

# Donald Cook

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## Overview of Qualifications

- ☑ Certified healthcare professional with 15+ years of experience in nursing and critical care.
- ☑ Expert at all aspects of critical care nursing and patient dialysis, including peritoneal dialysis.
- ☑ Effective in administering medications, assessing patient conditions, and managing treatment plans.
- ☑ Experienced in plasmapheresis, continuous renal replacement therapies, and therapeutic phlebotomy.
- ☑ Versatile and proactive problem solver with excellent interpersonal skills.
- ☑ Highly adaptable to ever changing circumstances within a fast-paced and demanding environment.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### High-End Healthcare Services, Inc., Los Angeles, CA

#### Charge Nurse • Jun 2013 – Present

- Coordinate nursing care for the residents within the acute hospital setting through patient assessments, administering medications, and supporting medical the hospital's supply system.
- Provide guidance and support to nursing employees; provide direct nursing evaluation.
- Coordinate services with other patient care units to ensure high quality patient care.
- Perform duties within the scope of practice of a Registered Nurse, including tracheostomy, ventilators, blood administration, and various IV infusion therapies.

### Good Life Healthcare Center, Los Angeles, CA

#### Registered Nurse • Jun 2005 – Jan 2015

- Provided nursing care for patients with acute renal failure and chronic kidney disease.
- Managing peritoneal dialysis and administered medications.
- Monitored, recorded and reported symptoms and changes in patients' conditions.
- Consulted and coordinated with health care team members to assess, plan, implement and evaluate patient care plans.
- Modified patient treatment plans as indicated by patients' responses and conditions.
- Ordered, interpreted, and evaluated diagnostic tests to identify and assess patient's condition.

### Health Pro, Inc., Los Angeles, CA

#### Licensed Practical Nurse • Jan 2002 – Jun 2005

- Provided nursing care for patients with acute renal failure and chronic kidney disease within the hospital and clinical setting.
- Planned and managed patient care according to the patients' needs.
- Interviewed patients and recorded their medical history.
- Obtained patient vital signs and escorted patients to their rooms.
- Administered injections of medications; recorded patients' conditions to treatments.
- Verified that patient charts were updated promptly and accurately.

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

### Professional Cara Services, Los Angeles, CA

#### Licensed Practical Nurse • May 1999 – Jun 2005

### Vista Medical Institute, Los Angeles, CA

#### Licensed Practical Nurse • Oct 1999 – Jan 2002

### Los Angeles Care Center, Los Angeles, CA

#### Licensed Practical Nurse • May 1999 – Jul 2000

Ridges Nursing Home, Los Angeles, CA  
**Licensed Practical Nurse** • Apr 1999 - Oct 1999

South District Hospital, Los Angeles, CA  
**Patient Care Associate** • Apr 1999 - Oct 1999

## EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley, CA  
**Bachelor of Science in Nursing** • 2015

University of California, Berkeley, CA  
**Associate of Science (Advanced Placement in Nursing)** • 2013

California Vocational Center, Miami, FL  
**Licensed Practical Nurse** • 1998

## LICENSURE

State of California - Registered Nurse (License RN7896845)

Basic Life Support Certification • Valid through Feb 2020

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support Certification • Valid through Jun 2020

## SKILLS

- MS Office Suite
- Decision Making
- Flexibility
- Organizational Leadership
- Interpersonal Skills
- Multi-Tasking
- Planning
- Prioritizing

## REFERENCES

References are available upon request.