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OBJECTIVE: To obtain employment as a Registered Nurse at Johns Hopkins Hospital

EDUCATION:

Candidate for Bachelor of Science
Major: Nursing
Salisbury University, Salisbury, MD

May 2009
Overall GPA: 3.7/4.0

RELATED EXPERIENCE:

Nurse Extern, ICU, Peninsula Regional Medical Center, Salisbury, MD June 2008- August 2008

- Provided therapeutic care under the direct supervision of a registered nurse assessing patients, planning/performing interventions and involved in treatments including medications.
- Provided emotional support to patients and their families through effective communication.
- Taught patients/families about their plan of care and discharge information.
- Managed a 1-2 critical patient load during the night shift (7p-7a).

Student Clinicals

Fall 2007- Spring 2009

- Managed care of 1-3 patients in an Adult Medical/Surgical setting with out-rotations in the ICU, ER, OR, Home Health Care, and Rehab Center.
- Performed assessments in a Maternal/Newborn Clinical, adapting to each individual experience and recognizing the possible complications for both mother and child during each stage.
- Observed and assisted in one natural birth and one Cesarean Section birth.
- Demonstrated therapeutic relationships and communication with clients at both long and short-term mental health facilities and community centers.
- Focused on the nursing implications involved with patients in hospitals with both mental health and medical issues.
- Managed Pediatric patients on an inpatient floor focusing on the entire family unit with emphasis on disease management and injury prevention.
- Conducted a professional experiment to examine the cognitive progress of a 7 year old in a Child Psychology class and related it to the overall development of the child.
- Listened to patients and responded with appropriate care as an advocate for the best possible treatment combination considering accessibility, availability and cost of healthcare.
- Considered patient's cultural and ethical beliefs and remained nonjudgmental and respectful.
- Preceptor-based Internship providing care on a unit performing roles of a nurse including medication administration during the upcoming Spring 2009 semester.

Laboratory Assistant, SU Nursing Resource Laboratory, Salisbury, MD

Fall 2008- Spring 2009

- Assisted Junior/Senior nursing students with practicing skills needed for hospital clinicals.
- Evaluated nursing students' ability to perform specific skills and reported progress to faculty.
- Prepared the lab and assisted faculty with skill demonstration.
- Performed one-on-one study sessions/group sessions with nursing students in need of extra academic assistance.

AFFILIATIONS/AWARDS:

Member, Sigma Theta Tau International (Lambda Eta chapter)

Recipient, Garland D. & Vivian J. Bull Nursing Scholarship (2008-2009 School Year)

Member, National Student Nurses' Association, Student Nurses Association (Salisbury Chapter)

Member, Maryland Association of Nursing Students

Member, Salisbury University Club Field Hockey Team

Volunteer, The Joseph House (Salisbury MD)