





RILEY BURTON, LSW

Nursing Home Social Worker

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EDUCATION

Master's
Social Work
UCLA
2012 - 2014
Los Angeles, CA

Bachelor of Arts
Social Work
UCLA
2008 - 2012
Los Angeles, CA

SKILLS

Problem Solving
Case Management
Written Communication
Adaptable
Empathetic
Time Management

LICENSE

Licensed Social Worker (LSW)

CAREER SUMMARY

Compassionate and experienced nursing home social worker with 7 years of working with the elderly population in managed care and long-term care settings. Specializing in end-of-life issues and dementia care, I actively listen and build trust to help patients and their families resolve personal issues and establish peace during stressful transitions.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Nursing Home Social Worker

The Plaza Nursing Center

March 2018 - current / San Francisco, CA

- Develop relationships with residents and families using the strengths-based approach to enhance social-emotional well-being.
- Advocate for residents and families to promote dignity and autonomy.
- Conduct 8-10 care plan meetings weekly involving residents, families, and 8 interdisciplinary team members to develop care plans.
- Educate residents and families on disease processes and end-of-life issues, and connect them with 50+ facility and community resources.
- Assist residents in resolving familial issues, such as estrangements, and help patients with wills, trusts, and advanced directives.

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Centers Health Care

December 2016 - March 2018 / San Francisco, CA

- Provided support and created individual care plans to assist 500+ elderly residents as they adjusted to long-term care.
- Fostered healthy relationships with residents and families to ensure a better quality of life and to improve residents' physical well-being.
- Facilitated discharge by connecting clients with 30+ community services and resource agencies, including home health, hospitals, Meals on Wheels, adult daycare, and medical equipment companies.

Social Worker

I PRO

July 2014 - December 2016 / San Francisco, CA

- Provided direct support to 80+ adult patients and families through case management of social and environmental problems.
- Monitored patients' progression and regression, and adjusted care plans to ensure effectiveness and efficiency of services, helping patients reach 32% more of their goals.
- Assisted in the development and implementation of treatment, rehab, and/or behavioral goals.