



Linda M. Schutzer

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Linda M. Schutzer is an accomplished Registered Nurse with over 30 years of experience in critical care, trauma, and flight nursing. Her career has spanned hospital ICUs, air ambulance services, and leadership roles in both clinical and administrative capacities. She holds multiple certifications including ACLS, PALS, TNCC, and PHTLS, and maintains active licensure in Florida and compact states.

Her extensive flight nursing experience includes roles with Tropic Air Rescue, MedWay Air Ambulance, and Angel MedFlight, where she transported critical patients and served as a clinical preceptor. She developed simulation exercises, reviewed clinical practice guidelines, and ensured compliance with CAMTS and FEMA standards—demonstrating excellence in high-pressure and mobile medical environments.

In hospital settings, Linda has held pivotal leadership positions such as Assistant Chief Nursing Officer and Director of Critical Care at Palms West Hospital. She successfully implemented patient safety and quality initiatives that significantly reduced central line infections, fall rates, and patient length of stay. Her leadership was instrumental in improving staff and physician satisfaction, and in achieving 100% compliance in core measures.

As Director of Staff Development and Clinical Education, she designed competency-based training programs, coordinated nurse residency and internship initiatives, and led successful accreditation efforts. Her work directly impacted staff retention, clinical skill advancement, and system-wide performance improvements at institutions like Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center and Tenet Health.

Linda M. Schutzer is also a published contributor in nursing journals and has served as an adjunct faculty member and active committee leader in regional workforce development initiatives. Her dedication to education, patient care, and team growth reflects a lifelong commitment to healthcare excellence and innovation.