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Example of Charge Nurse Job Description

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Our innovative and growing company is searching for experienced candidates for the position of charge nurse. To join our growing team, please review the list of responsibilities and qualifications.

Responsibilities for charge nurse

- Works with Manager to assure medical equipment, medications, supplies are ordered and stocked
- Take over any critical patient, including assisting with transfer, and report to EMS and ER
- Assign and enforce room assignments
- Assign tasks
- Deal with patient complaints right away, and utilize advocacy
- Assist and ensure any incident is reported properly
- Contact security and law enforcement when necessary
- Communication liaison between staff, patients, and providers
- Ensure documentation in Culture book, and all call backs
- Ensure all transfers are documented

Qualifications for charge nurse

- 2 years of nursing experience in L&D
- Ensure all serious patients are documented
- Follow up with AMAs and LWBS
- Educate patients when needed
- Ensure all coding is accurate
- Ensure all CLIA waived QCs are completed