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Summary of Qualifications

Extensive Clinical Experience

I have accumulated over 836 hours of direct patient care in various healthcare settings in hospitals within the Niagara Region and Hamilton. Specialized areas include emergency, medical-surgical, paediatrics, NICU, forensic psychiatry, and psychiatric emergency.

Direct Patient Care

Hands-on experience in administering care, performing assessments, and implementing care plans under supervision.

Interpersonal Skills

Proven ability to communicate effectively with patients, families, and healthcare teams, demonstrating empathy and active listening.

Certifications

BLS + ACLS certified (2024), WHIMIS certified.

Education

Brock University

Concurrent Bachelor of Nursing/Master of Nursing.

May 2023 - December 2024

Brock University

Bachelor of Science in Medical Science.
Degree Conferred, June 2022.

Sept 2018 - June 2022

Clinical Experience

Emergency Department

- Cared for patients with emergent conditions, including cardiac events, sepsis, and overdose.
- Administered medications using a variety of routes such as oral, intramuscular, and intravenous.
- Participated in interdisciplinary rounds, and collaborated effectively with the healthcare team.
- Demonstrated empathy, provided culturally competent care, and applied critical thinking to patient assessments and interventions.

Medical-Surgical Nursing

- Assisted in providing comprehensive care to post-operative patients, including wound care, medication administration, and patient education,

Paediatrics/NICU

- Provided care for paediatric patients with various diagnoses, including newborns with triple phototherapy, infants with RSV, and toddlers with pneumonia.
- Conducted head-to-toe assessments, administered medications, and understood family-centred care.
- Participated in paediatric morning rounds, understanding the importance of interdisciplinary communication and family involvement in patient care.
- Participated in the care of premature and critically ill newborns, monitoring vital signs, and assisting with feeding and developmental care.

Forensic Psychiatry

- Provided support to patients within the intersection of psychiatry and the law including fitness to stand trial, capacity/competency, criminal responsibility, and risk assessments.
- Conducted mental status exams, identified patient's needs and goals, and collaborated with the interdisciplinary teams to meet these needs.
- Developed excellent therapeutic relationships with patients and provided culturally safe and unbiased care,

Emergency Psychiatry (PERT)

- Conducted comprehensive mental health assessments for patients presenting with acute psychiatric conditions, including depression, anxiety, suicidal ideation, and psychosis, under the supervision of experienced psychiatric nurses and physicians.
- Assisted in the implementation of de-escalation techniques to manage aggressive or distressed patients, ensuring patient safety while promoting a calm and supportive environment.
- Provided compassionate, empathetic care to patients in psychiatric emergencies, ensuring that their mental, emotional, and physical needs were met, and advocating for their rights and dignity in all interactions.

Work Experience

Registered Nurse

March 2025 - Present

Emergency Department

Niagara Health

Demonstrated ability to remain calm and decisive in emergency situations while maintaining excellent communication with patients, families, and healthcare providers.

Marker/Grader

Sept 2024 - December 2024

Experiencing Chronicity

Brock University

Duties included marking and providing feedback to students on a variety of assignments including scholarly papers and personal reflections.

Teaching Assistant

Jan 2024 - April 2024

Health Assessment

Brock University

Supported lab instructors with dissemination of teaching material. Supported students in answering questions and practicing their nursing skills in the lab. Ensured pre-lab homework was completed.

Marker/Grader

Sept 2023 - Dec 2023

Nursing Care of the Young Family

Brock University

Duties included marking and providing feedback to students on a variety of assignments including scholarly papers and personal reflections.

Marker/Grader

Sept 2023 - Dec 2023

Nursing & Health Promotion: The Canadian Context

Brock University

Duties included marking and providing feedback to students on a variety of assignments including scholarly papers and personal reflections.

Teaching Assistant

Sept 2022 - Dec 2022

Research Methods in Epidemiology

Brock University

Prepared for and facilitated weekly seminars for research methods in epidemiology. Other duties included providing feedback to students on assignments, answering questions, and supporting students with their learning needs.

Barista

March 2016 - April 2023

Starbucks Canada

Gained experience with interacting with customers, train new employees, and working with others as a team.

Volunteer Experience

CNSA Executive Member

Sept 2024 - Present

Brock University

As a student representative in the Canadian Nursing Students' Association at Brock, I am responsible for connecting with fellow nursing students and faculty while promoting community involvement and advancing the professional and educational development of nursing students. As a member, I assist with planning events and fundraisers for nursing students and the community. Examples include speaker series, clothing drives, and wellness groups.

BN/MN Student Representative

Sept 2023 - December 2024

Brock University

I am the spokesperson for the students. I collect individual feedback and attend regular meetings with the graduate committee. My goal is to represent and communicate student needs while keeping students informed of program requirements.

Student Conduct Council

Sept 2019 - Present

Brock University

Panel of students that facilitate hearings regarding Brock students who have broken the Student Code of Conduct regarding on-campus non-academic misconduct. Purpose was to provide students with restorative justice opportunities over punitive measures.

Dance Assistant

Sept 2019 - June 2024

Janice Luey Dance Co.

Assisted in leading dance classes for ages spanning from 2 years of age to young adults. Helped in students' development of coordination and dance skills to showcase at their final performance at the year end recital in June.