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mariyemturkigarrayoussef@gmail.com **Job Title: Nursing Assistant** 

Professional Objective: Tunisian nursing assistant with over 5 years of experience in Tunisia and Saudi Arabia, holding a Diploma in Nursing. Specialized in basic patient care, vital signs monitoring, postoperative assistance, and medication management, with extensive experience in home care and elderly care. Recognized for strong communication skills, teamwork, and emotional support for patients. Seeking to join a healthcare facility in Canada to contribute to patient care quality and well-being.

#### Skills:

- Proficiency in basic patient care procedures
- Ability to use basic medical equipment
- Understanding of vital signs monitoring techniques
- Excellent communication with patients and healthcare team
- Capacity for active listening and empathy towards patients
- Ability to work in a team and collaborate effectively
- Effective time management and prioritization skills
- Capability to handle multiple tasks simultaneously
- Maintenance of accurate and up-to-date medical records
- Quick and efficient response to emergency situations
- Aptitude for identifying patient health issues and informing medical staff
- Ability to perform physically demanding tasks, such as assisting with patient mobility
- Endurance to work long hours standing and performing repetitive movements

### **Professional Experience:**

# Nursing Assistant: 10-2023 → until Today: Nail Company (Dental Clinic), Saudi Arabia

- Greeting patients and ensuring their comfort before consultations
- Preparing instruments and the workspace for dental procedures
- Assisting dentists during examinations, cleanings, and dental procedures
- Passing instruments and providing suction during treatments to maintain a clean and dry operating
- Sterilizing and disinfecting dental instruments and work surfaces according to health protocols
- Maintaining a clean and safe environment for patients and staff
- Educating patients on preventive dental care and oral hygiene
- Explaining post-operative instructions and recommended home care to patients
- Assisting with patient record management and appointment scheduling
- Managing phone calls and patient reception at the front desk as needed

## Nursing Assistant: 12-2019 → 05-2022! MAHARA Company (Elderly Care), Saudi Arabia

- Assisting elderly individuals with daily activities such as toileting, dressing, and mobility
- Assisting with personal hygiene, including bathing, showering, and skincare
- Assisting with meal preparation according to dietary needs and preferences
- Supporting and encouraging dietary intake based on dietetic recommendations
- Assisting with medication management and administration per medical prescriptions
- Monitoring medication side effects and reactions, and reporting concerns to healthcare professionals

- Regular monitoring of vital signs such as blood pressure, temperature, and pulse
- Observing and reporting any changes in clients' health status or behavior
- Providing emotional and psychological support by actively listening to elderly concerns and providing comfort
- Encouraging participation in social and recreational activities to promote mental well-being
- Ensuring a safe and clean environment by adapting domestic spaces to clients' needs and capabilities
- Preventing fall and accident risks using appropriate safety equipment
- Effective communication with family members and healthcare professionals to ensure continuity of care
- Maintaining accurate records of care provided and observations on clients' health status

## Nursing Assistant: 10-2017 → 10-2019: SMASCO Company (Home Care), Saudi Arabia

- Assisting patients with personal hygiene, such as bathing, toileting, and dressing
- Assisting patients with feeding and medication intake according to medical prescriptions
- Performing vital signs monitoring including blood pressure, temperature, pulse, and respiration
- Assisting with wound care and bandage application
- Assisting with prescribed physical therapies by healthcare professionals
- Providing emotional and psychological support to patients and their families
- Actively listening to patients' concerns and needs, providing comfort and understanding
- Maintaining a clean and safe environment for patients
- Observing and reporting any changes in patient health status to healthcare professionals
- Working closely with other home care team members, including nurses and therapists
- Communicating effectively the care provided and observations in patient records

Volunteer Nursing Assistant: 09-2016 → 10-2016 and 10-2016 → 12-2016: Pediatrics and Surgery Department, Fattouma Bourguiba Hospital, Monastir, Tunisia

## **Education and Training:**

06-2007: High School Diploma in Experimental Sciences, Jeune Fille High School, Monastir, Tunisia

**09-2010 : Diploma in Nursing :** EL YOSR Training Center, Monastir, Tunisia

Language: Arabic → Mother tongue : French → Advanced : English → Advanced