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**Objective**: Seeking challenging contracts that will help advance my education, experience skills in the nursing and legal field that will enhance my knowledge and skills in the Legal Nurse Consulting field and to provide educational training for dementia to the community to help reduce the incidents of elder or staff abuse in skilled, facilities, Assisted living facilities hospitals and the also the staff of these facilities.

**Education:**

**Enrolled at University of Phoenix for MBA**

**Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Graduate April 22, 2024)**

**Licensed Provider at American Red Cross**

 **CDP, CDSGF, CADDCT Training Certificate**

March 2014 to Present

Certified Legal Nurse Consultant

August 2009 to August 2011

Mount St Mary’s College, Associate Degree in Nursing. Registered Nurse

Clinical experience at various Los Angeles Hospitals in Med Surgical Units and Pediatrics units.

Certified Nursing Assistant and Home Health certification in California, July 2004

Paralegal Legal Certification, Kennesaw State University, Diploma, September 1994

High School Diploma, Federal Government College, Nigeria, June 1987.

**Licenses:**

Registered Nurse License

 Certified Nursing Assistant Certification.

Home Health Certification.

Paralegal Certification

**Certifications:**

**Instructor AID/CPR/AED and Wilderness AID/CPR/AED**

**American Red Cross**

**Align Mediation Training 40hrs**

American Heart saver certification

BLS certification

ACLS certification

Vickie Milazzo Institute

Hospital Fire and Life Safety certification

Management of Aggressive Behavior

ECG & Pharmacology certification

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) certification

German as a foreign language translation certification

Medical Terminology Certification (DCM Instructional Systems)

Certified Legal Nurse Consultant certification

CADDCT, CDP CDSFG training Certificate

**Skills:**

Computer literate in Microsoft Word, Access, Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint, Lotus Notes, Merlin Computer Systems, Affinity, Eclipses, Citrix, Care tech, IBM Lotus notes and excellent internet and legal research skills and excellent investigational skills.

**March 2021 to Present:** Providing first aid/cpr/Aed and Wilderness first aid /cpr/aed training to the general public for two-year certifications.

**January 2019-Present:** Providing training for dementia education for nurses, attorneys , Registered Therapists, Speech therapists, rehabilitation professionals, administrators , Case Managers, Hospice staff, Certified Nurse assistants, Home health aides, agencies, Social workers , Geriatric Managers, Dieticians, Doctors, Pharmacists, Home Health agencies, Adult Foster care, Assisted Living , Nursing homes, Ombudsman , Office of the aging and Hospitals to prevent elder and staff abuse by patients who have been diagnosed with dementia.

**November 2014 – Present: Legal Nurse Consulting Observer and Nurse Legal Reviewer**

Attending IME/DME examinations and reviewed Legal Nurse Review patient charts on the hospital level as well as long term care and Personal Injury claims. Processed as well field case management field and have experience in the worker’s compensation filed for about 20 years. I have been working on an independent contractor basis with Allied Managed Care and Allegiant Managed Care and in my own business Weber Legal Nurse Consulting LLC. I also have experience in doing home assessments and trust cases as well as cases that need conservators or Power of Attorneys are involved. I have attended DMES for dental, neurology, neurosurgery, orthopedic and spinal surgery as well as psychiatry. I cover the Los Angeles area, Orange County, San Bernardino County, Riverside County and San Diego. Teach Registered Nurses how to be Defense Medical Examination Observers and have experience as an observer for over 10 years and have testified 3 times in the ten-year period and have experience with personal injury, med malpractice and tort cases. I also have experience with cases with federal and state jurisdiction. Some states I have experience with are CA, NV, Arizona etc. We are also co-sponsored with Wilson Shepard Education Association to provide contact hours to nurses in CA. I also am a speaker on the subject of defense Medical Examinations. I also have written a book on defense medical examinations named “Defense Medical Exams made easy: A painless guide to LNCs. I am published and have written articles as well on the subject of defense medical examinations as well.

**November 2013 to present: Care Management Discharge Planner and Review Nurse**

Works together with Physicians, ancillary staff and other areas of specialization in discharge planning to achieve an optimum outcome for patients that are leaving the hospital for post hospital care. Extensive knowledge of the Interqual system that determines diagnoses for different illnesses and also do reviews that are sent to Medicare and Medi-Cal and various insurance companies on a daily basis. Extensive knowledge of Medicare and Medicare health systems. Possessive extensive resources in the discharge planning area and also extensive knowledge of the insurance industry such as Personal injury, Workers Compensation and automobile insurance.

**January 2013 to 2020: Crawford and Company Insurance Company (RN Medical Manager and CLNC):**

Processes Worker Compensation claims from a Medical Management

Area. Also does a lot of research on medical management and field

Work. Works in the field in medical management and legal nurse

Consulting capacity. Performs a lot of research in Worker’s

Compensation claims and legal nurse consulting when attorneys

Are involved. Performs extensive legal research and investigational

Projects. Also perform medical management by acting as a liaison

Between the claims adjusters, attorneys, physicians and medical

Personnel and patients with the company. Attends IME, QME, PQME and set them up as well. Writes up chronology timeline for legal cases and review medical records as well.

