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Licensed Practical Nurse I

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STRENGTHS

- ♥️ **Resident centered care**
Adapted explanations during supervised placement, helping residents participate in care while preserving dignity, choice, and trust.
- 👁️ **Clinical observation**
A small change in vital signs prompted timely escalation during training, reinforcing careful observation and safer follow up.
- 🚑 **Emergency response**
Team simulations turned CPR and BLS steps into calm action, with peers relying on clear communication during deterioration.
- ♥️ **Confidential documentation**
Reviewed each record for clarity and privacy, a habit that helped connect observations with appointments and follow up.
- 👥 **Care coordination**
Mapped referrals, transportation, families, and rehabilitation needs into one workflow, giving care partners a clearer path forward.

SKILLS

Medication administration

Vital signs Personal care

Mobility assistance First aid CPR

BLS Catheter care Dressing care

Clinical documentation

Confidentiality Care coordination

Medical terminology

Infection prevention

Individual Service Plans

SUMMARY

Early career Licensed Practical Nurse with supervised community residential training supporting individuals with **intellectual and developmental disabilities**, including Autism Spectrum Disorder. Holds an active **Massachusetts practical nurse license**, **Health Care Provider Basic Life Support** certification, and valid **Class D Motor Vehicle Operator's License**. Clinical preparation includes health care plans, Individual Service Plans, medication administration, vital signs, dressing care, catheter care, tracheostomy care principles, CPR, first aid, personal care, mobility assistance, infection prevention, and confidential documentation. Practiced respectful communication with residents, families, guardians, direct support staff, supervising nurses, and interdisciplinary care partners. Academic simulations strengthened appointment coordination, referral follow up, rehabilitation communication, emergency response, supply readiness, and escalation of health changes. Prepared to support safe routines, independence, dignity, community participation, and dependable practical nursing care within scope.

EDUCATION

Certificate in Practical Nursing

Quinsigamond Community College 🎓 GPA: 4.0 📅 2026 📍 Worcester, MA

Coursework: Medication administration, medical terminology, community residential nursing, health assessment

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Nursing Care:** Medication administration, vital signs, dressing care
- **Emergency Response:** CPR, BLS, first aid
- **Airway and Catheter Care:** Tracheostomy care, catheterization, airway support
- **Health Records:** Clinical documentation, confidential records, medical abbreviations
- **Care Planning:** Health care plans, Individual Service Plans, nursing process
- **Residential Support:** Community residential care, personal care, daily maintenance
- **Disability Support:** Intellectual disabilities, developmental disabilities, Autism Spectrum Disorder
- **Care Coordination:** Referrals, appointments, rehabilitation follow up
- **Mobility Support:** Safe mobility, physical assistance, limited mobility support
- **Infection Prevention:** Infection prevention, resident safety, treatment safety
- **Communication:** Family communication, guardian communication, clinical escalation
- **Clinical Knowledge:** Medical terminology, nursing policies, nursing procedures
- **Treatment Supplies:** Medical supplies, treatment materials, emergency equipment
- **Transportation:** Appointment transportation, community activities, work transportation
- **Licenses and Credentials:** Massachusetts LPN license, Class D license, BLS certification

EXPERIENCE

Practical Nursing Clinical Practicum, Community Residential Nursing

Supervised Community Residential 📅 January 2026 - September 2026 📍 Worcester, MA
Nursing Placement

Supported supervised practical nursing services in community residential settings, following individualized health plans and instructor approved assignments. Practiced resident safety, clinical documentation, communication, medication workflows, personal care, mobility assistance, and escalation under nursing supervision.

- Delivered supervised nursing care aligned with individualized health plans and resident centered goals.
- Measured **vital signs**, recognized condition changes, and escalated findings through structured clinical communication.
- Practiced medication workflows, dressing changes, **personal care**, and mobility support using **infection prevention**.

LANGUAGES

English Native

Spanish Proficient

MY CAREER



● Practical Nursing Clinical Practicum, Community Residential Nursing at Supervised Community Residential Nursing Placement (8 Months)

● Practical Nursing Skills and Emergency Care, Student Lab at Student Lab (3 Months)

● Community Health Support and Care Coordination, Capstone at Capstone Project (4 Months)

- Maintained **confidential records** connecting clinical observations with appointments, referrals, and follow up needs.
- Communicated respectfully with residents, families, guardians, and support staff across varied communication needs.
- Completed supervised CPR, catheter care, **tracheostomy care** principles, and **first aid** skills checks.

Practical Nursing Skills and Emergency Care, Student Lab

Student Lab 📅 September 2025 - December 2025 📍 Worcester, MA

Completed supervised nursing scenarios and skills validations focused on medication safety, emergency response, health assessment, airway support, documentation, and treatment readiness for simulated community residents.

- Completed scenarios covering medication safety, **vital signs**, skin assessment, dressings, and mobility support.
- Applied nursing process concepts to simulated residents with developmental disabilities and person centered goals.
- Practiced **catheter care** and airway support procedures on task trainers under faculty supervision.
- Used BLS algorithms during team simulations involving deterioration, **CPR** sequencing, and transfer of care.
- Created a residence supply checklist for treatments, medication support items, and emergency **equipment**.
- Corrected technique and documentation gaps through faculty feedback before final skills assessment.

Community Health Support and Care Coordination, Capstone

Capstone Project 📅 January 2025 - May 2025 📍 Worcester, MA

Developed a supervised case based care coordination guide for an adult with **intellectual and developmental disabilities** requiring primary care, rehabilitation, medication support, family communication, and community services.

- Developed a support plan linking primary care, rehabilitation, medication, and community services.
- Mapped **appointments**, referrals, transportation, family communication, and **rehabilitation follow up** into continuity workflows.
- Reviewed **Individual Service Plan** goals affecting activity participation, mobility, safety, and health follow up.
- Built confidential records using standardized **medical terminology** and abbreviations, then audited entries for clarity.
- Presented practical nursing support for autonomy, scope limits, and escalation of clinical concerns.
- Revised the **care coordination** guide after faculty feedback on dignity and documentation quality.

PROJECTS

Community Residential Care Coordination Guide 📅 2025

Created a case based guide connecting Individual Service Plan goals, referrals, appointments, transportation, rehabilitation follow up, family communication, confidential records, and practical nursing escalation for an adult receiving community services.

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Practical Nursing Clinical Excellence Recognition, 2026
- Student Achievement Award in Patient Centered Care, 2026
- Dean's List, 2025

CERTIFICATIONS

- Massachusetts Licensed Practical Nurse 📅 2026
- Health Care Provider Basic Life Support 📅 2026
- Massachusetts Class D Motor Vehicle Operator's License 📅 2024

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Practical Nursing Peer Skills Group, Peer Practice Coordinator, 2025 - 2026
- Campus Community Service Program, Health Outreach Volunteer, 2025 - 2026

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Work Status : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST