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### **Professional Clinical Experience**

#### **Clinical Cardiology Nurse** Columbia VA Hospital: Columbia, SC 2003-Present

- Perform pre & post invasive procedures: Heart Catheterizations with Stent Interventions, Transesophageal echocardiogram (TEE), & Cardioversion
- Perform Trans-Radial Artery Band (TR Band) Application
- Perform Exercise Stress Testing with EKG monitoring and Dobutamine Stress Testing
- Telemetry Monitoring: Inpatient Telemetry Floor (PRN Basis)
- Coordinate and Support facility transfers for heart catheterizations
- Perform 12 Lead EKGs
- Perform education on cardiac medications

#### **Clinical Staff Nurse** Lexington Medical Center: Lexington, SC 2002-2003

- Provided invasive and non-invasive monitoring to critical patients in the Intensive Care Unit (Critical Care Unit)
- Planned and directed high acuity patient care
- Collaborated with other disciplines to provide optimal care

#### **Critical Care Travel Nurse** Travel Nurse Assignments 1999-2002

- Performed invasive and noninvasive monitoring to trauma patients
- Provided cardiac monitoring to Cardiac, Medical Intensive Care patients
- Performed Charge Nurse Duties with triage, patient flow, and inter-facility-transfers
- Collaborated with other disciplines to provide optimal care

#### **Critical Care Staff Nurse** Hamot Medical Center: Erie, PA 1996-1999

- Performed invasive and non-invasive care to Trauma Level 1 patients
- Performed Charge Nurse Duties

### **Military Experience**

Captain of the U.S. Army Reserves 874<sup>th</sup> Forward Surgical Team Ft. Jackson, SC 2000-2008

- Officer in Charge in the Intensive Care Unit in a rapid deployment unit for wounded soldiers
- Evaluation of Junior Officers
- Supervised Non-Commissioned officers

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- **Honors:** Veteran of the Noble Eagle Homeland Defense 2004-2005

### **Education**

5/2021                      University of Phoenix, Doctor of Philosophy

**PhD in Nursing    Dissertation:** Cardiovascular Disease among Women Veterans

7/2010                      University of Phoenix Graduate School of Nursing

**Master's of Science in Nursing (MSN)** with focus in Education, (Magna Cum Laude)

5/1996                      Edinboro University School of Nursing

**Bachelor's of Science in Nursing (BSN)**

### **Professional Memberships**

- American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN)