

Candice Ussery, RRT, RN-BSN

Education:

Middle Georgia State University	BSN	2013
Middle Georgia State University	ASN	2010
Macon State College	AAS/Respiratory	2001

Work Experience:

Piedmont Macon Medical/Macon North (former Coliseum Medical Centers)	1998-present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Director Respiratory and Neurodiagnostics both PMM and PMN• Director Emergency Services PMN• Director Respiratory PMM• EDM Coordinator PMM• ED Charge Nurse• Respiratory Therapy Supervisor• EKG technician	<ul style="list-style-type: none">2022-present2018-20222015-20182013-20152010-20132001-20101998-2001
Macon State College	2002-2004
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clinical instructor, Respiratory Program	

Work Projects:

- Pulmonary rehab program started
- Inaugural bike ride to benefit COPD Foundation
- Initiated conversion of reusable respiratory items to disposable for safer patient care
- Created financial statement to justify cost of reusable versus disposable items
- Created excel spreadsheet to auto-calculate acuity for better staffing
- Lead a code cart replacement process to ensure that needed supplies were available and restocked timely
- Established and lead the Code blue committee at both Piedmont Macon Medical and Piedmont Macon North
- Secured contracts to obtain equipment at low to no cost due to high utilization of disposable items

- Worked with vendors for TAP agreements and lease agreements to offset facility purchasing cost
- Presented a cost analysis with NICU leaders to get approval for transports of infants to increase admissions into NICU

References:

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