

INTENSIVE CARE UNIT NURSE FELLOWSHIP

The St. Elizabeth Healthcare Intensive Care Unit (ICU) Nurse Fellowship program will prepare you to be an excellent critical care nurse! Using a comprehensive, evidence-based approach, our program will give you the skills, knowledge, and confidence needed to succeed in the ICU.

Join the St. Elizabeth ICU Family!

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ICU FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM FEATURES AND EXPERIENCES



Six Didactic ICU Classes

Each focusing on specific critical care topics:

- Class #1: Welcome Class.
- Class #2: Cardiac & Respiratory.
- Class #3: Insulin, Renal & Nutrition.
- Class #4: Neuro.
- Class #5: Post-Op Care, Code Blue & End of Life.
- Class #6: Hemodynamics & Sepsis.

Nine Simulation Scenarios

- Titration of continuous sedation and hemodynamic medications for vented patients.
- Care of a patient with a tracheostomy and medication titration.
- Management of patients on insulin drips.
- Management of the patient on suicide precautions with alcohol withdrawal.
- Care of a patient receiving tPA for acute stroke.
- Recovery of an immediate post-op patient.
- Care of a patient in septic shock using fluid responsiveness testing.
- Management of a patient with a pulmonary artery catheter.
- Care of a patient with cardiac arrest.

Observation Experiences

- * Cardiac Cath Lab.
- * Emergency Department.
- * Respiratory Therapy.
- * Clinical time in other St. Elizabeth ICUs.



Extensive Clinical Time

- Up to 860 hours!
- Approximately six months for a new graduate nurse.

Evidence-Based Peer Mentor Program

All new hires are paired with a peer mentor, who will follow up with you throughout the first two years to ensure that you have a smooth transition to the ICU. The program promotes a supportive work environment, trust and open communication, and has been shown to increase retention.

Essentials of Critical Care Orientation Online Course

This interactive education program from the American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN) is used in over 1,100 hospitals. The course is composed of 18 modules with videos, audio and interactive activities that encourage critical thinking and decision making.

Frequent Feedback

During orientation, you will have frequent meetings with the ICU management/education team to help support you along the way.