

CANDICE BIRTHWRIGHT-PHILIP RN-DNP

To Whom It May Concern,

As a skilled intensive care registered nurse and assistant professor, with comprehensive experience providing medical services to a wide variety of patients within critical care environments, I am pleased to present my enclosed resume. My background includes more than twenty years of experience as a registered nurse, including bedside care and managerial duties.

Highlights of my nursing experience include the following:

- Excelling in my current position as an intensive care nurse at Maimonides Midwood Community Hospital
- Collaborating across diverse medical teams to formulate and implement integrated patient care plans; this includes tracking patient progress and producing corresponding detailed reports.
- Developing individual patients' health care goals utilizing a holistic approach aligned with both patient and family/caregiver needs.
- Earning my Doctoral degree in nursing education in August of 2023

I am confident that I can greatly contribute to your learning institution, in the role of a classroom and or clinical instructor, due to my extensive experience and proficiencies with managing and supporting patients, within various critical care settings. I look forward to discussing this opportunity and my qualifications in more detail. Thank you for your consideration, and I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Dr. Candice Birthwright-Philip, RN-DNP

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Objective

Professional registered nurse seeking employment as an educator at a reputed organization that appreciates dedication, motivation, and enthusiasm for nursing education.

Education

DNP IN NURSING EDUCATION | AUGUST 2023 | CHAMBERLAIN UNIVERSITY

M.S IN NURSING EDUCATION | MAY 2021 | SUNY DELHI COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

BSN | AUGUST 2016 | ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE

ASN | NOVEMBER 2008 | HELEN FULD COLLEGE OF NURSING

Skills & Abilities

- Highly skilled in assessing, planning, implementing, documenting, coordinating, and managing patient care
- Ability to handle emergent situations in a safe and effective manner
- Special talent for delegating appropriate tasks to LPNs, CNAs and other unlicensed personnel
- Ability to effectively communicate and collaborate with patients, their families, physicians and other members of the interdisciplinary team to encourage positive patient outcomes
- Proficient in administering various medications and treatments as prescribed by a physician
- Proficient in identifying cardiac arrhythmias and various modes of treatment
- Effective in assisting physicians and healthcare professionals during various medical procedures
- Proficient in MS word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint, Outlook, and electronic health recording systems such as (EPIC, Empower, Quadra-med and Centricity)

Experience

VICE-CHAIRPERSON | ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE | AUG/2025-PRESENT

- **Curriculum & Program Assessment:** Collaborate with the department Chair in evaluating the effectiveness of current courses and academic programs.
- **Course Scheduling & Instructional Oversight:** Assist the Chair in developing course schedules and ensuring all instructors meet their contracted teaching obligations.
- **Faculty Observations:** Support the Chair in conducting class observations and verifying that all instructional staff are evaluated in accordance with the Faculty Statutes and the Adjunct Collective Bargaining Agreement.
- **Program Development:** Contribute to the development of new academic programs
- **Departmental Meetings:** Help organize and participate in regular departmental meetings.
- **Strategic Planning & Faculty Development:** Work with the Chair on planning departmental objectives, refining curriculum and pedagogy, and supporting faculty development and professional growth.
- **Hiring:** Assist the department Chair in appointing new faculty members

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR | ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE | AUG/2024-PRESENT

- . Delivering lectures, creating lesson plans, conducting in class examinations, performing both formative and summative assessments of students both in class and during clinical rotations
- . Designing course syllabi, creating new curriculums, and developing appropriate assessment methods
- . Participating in student advisement including guiding students on academic progress, career choices, and course selections
- . Participating in faculty meetings, committee work (STEM Program Ambassador, Student Success Committee), contributing to departmental initiatives
- . Orient and provide instruction to nursing students during MED SURG clinical rotations
- . Supervise students in various clinical settings to assist with advancing evidence-based knowledge and clinical proficiencies
- . Preparing training materials and instructional strategies to track student progress and conduct competency assessments
- . Support student educational and vocational planning to help students optimize various learning strategies
- . Contributing educational and clinical expertise to promote student learning
- . Evaluate student knowledge levels and proficiencies utilizing formative and summative assessments

ADJUNCT CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR | KINGSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE | AUG/2022 - AUG/2024

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REGISTERED NURSE | NEW YORK COMMUNITY HOSPITAL | OCT/2011-PRESENT

MED-SURGICAL Unit 8/2012-9/2014

- . Administering various medications intravenously, by injection, orally, sublingually and via gastric tubes
- . Maintained patient safety, care standards, and confidentiality in accordance with hospital policy
- . Transfused various blood products and monitored for adverse reactions in accordance with unit/hospital policies
- . Advocate for the needs of patients and their families and providing emotional support when necessary
- . Collaborate with members of the interdisciplinary team to develop and or revise treatment plans based on identified needs and assessment data
- . Document data correlated to patient care including assessment results, interventions, medications, patient responses and or treatment changes

Critical Care 10/2014-Present

- . Collaborated with professionals across the organization to formulate an integrated care plan
- . Promote a collaborative environment by effectively identifying the needs of team members
- . Provides direct nursing care to critically ill and post-surgical patients including trauma victims

- Set up, operate, or monitor invasive equipment and devices such as endotracheal tubes, tracheotomy equipment, mechanical ventilators, various catheters/drainage systems, arterial lines, central lines, nasogastric and orogastric tubes
- Performing and recording vital signs, glucose levels, intake, and output of various drainage systems
- Retrieving various lab values including but not limited to ABG's, CBC, BMP, CMP; subsequently interpreting and reporting results for proper medical management
- Utilizes pharmacological and non-pharmacological interventions for pain management, monitoring for adverse reactions, and modifying as needed
- Implementing ACLS and or various cardiac stabilizing interventions
- Functions as charge nurse/nurse preceptor
- Monitoring mechanically ventilated patients
- Assesses the psychosocial status and needs of patients including but not limited to their sleeping patterns, baseline mental status and familial support systems

NURSE MANAGER | ADVANTAGE CARE | APRIL 2010-OCT 2011

- Supervising nursing staff (RN'S and LPN'S), and various unlicensed personnel in outpatient clinic
- Orienting new employees on direct patient care and determining patient care assignments based on skillset and patient needs
- Supervising clinical staff and patient flow in Pediatric and Obstetric clinics
- Collaborate with physicians and other health care providers in establishing, implementing, maintaining, evaluating and improving patient care & quality service standards.
- Patient advocate, resolved patient care issues
- Collaborated with Chief Medical Officer and Chief Nursing Officer in developing the level of patient services and the day-to-day operations of various departments
- Accountable for labor relations, and employee risk management
- Telephonic triage, patient outreach and follow up support
- Maintain OSHA standards, vaccine management and updating clinical protocols.

CERTIFICATIONS

ACLS, BCLS & Phlebotomy