



What Changed & Why It Works

Priya Raman · Registered Nurse, 6 years med-surg, targeting ICU/critical care · Illustrative sample

Professional Summary

Before: *Dedicated and compassionate nurse with several years of experience... seeking a challenging new role.*

After: Registered Nurse (RN, active multistate license) with 6 years of acute-care experience on a 32-bed med-surg/telemetry unit. BLS/ACLS/NIHSS certified. Proficient in Epic EHR.

Why it works: The before version has zero searchable strings. The after leads with the exact filters recruiters apply: license status, certifications with issuing bodies, unit type, and named EHR system.

Experience Bullets

Before: *Responsible for providing patient care on a busy hospital ward.*

After: Deliver direct care for 4–6 patient assignments on a 32-bed medical-surgical/telemetry unit... co-led a CAUTI-reduction initiative that cut catheter days 43% in 12 months.

Why it works: "Responsible for patient care" is the most common phrase on rejected nursing resumes. Every after bullet carries quantified, checkable evidence instead.

Skills & Certifications

Before: *Patient care · Medication administration · Teamwork · Communication (6 generic items)*

After: Registered Nurse (RN) · Medical-Surgical · Telemetry · Epic EHR · BLS (AHA) · ACLS (AHA) · NIHSS Certified · CMSRN (in progress) · CAUTI/CLABSI Prevention · NEWS2 (19 specific items)

Why it works: Recruiters search product and certification names directly. Tripling the legitimate keyword footprint — without inventing a single skill — multiplies the searches this resume appears in.

LinkedIn Headline & About

Before: *Registered Nurse at Riverbend Medical Center*

After: Registered Nurse (RN) | Med-Surg & Telemetry | Charge Nurse | BLS, ACLS, NIHSS | Epic EHR | CAUTI Reduction & Rapid Response | Pursuing Critical Care / ICU

Why it works: LinkedIn Recruiter matches on the headline and About text. The before version surfaces only for the employer's name; the after carries every term an ICU recruiter actually searches.

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Professional Summary

Registered Nurse (RN, active multistate license — Nurse Licensure Compact) with 6 years of acute-care experience on a 32-bed medical-surgical/telemetry unit. BLS and ACLS certified (AHA); NIHSS certified. Proficient in Epic EHR and Alaris infusion pumps. Managed 4–6 patient med-surg assignments with charge-nurse rotations; now completing a critical care residency pathway targeting ICU practice.

Core Competencies

Registered Nurse (RN) · Medical-Surgical · Telemetry · Charge Nurse · Patient Ratios 1:4–1:6 · Epic EHR · Alaris Infusion Pumps · Pyxis · BLS (AHA) · ACLS (AHA) · NIHSS Certified · CMSRN (in progress) · CAUTI/CLABSI Prevention · Rapid Response · NEWS2 · Wound Care · Post-Operative Care · Patient Education · Preceptorship

Professional Experience

Registered Nurse — Riverbend Medical Center

Aug 2019 – Present

- Deliver direct care for 4–6 patient assignments on a 32-bed medical-surgical/telemetry unit, including post-operative, cardiac telemetry, and complex wound patients, documenting in Epic.
- Serve as relief charge nurse (2–3 shifts/month) for a 12-nurse team: bed management, acuity-based assignments, and escalation to the rapid response team.
- Co-led the unit's CAUTI-reduction initiative — nurse-driven catheter removal protocol — contributing to a 43% reduction in catheter days over 12 months.
- Recognized deteriorating patients early using NEWS2 scoring, initiating 15+ rapid responses in the past year with zero failure-to-rescue events on assigned patients.
- Precept 2–4 new-graduate nurses per year through a 12-week orientation program, with all preceptees passing competency validation on first attempt.

Education & Certifications

- BSN — Cascade State University, 2018
- BLS Provider — American Heart Association, renewed 2025
- ACLS Provider — American Heart Association, renewed 2025
- NIHSS Certification — current
- CMSRN (Certified Medical-Surgical Registered Nurse) — in progress, exam scheduled

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Prepared for: Priya Raman · Target role: Registered Nurse (Med-Surg → ICU / Critical Care) · Region: USA

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1 · Headline (paste into: Intro → Headline)

Registered Nurse (RN) | Med-Surg & Telemetry | Charge Nurse | BLS, ACLS, NIHSS | Epic EHR | CAUTI Reduction & Rapid Response | Pursuing Critical Care / ICU

2 · About (paste into: About section)

Registered Nurse with 6 years of acute-care experience on a 32-bed medical-surgical/telemetry unit, including relief charge duties for a 12-nurse team.

My focus is measurable patient safety: I co-led a nurse-driven CAUTI-reduction protocol that cut catheter days 43% in a year, and I've initiated 15+ rapid responses through early NEWS2-based recognition. I precept 2–4 new-graduate nurses annually.

Certified: BLS and ACLS (AHA), NIHSS; CMSRN in progress. Systems: Epic EHR, Alaris pumps, Pyxis. Active multistate RN license (Nurse Licensure Compact).

Currently completing a critical care pathway and seeking ICU / progressive care opportunities where med-surg breadth and charge experience translate to high-acuity practice.

3 · Skills (paste into: Skills section)

Registered Nurse (RN) · Medical-Surgical · Telemetry · Charge Nurse · Epic EHR · BLS · ACLS · NIHSS · CAUTI/CLABSI Prevention · Rapid Response · NEWS2 · Patient Education · Preceptorship

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