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EDUCATION

James A. Garfield High School, Los Angeles, CA
Diploma, June 2011
University of California, Riverside, Riverside, CA
BS, Biology, June 2016
Azusa Pacific University, Monrovia, CA
BSN, Nursing, January 2023 to present.

SKILLS

- Fluent in English and Spanish.
- Major strengths include strong leadership, excellent communication skills, team player, attention to detail, respectfulness.
- Fast learner and eager to keep learning.
- Strong organizational and time management skills, able to effectively manage multiple priorities and meet deadlines.
- Good empathetic and listening skills.

EXPERIENCE

PIH Health

Student Nurse

Whittier, CA
Sept 2023 to Present

- Assisted in basic patient care, e.g., bathing, oral hygiene, ambulation, answering call lights, transporting patients, and assisting patients to the bathroom/bedpan in a timely manner.
- Exhibited positive guest relations skills by extending myself and being hospitable to patients, physicians, coworkers, and visitors.
- Assisted patients, physicians, nursing, visitors, and hospital staff within the scope of practice.
- Contributed to patient/physician satisfaction, financial strength, and the continuous performance improvement goals of the hospital and individual units.

Azusa Pacific University

Entry Level Masters- Nursing Student

- Proficient in medication administration, including oral, intramuscular, and intravenous routes.
- Skilled in performing comprehensive patient assessments and documenting findings accurately.
- Competent in providing wound care and dressing changes following evidence-based protocols.
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills to establish rapport with patients and their families.

Monrovia, CA
January 2023 to Present

Sigma Theta Iota, Nursing Honor Society

Nursing Honor Society Member

- Contribute to the vision of connected, empowered nurses transforming global healthcare.
- Actively participate in fulfilling the mission of developing nurse leaders to improve healthcare worldwide.
- Support Sigma's strategic goals, including promoting nursing scholarship, leadership, and service.
- Engage in activities to grow and sustain the value for members and nurses pursuing excellence.

Monrovia, CA
April 2024 to Present

Project 180 LA

Housing Specialist

- Provide linkage to housing resources. Provide ongoing housing case management to housed clients to support maintenance of housing placement.
- Research housing resources in the community. Attend service area and LA County provider meetings to obtain information about housing linkages.
- Develop and maintain relationships with housing providers.
- Provide the treatment teams with updates on their caseloads' housing progress
- Provide oversight for case managers who are interested in specializing on housing
- Provide housing training and support across the division as needed.

Los Angeles, CA
Jan 2022 to March 2024

Case Manager II

- Coordinate and implement group behavioral treatment activities for the Project 180 programs under direction of Clinical Supervisor and/or Program Supervisor.
- Coordinate services with various public and private community health, mental health, and social service agencies to ensure appropriate services for clients.
- Maintain and update client's files and documentation in accordance with DMH and Federal guidelines.

April 2019 to Dec 2021

Roman Empire Living Skills Agency

Educator

- Trained and supported individuals with mental disabilities by providing them with the necessary skills to become independent.
- Worked with family and service coordinator to set up a plan for the consumer.
- Worked with consumer with disabilities including: Autism, bi-polar disorder, schizophrenia and mental retardation.

Los Angeles, CA
Sept 2016 – March 2018

UC Riverside Dining Services - Food Trucks

Riverside, CA
April 2014 - June 2016

Food Truck Supervisor

- Overlooked a crew of workers and made sure everyone was on task and working efficiently.
- Experience with working as part of a team.
- Ensured workplace was clean and organized.
- Commitment to ensuring customers are satisfied.
- Being able to take orders accurately.
- Accommodating students with special needs or disabilities.

Volunteer Experience

COPE Health Scholar Internship – White Memorial Medical Center

Los Angeles, CA
Jan 2017-Jan 2019

Intern/ Volunteer

- Work in direct communication with the CNAs and the RNs at the hospital to provide quality patient care.
- Some duties include but are not limited to taking vital signs, addressing any patient concerns, feeding patients, transporting patients and ensuring that everything is restocked on the floor.

Certifications

- Basic Life Support (BLS) Certification, American Heart Association (11/20/2022)
- Hospital Fire and Life Safety (11/22/2022)
- NIHSS Certification 1/17/2024