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SUMMARY

Perioperative **Registered Nurse** with four years of experience supporting safe surgical care for pediatric, adult, and geriatric patients. Holds an **Illinois RN license**, a Bachelor of Science in Nursing, and current **American Heart Association Basic Life Support** certification. Provides patient advocacy, focused assessment, surgical safety support, accurate documentation, and calm response when patient conditions change. Coordinates closely with surgeons, anesthesia professionals, technicians, nursing colleagues, patients, and families across preoperative, intraoperative, and immediate postoperative workflows. Maintains supplies and equipment, identifies environmental safety concerns, supports procedure readiness, and contributes to **new staff orientation**. Brings practical computer skills, reliable clinical judgment, and a steady commitment to respectful care that supports safe procedures and strong team communication.

EXPERIENCE

Perioperative Registered Nurse October 2024 - Present
Lakeshore Surgical Center *Milwaukee, WI*

Supports perioperative nursing operations for patients across pediatric, adult, and geriatric populations. Completes assessments, coordinates surgical care, maintains equipment readiness, documents clinical changes, and communicates with patients, families, and multidisciplinary colleagues. Contributes to safe procedure flow and supports practical learning for newer staff.

- Completed perioperative assessments and prioritized safe nursing actions within each clinical plan.
- Coordinated surgeons, nursing colleagues, and support disciplines during procedure readiness and patient handoffs.
- Documented assessments, interventions, responses, and significant changes for continuity of care.
- Recognized condition changes and used structured escalation practices for timely clinical intervention.
- Explained care activities and next steps clearly to patients and families within nursing scope.
- Organized surgical **supplies** and **equipment**, applying safety practices throughout perioperative workflows.

Registered Nurse, Surgical Services September 2022 - September 2024
Prairie Ridge Medical Center *Waukegan, IL*

Delivered surgical services nursing support for varied patient populations in a medical center setting. Managed assessment, documentation, safety observation, team coordination, patient communication, and equipment preparation. Helped maintain dependable care transitions by sharing timely clinical information and responding thoughtfully to changing needs.

- Assessed surgical care needs and translated findings into prioritized nursing actions for patient safety.
- Aligned physicians, nurses, and support disciplines around treatment plans, handoffs, and safety needs.
- Recorded interventions, patient responses, and significant changes with clear clinical documentation.
- Escalated changes in condition through structured communication, supporting timely team decisions.
- Prepared patients and families for care activities, immediate concerns, and next steps.
- Applied evidence based safety practices while organizing supplies and equipment for procedures.

PROJECTS

Perioperative Safety Readiness 📅 2024
Worked with surgical colleagues to strengthen readiness checks, supply organization, environmental safety review, and communication before procedures. Shared practical observations that supported smoother care transitions.

Clinical Handoff Documentation 📅 2023
Partnered with nursing colleagues to improve clarity around assessments, interventions, patient responses, and significant changes during surgical care transitions.

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Recognized for calm clinical judgment and dependable communication during changing perioperative patient needs.
- Trusted by nursing colleagues to support practical orientation and share safe workflow habits with newer staff.
- Commended for clear documentation, patient advocacy, and respectful communication with families.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Nursing 2022
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee GPA: 3.5 *Milwaukee, WI*
Coursework: Perioperative Nursing, Adult Health, Pediatric Nursing, Geriatric Nursing, Patient Safety

CERTIFICATIONS

- Illinois Registered Nurse License 📅 2026
- American Heart Association Basic Life Support 📅 2026

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Perioperative Care:** Preoperative assessment, Intraoperative support, Immediate postoperative care
- **Patient Populations:** Pediatric care, Adult care, Geriatric care
- **Clinical Assessment:** Patient assessment, Condition changes, Clinical judgment
- **Surgical Safety:** Safety checks, Environmental review, Structured escalation
- **Patient Communication:** Patient education, Family communication, Care explanations
- **Team Coordination:** Surgeon coordination, Anesthesia collaboration, Nursing handoffs
- **Documentation Systems:** Clinical documentation, Intervention records, Response records
- **Equipment Readiness:** Supply preparation, Equipment checks, Procedure readiness
- **Nursing Education:** New staff orientation, Educational programs, Peer support
- **Basic Computer Skills:** Electronic documentation, Data entry, Clinical communication
- **Professional Credentials:** Illinois RN license, BSN, AHA BLS
- **Care Quality:** Evidence based practice, Continuity of care, Patient advocacy

SKILLS

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| • Perioperative Nursing | • Team Coordination | • Patient Assessment | • Family Communication |
| • Patient Safety | • Equipment Readiness | • Surgical Care | • Safety Escalation |
| • Patient Advocacy | • Clinical Documentation | • Care Handoffs | • Multidisciplinary Care |
| • Age Appropriate Care | • Basic Computer Skills | • Clinical Judgment | |

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Illinois Registered Nurse community, maintaining active licensure and continued clinical accountability.
- American Heart Association learning community, maintaining current Basic Life Support knowledge.

LANGUAGES

- English (Native)
- Spanish (Intermediate)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Work Status : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST