, CONNORS STATE COLLEGE WARNER, OK

LICENSURES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- OKLAHOMA BOARD OF NURSING
- ACLS
- BLS
- SKILLED WOUND AND OSTOMY CARE

SKILLS

- Life Support
- IV administration
- Medication administration
- Diagnostic results and assessment
- Assistance in procedures
- Reporting facts and documentation
- Cardiac monitoring and vital signs
- Hemodynamic monitoring

ACTIVITIES

I have been in the medical field in some form or another since high school. That is over twenty years of care I have given to patients and their families. Caring for others, serving others has always been my passion. It gives me great pride knowing I'm helping people in a critical time in their lives. In my free time I love creating crafts, but most importantly I enjoy spending time with my beautiful children and grandchildren. I know I would be a useful addition to your facility's team, and I greatly appreciate your consideration for the position.