

GWENDOLYN BELL-MCNEILL, LPN

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Compassionate and patient-focused Licensed Practical Nurse with extensive experience delivering high-quality nursing care across long-term care, rehabilitation, hospice, and skilled nursing environments. Demonstrated expertise in patient advocacy, medication administration, wound care, IV therapy, infection control, and interdisciplinary collaboration. Recognized for strong clinical judgment, leadership abilities, and commitment to improving patient outcomes through compassionate, evidence-based care.

CORE COMPETENCIES

- Patient Assessment & Monitoring
- Wound Care Management
- Hospice & Palliative Care
- Care Plan Development
- Patient & Family Education
- Team Leadership & Staff Supervision
- Medication Administration
- IV Therapy & Phlebotomy
- Infection Prevention & Control
- Electronic Medical Records (EMR)
- Clinical Documentation
- Regulatory Compliance

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Licensed Practical Nurse | Saber Healthcare Group — Nashville, NC | 2021 – 2026

- Assessed resident needs and developed individualized care plans.
- Administered medications and treatments while evaluating patient responses and outcomes.
- Supervised nursing assistants and delegated patient care responsibilities appropriately.
- Maintained compliance with infection control, safety, and healthcare regulations.
- Collaborated with physicians and interdisciplinary teams to coordinate patient care.

Licensed Practical Nurse | FutureCare Capital Region — Landover, MD | 2021 – 2018

- Provided bedside nursing care including wound care, catheterization, and medication administration.
- Assisted with gastrostomy tube management, oxygen therapy, and specialized treatments.
- Monitored patient conditions and documented changes in medical records systems.
- Educated patients regarding medications, treatment plans, and ongoing healthcare needs.

Licensed Practical Nurse | Deanwood Rehab and Wellness Center — Washington, DC | 2017 – 2018

- Monitored resident health status and documented clinical findings and interventions.
- Administered medications and supervised nursing support staff.
- Educated residents and families regarding disease processes and self-care techniques.

Charge Nurse | The Washington Home & Community Hospice — Washington, DC | 2000 – 2016

- Supervised Certified Nursing Assistants within hospice and palliative care units.
- Administered IV therapy and maintained peripheral and central IV lines.
- Managed patient-controlled analgesia equipment and monitored pain management effectiveness.
- Coordinated compassionate end-of-life care for hospice patients and families.

EDUCATION

Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)

Margaret Washington Post-Secondary School Nursing Program | 1983

CERTIFICATIONS

- Compact State License — Maryland & Washington, DC
- Palliative Care Certification (Active)
- Wound Care Certification
- IV Therapy Certification
- Phlebotomy Certification
- CPR Certification
- BLS / ALS Certification

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Member — End-of-Life Nursing Education Consortium (ELNEC) | 2010 – Present

Participated in continuing education focused on improving hospice and palliative care practices.