I-9 COMPLETION INSTRUCTIONS

If you have received an offer and are going to accept an assignment with US Nursing, you must complete a Department of Homeland Security Form I9, Employment Eligibility Verification for our file.

Following is an instruction sheet printed by the DHS. There is an explanation for Section 1 to be completed by the employee, and for Section 2 to be completed by a Notary Public who will be acting as an Authorized Representative for our company.

Print the I9 form, the instruction sheet, and the Notary Public I-9 Information Verification Certificate. Take this to a Notary who will complete Section 2 and in front of the notary complete Section 1, sign it, date it, and DON’T FORGET to check the appropriate box indicating your citizenship status.

Present the Notary with your **original** document(s) (copies are not acceptable) indicating your eligibility to work in the U.S. The Notary should enter the appropriate document information on the appropriate lines: i.e. if you are using a passport, this is a document from List A (no additional documents are needed). Document title should be “USA Passport”, Issuing Authority should be whichever governmental department or agency issued the passport such as New Orleans Passport Agency, or Department of State. This information is generally found near the bottom right of the passport. The document number will be the passport 9-digit number in the upper right portion of the passport, and the expiration date needs to be listed as well. If you are not using a passport or another document from List A, you must have a document from List B **AND** a document from List C. Refer to the Lists of Acceptable Documents which follows the I-9 form.

If the Notary does not want to enter the document information on the I9 form, the I-9 Information Verification Certificate can be used, as long as there is document information from a List A document entered on the first line OR document information from a List B document on the first line and from a List C document on the second line.

Immediately upon completion send the Original I9 form and copies of the documents used for verification to our office.
TO: NOTARY PUBLIC

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RE: I-9 FORM COMPLETION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

U.S. Nursing is an organization that provides health care workers to client facilities throughout the United States. Our business requires the company to hire remote workers. The Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) requires all U.S. employers to verify the employment eligibility and identity of all employees hired to work in the United States after November 6, 1986. To implement the law, employers are required to complete Employment Eligibility Verification forms (Form I-9) for all employees, including U.S. citizens. A blank copy of the I-9 form is enclosed with this letter.

NOTARY AS EMPLOYER’S AGENT. The person presenting the I-9 form to you is a prospective employee for our company. Because it is not physically possible for this person to come to our offices in Denver, Colorado to complete the I9 paperwork, the United States Customs and Immigration Service (USCIS) allows employers to designate agents, such as you, to carry out their I-9 responsibilities. The law does not allow the employer to carry out I-9 responsibilities by means of documents faxed by an employee.

EMPLOYEE MUST COMPLETE SECTION 1 OF FORM. Our employee must complete Section 1 of the Form I-9. The employee’s signature holds him/her responsible for the accuracy of the information provided. No documentation is required to substantiate Section 1 information provided by the employee.

NOTARY MUST COMPLETE SECTION 2 OF FORM. The employer, or the designated agent, must review original documents and complete Section 2 of the Form I-9. We are asking you to act as our agent and review the documents for us to satisfy this requirement.

U.S. Nursing is responsible to ensure proper completion of the entire form. Proper documentation establishes both that the employee is authorized to work in the U.S. and that the employee who presents the employment authorization document is the person to whom it was issued.

The official list of acceptable documents for establishing identity and work eligibility is enclosed with this letter being presented by our prospective employee.

1. You may accept any List A document, which establishes both identity and work eligibility.
2. **OR**, you may accept **one document from List B** (establishing identity) and **one document from List C** (establishing work eligibility).

You should examine the document(s) and accept them if they reasonably appear to be genuine and if they reasonably appear to relate to the person standing before you. Requesting more or different documentation than the minimum necessary to meet this requirement may constitute an unfair immigration-related employment practice. If the documentation presented by an employee does not reasonably appear to be genuine or relate to the employee who presents them, then you must refuse to accept them, and you must ask for other documentation from the list of acceptable documents.

**GENUINENESS OF DOCUMENTS.** You are not required to be a document expert. In reviewing the genuineness of the documents presented by an employee, employers are held to reasonableness standards.

**PHOTOCOPIES OF DOCUMENTS NOT ACCEPTABLE.** You cannot accept photocopies of identity or employment eligibility documents to fulfill I-9 requirements. Only the original documents, meaning the actual document issued by the issuing authority, are satisfactory with the single exception of a certified photocopy of a birth certificate. Please make copies of the documents presented by the employee to be sent with the completed I-9 form, as we would like to retain photocopies with the completed I-9 form.

**ENCLOSURES.** Thank you for accepting this commission. Enclosed please find the original Form I-9, the list of acceptable documentation, and Instructions for Completion of the form.

Sincerely,

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