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# **EDUCATION**

Master of Science in Nursing, Leadership & Management WALDEN UNIVERITY Minneapolis, MN, 55401 February 2015 | GPA 4.0

Bachelor of Science,
Nursing
SALEM STATE COLLEGE
Salem, MA, 01870
May 2009 | GPA 3.2

Legal Nurse Consultant
Certificate
PLYMOUTH STATE UNIVERSITY
Plymouth, NH, 03264
April 2019 Final | Grade 92%

# Erin Laferriere MSN. RN. CCRN

#### REGISTERED NURSE

# SUMMARY

Staff nurse and charge nurse providing high quality care in a mixed medical-surgical adult intensive care setting. Collaborating with the interdisciplinary care team to plan and implement care to the most critical population. A primary member of the rapid response and code blue team responding to emergencies hospital wide. Partakes in mentorship as a preceptor for new staff and nursing students. Maintains all continuing education for professional licensure, specialty board certification, and required certifications.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# STAFF & CHARGE NURSE- INTENSIVE CARE UNIT (MICU/SICU)

Lowell General Hospital, Lowell, MA, 01854 | June 2013 - Present

Staff & charge nurse in a busy intensive care unit that consist of 23 licensed ICU beds. Lowell General Hospital a community hospital that consists of 390 beds across two campuses and belongs to the Tufts Medicine Health System. Lowell General Hospital is a primary stroke center and ACS level 3 trauma facility. It is a Magnet designated and a recipient of the Gold Beacon Award for critical care.

- Provides direct patient care to the adult critical-care population with medical and surgical diagnoses, illnesses, and conditions that require complex therapies and treatment.
- A member of the rapid response and code blue team responding to emergencies hospital wide
- Preceptor and resource for new staff and nursing students.
- Proficient in the electronic medical record including EPIC & CERNER.

#### ADJUNCT CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR

Manchester Community College & Northern Essex Community College

September 2015-October 2017

Providing hands on education in the clinical and laboratory settings to nursing students attending the associate degree program to become registered nurses.

- Responsible for medical-surgical nursing students in the hospital setting. To teach, supervise, and evaluate the delivery of direct patient care.
- Responsible for teaching and evaluating fundamental skills in the lab to entry level nursing students.

#### STAFF NURSE- NEONATAL INTENSIVE CARE III

Elliot Health System, Manchester, NH, 03103 | February 2012-July 2013

Providing direct patient care to the neonatal intensive care population including premature infants from 24 weeks to term.

### STAFF & CHARGE NURSE- CARDIAC INTERMEDIATE CARE UNIT

Elliot Health System, Manchester NH 03103 | November 2010-February 2012

Providing direct patient care to the adult population with primarily cardiac diagnoses and illnesses that require continuous cardiac monitoring.

#### LICENSE & CERTIFICATIONS

Board certification in critical care (CCRN) by the American Association of Critical-Care Nurses

Registered Nurse License MA & NH

Advanced cardiac life support-AHA

Basic life support- AHA

NIH stroke scale certification

Legal Nurse Consultant certificate

**AWARDS** 

GOLDEN KEY INTERNATIONAL HONOR SOCITY 2015

SIGMA THETA TAU HONOR SOCIETY OF NURSING PHI NU CHAPTER 2015

NURSING EXCELLENCE AWARD FOR NURSING MENTORHIP AT LOWELL GENERAL HOSPITAL 2015

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
OF CRITICAL-CARE NURSES

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
OF LEGAL NURSE
CONSULTANTS

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# WORK EXPERIENCE (CONTINUED)

#### STAFF NURSE- NORTH 2 TELEMETRY

Lakes Region General Hospital, Laconia NH 03246 | July 2009-January 2011

Providing direct patient care to the adult population with diagnoses and illness that require continuous cardiac monitoring.

#### PATIENT CARE TECHNICIAN- INTENSIVE CARE UNIT

Lawrence General Hospital, Lawrence MA 01841 | June 2006-July 2009

Assists the nursing staff with direct patient care under the direct supervision of a registered nurse. Performs clerical duties including answering phones, transcription, and paper filing.

### PROFESSIONAL SKILLS, DUTIES, & RESPONSIBILITIES

- NEUROLOGY: stroke care and assessment, TPA- tissue plasminogen activator administration, intracranial hemorrhage, trauma, seizures, alcohol and drug withdrawal, overdose, neurosurgical procedures including craniotomies, evacuation, tumor resection, burr holes, external ventricular drain, intracranial pressure monitoring, spinal fusion/drains, lumbar punctures, and VP shunts.
- CARDIAC: Cardiac arrest and cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR), target temperature protocol post arrest, myocardial infarction, percutaneous intervention (PCI), cardiac stents, cardiogenic shock, inotrope therapy, intra-aortic balloon pump, Impella heart device, congestive heart failure, pericardial effusion/drains, transcutaneous pacer, transvenous temporary pacing, cardioversion, chest tubes, atrial fibrillation, and dysrhythmias.
- PULMONARY: Respiratory failure (hypoxic and hypercarbic), ARDS-acute respiratory distress syndrome, endotracheal intubation, mechanical ventilation, tracheostomy, BiPAP-bilevel positive airway pressure therapy, CPAP-continuous positive airway pressure, high flow oxygen, Veletri inhalation, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, pneumonia, bedside bronchoscopy, pulmonary emboli with CDT- catheter directed thrombolysis therapy, COVID-19, and proning therapy.
- GASTROINTESTINAL: GI bleeding, abdominal surgical complications, abdominal pressure
  monitoring, TIPS-transjugular intrahepatic portosystemic shunt procedure, bedside
  endoscopies, gastric tube management (with feeds), TPN- total parental nutrition, bowel
  perforation, bowel obstruction, hepato-renal syndrome, and liver shock.
- HEMODYANMIC, VASCULAR, & COAGULOPATHY: Internal bleeding, blood transfusion and MTP- massive transfusion protocol, DIC- disseminated intravascular coagulation, central venous access management, arterial line management, pulmonary artery catheter management, hypertensive emergency, interventional radiology revascularization procedures and surgeries, alteplase infusion, and vasopressor therapy.
- **SHOCK:** SIRS- systemic inflammatory response syndrome, sepsis, cardiogenic, hypovolemic, and neurogenic.
- MISCELLANEOUS: Post-partum hemorrhage w/ Bakri balloon, fall risk, restraints, pain management, sedation, medication administration, pressure ulcer prevention and treatment, organ donation, terminal extubation, palliative care, and end of life.