Kevin Nakamura

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT PARAMEDIC

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Summary

Paramedic with 5 years of experience, including 2 years in a Level I trauma center emergency department and 3 years on a 911 ambulance. Fast and accurate with IV access, phlebotomy and 12-lead ECGs, and comfortable working under physician and charge nurse direction during trauma resuscitation.

Skills

- IV Access
- Phlebotomy
- 12-Lead ECG
- Cardiac Monitoring
- Trauma Resuscitation
- CPR
- Splinting
- Wound Care
- Epic EHR
- Teamwork

Experience

Emergency Department Paramedic 04/2024 - Present

Desert Vista Medical Center Phoenix, AZ

56-bed emergency department in a Level I trauma center seeing about 85,000 visits a year.

- Establish IV access and draw phlebotomy samples for **25-30** patients per 12-hour shift, with a 92% first-stick success rate.
- Obtain 12-lead ECGs within 10 minutes of arrival for chest pain patients and flag STEMI findings to the attending physician.
- Support trauma resuscitation as one of a 6-person team, handling cardiac monitoring, CPR and rapid infuser setup.
- Apply splints, irrigate and dress wounds, and record every procedure in Epic EHR before shift handoff.

Paramedic 03/2021 - 03/2024

Valley Sun Ambulance Mesa, AZ

Private ALS ambulance service contracted for 911 response in the East Valley.

- Responded to about 1,200 emergency calls a year on a two-person ALS ambulance.
- Managed airways with bag-valve-mask ventilation, supraglottic devices and intubation on critically ill patients.
- Delivered structured verbal reports to emergency department staff at 4 receiving hospitals on every transport.

Education

Associate of Applied Science 12/2020

GateWay Community College Phoenix, AZ

Paramedicine

Certificates

Nationally Registered Paramedic (NRP)

National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians

01/2021

Arizona Paramedic Certification

Arizona Department of Health Services, Bureau of EMS and Trauma System

02/2021

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)

American Heart Association

05/2025