**Kristy M. Wade, RN CPEN**

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| Education | Mesa High School, Mesa, AZ Graduated June, 1978**Mesa Community College, Mesa, AZ**Associates Degree in Nursing Science, Honor Student/With DistinctionGraduated May 1998**University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX**Bachelor’s Degree in Nursing (in progress)Graduated March 2017 |
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| Experience | Stockbroker/Financial Advisor/Team Manager**September 1986-October 1994****Charles Schwab & Company****Stockbroker/Financial Advisor**: Assisting clients with investment decisions; providing clients with accurate and up-to-date financial information; providing real time stock/option quotes, placing real time orders with the NYSE, NASDAQ, Commodities Exchange; ensuring proper placement of monies for client accounts and coordinating clients’ financial investments with regard to their budgetary restrictions; hourly communication with traders on the floors of the NYSE, NASDAQ & Commodities Exchange; troubleshooting all issues with regard to monies and trades.**Team Manager:** Coordination of the workflow, customer service, and performance of a team of twelve financial advisors at a national call center; ensuring adherence to SEC compliance laws for the team; creation of successful marketing plans for improved customer service and customers’ financial account performance; daily meetings with 23 additional Team Managers and Department Director aimed at improving overall performance; responsible for the positive performance of the team in relation to the other 23 teams; responsible for team member redirection and disciplinary action when necessary; responsible for quarterly performance reviews of team members.**Mesa Community College, Mesa, AZ.** **Associates Degree in Nursing Science Education****January, 1995 – May 1998.**Graduated with Honors/Distinction **Banner Desert Medical Center – Couplet Care****Mesa, AZ****June 1997-June 1998**LPN working in Couplet Care responsible for caring for new mothers and their newborns including: care and assessment of new mothers, watchful for adverse scenarios such as post-partum hemorrhage and providing appropriate interventions; care and assessment of the newborn, watchful for adverse scenarios such as respiratory distress, feeding difficulties, etc. and appropriate interventions. **Maricopa Medical Center – Pediatric Intensive Care Unit****Phoenix, AZ****June 1998-October 1998**New Graduate RN in PICU responsible for critical care of the pediatric population ranging in ages of 2 days through 18 years including: pharmacological cardiac support; respiratory support via mechanical ventilation; interpretation of laboratory findings with subsequent appropriate medical intervention; ability to perform in high stress scenarios; compassionate interaction with family members; effective team member/health care team/physician interaction and communication; excellent time management.**Banner Desert Medical Center/PICU****Cardon Children’s Medical Center/PICU****Mesa, AZ****October 1998-June 2010**Registered Nurse in PICU with similar responsibilities as stated above; CRRT (Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy) coordinator and program specialist; also floated to NICU, Pediatric Acute Care, Couplet Care and Women’s Surgical. NICU responsibilities included caring for “micro-premies” – babies born at 24 weeks gestation.**Chandler Regional Medical Center/Pediatric Acute****Chandler, AZ****July 2000 – September 2004** Registered Nurse caring for general pediatric patients ages 2 days to 18 years providing routine care for low acuity pediatric patients, while also working at Cardon Children’s Medical Center.**Trillium East – Long Term Acute Care****Mesa, AZ****July 2010 – March 2011**Charge Nurse responsible for coordinating the care of 45-50 long term acute care adult patients with a staff of three LPNs and four Patient Care Assistants; providing all IV fluids and medications for all patients; ensuring appropriate staffing per census; daily staff “huddles” to ensure staff is apprised of any new events and/or changes in daily activities; coordinating all Code Blue events including interventions and documentation.**Maricopa Medical Center, Arizona Children’s Center/Pediatric Emergency****Phoenix, AZ****April, 2011 – Present**Charge Nurse/Staff RN at a Level One Trauma Center serving the underserved, indigent and uninsured pediatric population of the greater Phoenix area. Responsibilities include: ability to coordinate excellent patient care in a high volume, fast paced environment; ability to coordinate and participate in critical situations including pediatric advance life support and resuscitation; necessity of excellent critical thinking skills with regard to patient care and unit flow; compassionate and empathetic communication with family members in all scenarios; coordination of the unit with regard to staffing versus census; coordination of patient flow for admissions/discharges and adherence to departmental goals regarding same; effective communication with staff in areas of patient flow, patient care, conflict resolution and staffing; effective and compassionate communication with all ancillary departments to ensure excellent patient care. |

**Certifications** Pediatric Advanced Life Support/PALS

 Advance Cardiac Life Support/ACLS

 Advanced Trauma Certification for Nurses/ATCN

 Emergency Nurse Pediatric Certification/ENPC

 Arizona RN license

**National Credentials** Certified Pediatric Emergency Nurse/CPEN