


Cody J. McDonald

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Registered Nurse with a focus on family centered care across the life span. Expert leader of an international – multicultural team of employees. Proficient adult educator.

Skills

- Team Management
- Project Management
- Family Centered Care
- Adult Education
- Strong Communicator
- Quality Management
- Case Management
- Computer Skills

Experience

APRIL 2023 – OCTOBER 2023

Unit 2 - Registered Nurse / Alberta Health Services, Calgary

Managed and prioritized direct care of unit 2 patients including but not limited to conducting assessments and interventions, admissions, medical/surgical education, personal care, and discharge education.

JANUARY 2022 – SEPTEMBER 2023 FULL TIME

Surgical Unit - Registered Nurse / Alberta Health Services, Red Deer

Managed and prioritized direct care of up to six patients including but not limited to conducting assessments and interventions, admissions, medical/surgical education, personal care, and discharge education. Night Charge certified.

JUNE 2011 – JUNE 2021

General Manager – Cofounder / Blue Corner Dive, Bali, Indonesia

Supervised a multinational team of staff across five locations, managing day to day business operations. Resolved employee, customer, and vendor issues using strong conflict mediation and problem-solving abilities. Developed successful training programs based around culture focused on employee empowerment and customer service. Optimized social media strategies by tracking customer engagement and feedback.

MAY 2013 – JUNE 2021

PADI Course Director / Blue Corner Dive, Bali, Indonesia

Supported PADI instructor candidates learning with individual and group instruction via lectures and demonstrations. Prepared candidates for further learning by encouraging exploration and helping build life-long skills. Taught all levels of PADI courses to a high level of standards and guest satisfaction.

AUGUST 2009 – JUNE 2011

Community Care Coordinator - RN/ Alberta Health Services, Calgary

Palliative Care Coordinator in the downtown core, working as a member of a multi-disciplinary team. Worked with families and patients across the socio-economic spectrum. Case management for up to 15 clients. Coordinating and integrating palliative care services for clients who reside in the community. Intake/ screening, client engagement, care implementation, coordination of service delivery, monitoring and evaluating care and formal reassessment of service needs. Assisting clients and families to stay within the community and out of hospital as needed.

MAY 2010 – MAY 2011

Union President Local 95 / United Nurses of Alberta

Understood and interpreted the collective agreement. Chaired meetings and was a member/ chair of a number of committees at Alberta Children's hospital.

SEPTEMBER 2006 – MAY 2011

PICU - Registered Nurse / Alberta Health Services – Alberta Children's Hospital, Calgary

Prioritized care for critically ill children from ages birth to 18 years old. Supported patients and families during emergencies, quickly identifying and delivering life-saving treatments and interventions. Provided and advocated for family centered care within the critical care environment. Was a member of the code blue team and transport team. Was the clinical leader and super user for the digital charting health record transition – SCM.

JANUARY 2008 – APRIL 2011

Pediatric Clinical Instructor / Mount Royal College (University), Calgary

Contracted employee with Mount Royal College for the Bridge to Canadian Nursing Program. Supervised the clinical rotation for pediatrics at the Peter Lougheed Centre. Met students clinical learning requirements with well organized schedules. Upheld safety and quality requirements with direct patient care by expertly supervising nursing students. Monitored performance of students, reviewing care plans and discussing expectations.

JUNE 2006 – SEPTEMBER 2006

IPCU - Registered Nurse / Calgary Health Region, Calgary

Worked as a member on a multi-disciplinary team of physicians, social workers, home care, physiotherapist, occupational therapists, and families. Managed direct care of patients including conducting assessments and documentation. The focus was on family centered care of the individual in crisis – pain, social, coping, etc. that required admission to this specialized unit. Administered oral, iv and intramuscular medications and monitoring of epidural and intrathecal analgesics.

Education

SEPTEMBER 2022 (ENROLLED)

Master of Education in Health Sciences Education / University of Alberta, Edmonton

DECEMBER 2021

RN Refresher Program / Grant MacEwan, Edmonton

JUNE 2006

BSc Nursing / University of Alberta, Edmonton
