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**Objective:**

Dedicated and compassionate Registered Nurse with 4 years experience in the field of health care, committed to improving overall quality of life in children. Dynamic and results-oriented professional devoted to inculcating a passion for learning, creating multicultural awareness through teaching the fundamentals of the English language. A strong talent to develop and implement creative, hands-on activities that reaches every student’s learning style and ability, empowering children to succeed and achieve individual goals. A trustworthy and caring individual with excellent communication to work with parents and faculty to meet the needs of students and promote the philosophy and goals of the school.

**Professional Experience:**

***United Hospital,*** Kenosha, WI

Registered Nurse, Pediatrics(2009-2010)

* Provided comprehensive patient care to infants through adolescents on 20 bed unit with varied diagnoses including GI/GU, respiratory, orthopedic among others.
* Responsible for providing home care instructions and suggestions to patients and families on a routine basis.
* Performed hourly patient assessments and collaborated with colleges and physicians to determine treatment plans.
* Competencies in both Nursery and Pediatric units.

***Norwegian American Hospital,*** Chicago, IL

Nurse Extern, Labor and Delivery(2007)

* Responsible for the delivery of age appropriate and culturally competent nursing care; addressing development, psychosocial, biological, and clinical needs of the patients and families under direct supervision of RN.
* Administered non-stress tests (NST’s) to patients on a daily basis and reported results to physician.
* Provided emotional support to patients through the labor process while monitoring contractions.

***Kinder Care,*** Naperville, IL

Teacher (2002-2003)

* Planned and conducted activities promoting intellectual growth of children derived on play.
* Implemented activities to attain the social and physical growth of children.
* Communicated directly with parents about the student’s progress.
* Maintained classroom records, cleanliness, and orderliness.

**Education:**

***College of DuPage***, Glen Ellyn, IL

Associate of Science in Nursing, May 2009

***Indiana University,*** Bloomington, IN

Business concentration, August 2006

**Leadership and Affiliations:**

***MGR Foundation volunteer and Chicago Marathon Participant*** (2007-2008)

* Served as MGR mentor providing guidance and motivation to local youth residing in Chicago’s low-income south-side area.
* Fundraised for team M3, empowering student-athletes to achieve personal goals in marathon participation.

***Nursing representative for Student Government*** (2006)

* Created health-promoting events for community such as monthly blood pressure screenings for local adults.
* Organized *Big Brother Big Sister* partnerships between students and children in the community.

**Credentials:**

Registered Nursing license, IL

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Certified Nursing Assistant, IL

CPR, BSL certified