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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- 15 years of nursing experience including oncology and palliative care as well nursing education
- Oncology Nursing Society (ONS) certified chemotherapy trainer with responsibilities to educate, train and ensure nursing competency for administration of chemotherapy and biotherapy agents.
- Experience training staff in the use of new medications, processes and medical equipment
- Responsible for all nursing competencies, continuing education, creating and updating policies and procedures to meet hospital regulatory standards
- Assisted acute care facility in exceeding Joint Commission for the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO) requirements

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2012 – present

**Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC
Radiation Oncology**

- Responsible for direct patient care in the ambulatory setting.
- Responsibilities include: general patient care, symptom management, coordinating care with community resources, and educating patients in regard to radiation treatments, side effects and symptom management.

2005 - 2009

**Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC
Certified Chemotherapy Trainer, Acute Care Oncology**

- Coordinated and taught Chemotherapy and Biotherapy Courses to certify participants and cancer chemotherapy providers through the Oncology Nursing Society

2004 - 2009

**Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC
Staff Development Clinician, Acute Care Oncology and Palliative Care**

- Clinical expert, effective change agent and mentor in a large, progressive hospital setting. Enhanced the development of all staff and new employees and coordinated their orientation.
- Responsible for mandatory education, competency of all nursing staff, maintaining education and compliance records, as well as arranging various classes on the unit for nurses to earn contact hours on the job.
- Involved in multiple projects including: MAC training (electronic medication administration), ELNEC (End of Life Nursing Education

Consortium) training, creating chemotherapy documentation tools to improve compliance, creating a formal chemotherapy skills lab and validation, writing of policies and procedures relating to oncology, and creating our cancer center's first Annual Nursing Symposium.

- Participated in regulatory standards and surveys with the Joint Commission.

2002 - 2004

**Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC
Magnet Committee Member**

- Analyzed and applied magnet standards to our facility and achieved magnet recognition. A magnet recognized hospital demonstrates quality and compassionate care and is the gold standard requiring excellence in nursing satisfaction, patient satisfaction as well as clinical performance.

2000 - 2004

**Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC
UCIC (Unit Continuous Improvement Committee) Chair**

- Responsible for planning an agenda and leading monthly meetings as well as obtaining input from staff in order to focus on unit needs, goals, unit specific policies and procedures as well as addressing patient satisfaction survey scores.

1999 - 2004

**Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC
Registered Nurse, Inpatient Oncology**

- Participant of the Nurse Intern Program
- Provided and coordinated care for 5-8 patients. Utilized as a preceptor, charge nurse and charge nurse administering chemotherapy treatments for the oncology unit and a unit representative for various hospital committees.

EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Science in Nursing, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- Associate Degree Nursing, Forsyth Technical Community College

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Legal Nurse Consultant – CLNC Certification Program, Vickie Milazzo Institute
- Oncology Certified Nurse – OCN, Oncology Nursing Society

PRESENTATIONS

“Safe Handling of Hazardous Drugs in the Hospital Setting.” Hospital Wide Offering, Forsyth Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC, 2005.

Experience/Expertise for the website:

Actively practicing RN in an Oncology ambulatory setting as well as an independent Certified Legal Nurse Consultant. Experience in a large progressive hospital with direct patient care in addition to nursing education and staff development. Provides Case Screenings, Medical Record Review and Analysis, Identify and locate expert witnesses, Identify deviations from and adherences to the applicable standard of care, assists with Discovery and Interrogatories.