

Kim Deal

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Profile	Registered Nurse with a proven track record in providing nursing care for the stable and critically ill adult and geriatric patient. Excel in environments requiring independent decision-making and team collaboration. Fluent in Spanish and American Sign Language.	
License	Registered Professional Nurse, Illinois State License	
Education	Bachelor of Science, Nursing, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA (1990)	
Continuing Education	Basic CPR Certification IV Certification HIV Nursing Care Strategies	EKG and Cardiac Arrhythmia (2000) Basic computer keyboard and Interned skills
Awards	1997 Nursing Employee of the Year, Riverview Medical Center, Chicago, IL	
Professional Membership	American Nurses Association, member	Illinois State Nurses Association, member
Additional Abilities	Fluent in Spanish and American Sign Language Computer competence, including Windows, Excel, MS Word, and the Internet	

Professional Experience

<i>1998 to present</i>	<i>Staff Nurse, Radiology Department, North Chicago Medical Center, Chicago, IL</i> Provide primary nursing care during a broad range of radiological procedures to in-patients and outpatients of all ages with medical-surgical problems. Manage nursing care needs of both stable and critically ill patients during and while awaiting procedures. Assist during complex procedures such as MRIs and angiographies, including pre- and post-procedure assessment, and support of patient well-being during procedure. Administer oral contrast material; insert and monitor IV during administration of IV contrast. Assess and manage allergic and life-threatening responses to procedures. Provide patient and family teaching, including emotional support. Participate in quality assurance activities, including patient surveys and documentation.
<i>1993 to 1998</i>	<i>Staff Nurse, Intensive Care Unit, Riverview Hospital, New York, NY</i> Provided primary nursing care to adult and geriatric high-risk patients with complex medical and surgical needs on six-bed ICUs with a ratio of 1 R.N. to 2-3 patients. Responsible for written nursing care plans which included assessment and intervention of rapidly changing patient status, in collaboration with multi-disciplinary team. Performed a broad range of critical care skills, including hemodynamic monitoring for patients with multisystem failure. Assigned to frequent charge responsibilities.
<i>1990 to 1993</i>	<i>Staff Nurse, Medicine, St. Josephine's Hospital, Chicago, IL</i> Provided primary nursing care to adult and geriatric patients with medical and neurological problems on a 26-bed acute care unit. Responsibilities included nursing care plans, including discharge planning; patient and family education, including emotional support; multidisciplinary collaboration. Assigned to frequent charge responsibilities.