**January 2005 to 2013:** **Los Angeles County Hospital** (Registered Nurse)

Provides total patent care to a total of five med surgical and physiatrist

Patients with the acuity level of 1-3 with the assistance of auxiliary

Staff. Addresses social and emotional issues of pts. Admits and

Discharges patients. Completes pt. assessment/reassessment and

Documents care. Provides direct care such as bathing, feeding and

Answers phones and call lights. Works very closely with doctors, other

Nurses, supervisors, pharmacists, social workers, dieticians, PT/OT,

Chaplains, financial workers, VNA and WOCN. Provides wound and

Ostomy care. Administer oral, IV, IM/SQ medications. Process also audit

And quality controls according to the standards of care and policies

And procedures. Work closely also with Risk Management to maintain

Quality of care. Also acted as liaison with insurance companies on

Issues of reimbursement, authorizations and verifications and reviews according to CMS guidelines. Perform chart/audits monthly. Participate in monthly case conferences by providing pertinent information to patient’s needs or goals. Ensure that the patient’s medical needs are addressed, consult with physicians as needed and work on referrals for other specialties. I provided care for the pediatric population as well .Coordinate plan of treatment and advocating for patients when necessary. Identify and assist patients in accessing entitlements, resources, information and referrals for psychosocial needs.

**January 2004 to 2005**: **Giddas Home Health Services, Inc.** (Home Health Aide)

Provides patient care in patient’s homes. Takes records vitals, reports

Abnormalities to primary RN. Transport patients to tests and doctors

Appointments. Provides primary patient care such as ADLs.

**2002 to 2004:** **Christian Missions Academy** (Director)

Run the day to day operations of the child care center. Teach an age

Range of 15 months to 5yrs. Provide clerical and process front office

Records on all employees and children at Child Care Center. Provide

Ongoing training for upkeep of various certifications for teachers. Order

Supplies or center. Also provides classes in German. Liaison with various

Childcare organizations in collaboration with center.

**2000-2002:** **Windsor Group, Alpharetta, GA** (Claims Processor)

Processing claims of one party, losses such as glass claims, deer claims,

One party accidents, also provide customer service support for policy

Holders regarding coverage issues. Issue payments on appraisals, Do

Research two car accidents. Assists adjusters with police reports,

Indexing, transcription and other duties. Also process total losses in

Conjunction with Materials Management Department.

**1999-2000:** **United Baptist Church, Alpharetta, GA (**Office Manager)

Coordinating the office administrative staff, assist the President in the

Human Resources Department, ordering and accounting for office

Supplies process and handle invoicing, as well as, processing incoming

And outgoing checks for the church. Assist in coordinating scheduling of

Church events and fundraisers. Perform research for the public relations

Dept. and writing grants and coordinating collaborations with other

Organizations.

**1998-1999**: **Thomco Insurance Company, Kennesaw, GA** (Underwriter Assistant)

Assisted underwriter in binding policies for Worker’s Compensation

Renewed policies and made amendments to polices, as well as

Cancelling and reinstating policies for various insurance companies.

Processed state filings for all 50 states and followed up on paper

Work for each state. Provided customer service to various agents

Affiliated with the company and addressed and solved any customer

Complaints.

**1996-1998**: **Uniforms for America, Kennesaw, GA** (Order Processing Manager)

Processed and compiled written orders. Acted as liaison between

Management and employees. Handled and resolved problems between

Customers and various manufacturers. Assisted franchises with opening

Of new locations. Resolved pending credit and debits. Authorized

Waivers and no charges. Determined in conjunction with financial

Controller the buying power of franchisees based on credit status and

History. Assisted in training new hires and new franchisees. Responsible

For bids and performance bonds for vendors.

**1998-2000. Cobb County School System**

Worked at Cobb County School System as a substitute teacher and covered for the teachers when they had absences in the school system. Helped clients do assignments and conducted tests that were set up by the teachers who normally in the classroom. This was a per diem position and on day to day and case by case basis. I substituted for K-12 through the Cobb County system

**1994-1997:** **Kennestone Hospital, Marietta, GA** (Patient Results Repsentative)

Provided customer support for patients and doctors. Compiled physician

Reports and maintained doctors schedules. Maintained and processed

Patient records and x-ray records. Assisted in clerical duties.

**1991-1994:** **Hill haven Convalescent Center, Marietta, GA (CNA)**

Assisted admitting orienting new patients to rooms. Take and record

Vital signs. Provide patient care to patients. Turns patients and

Ambulates patients as needed. Prepares patients meals and assists with

Feeding. Transports patients. Reports to charge nurse.

**Professional**

**Organizations:** Member NSO Nursing organization

Member NACLNC National Association of Certified Legal Nurse

Consultants.

Member Antelope Valley Chamber of Commerce

Goethe Institute of Germany

Nigerian Women’s Association of GA

Community Collaborative

United Way

SW Faith based Collaborative

German Cultural Society

American Red Cross.

**Volunteer Work:** American Red Cross Volunteer

Treasurer and Founder of Missions Accomplished Achalla Inc

United Way

Atlanta Food Bank

**Awards: The International Nurses Association**

World Leader in Health Care

Top Nurse in California

**Classes taken:** How to get certified as a Women –owned small business

Or an economically disadvantaged business

How to get certified for the HUBZONE Program.

**Personal Interests**: Travel, Reading, Tennis, Soccer and exercising.

**References:** Provided upon request.