

STEPHANIE CLIENT, RN

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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Accomplished, patient-focused **Registered Nurse** with nine years of experience managing and performing a broad range of patient care for various surgeries and procedures. Strong background in higher surgical acuity patients within a critical care setting, specifically cardiovascular and thoracic surgeries. Excellent interpersonal and communication skills to create positive relationships with patients, physicians, and hospital staff, creating a cooperative work environment and establishing a positive rapport with patients. Areas of expertise include:

Pre- and Post-Op Patient Care | Physician Support and Assistance | Cath Lab Procedures
General Surgery | Neurological Surgeries and Issues | Gynecological Surgeries | Burns
ICU Care | Patient and Family Education | Budgeting | Scheduling | Charting/Recordkeeping

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

MEDICAL CENTER, Oklahoma City, OK

May 2009 – Present

Registered Nurse, Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery

- Coordinate with surgeons and advanced practitioners to ensure patients receive pre- and post-surgery care.
- Deliver patient information and delegate tasks to advanced practitioners.
- Educate patients and their families on new medications.
- Order films, tests, rehab, and/or additional supplies to provide patients with the best hospital experience.
- Manage daily operations of critical care facility, maintaining a calm presence and making effective decisions in a chaotic environment.
- Oversee resource management of the CV surgery team, staff administration, and capital expenditure, controlling a \$30K departmental operational budget and scheduling internal/external resources.
- Serve as patient advocate to ensure patients' well-being during critical procedures, including patient positioning, normothermic interventions, VTE prophylaxis, and surgical access.
- Conduct various pre-op duties, facilitating admissions process, collecting patient history, preparing patient, and charting/recordkeeping.
- Provide post-op patient care, monitoring vitals, pain levels, and neurological status for patient comfort.
- Attended and participated in the Oklahoma Heart Institute Symposium, 2010 – 2013.

HOSPITAL, Tulsa, OK

Nov 2007 – Feb 2009

Patient Care Technician

- Provided patient care on a hospital floor setting, ensuring patients' comfort and daily needs were met.
 - Assisted nurses and physicians in assessing vital signs, providing wound care and trach care, and performing clinical procedures.
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EDUCATION / LICENSURE

STATE UNIVERSITY, Claremore, OK

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing, May 2009

STATE COLLEGE, Stillwater, OK

Bachelor of Science in Zoology, May 2006

Registered Nurse (RN), State of Oklahoma

CERTIFICATION / TRAINING

ADVANCED CARDIAC LIFE SUPPORT (ACLS), American Heart Association, exp Oct 2019

BASIC LIFE SUPPORT (BLS), American Heart Association, exp May 2020

EKG INTERPRETATION, Center for Professional Practice of Nursing, Dec 2009