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**Julie Gephardt, BSN, RN, receives national certification
in Gerontological Nursing**

(Hendersonville, N.C.) Julie Gephardt, BSN, RN, recently received national certification in Gerontological Nursing through the [American Nurses Credentialing Center](#).

Gephardt has been employed with Pardee since 2010, and serves as a staff nurse on the telemetry/step down floor where she takes care of critically ill patients who require 24 hour telemetry monitoring. She received her Bachelor of Science in Nursing from Western Carolina University in Cullowhee, N.C.

[The American Nurses Credentialing Center \(ANCC\)](#), a subsidiary of the American Nurses Association (ANA), provides individuals and organizations throughout the nursing profession with the resources they need to achieve practice excellence. ANCC's internationally renowned credentialing programs certify nurses in specialty practice areas; recognize healthcare organizations for promoting safe, positive work environments through the Magnet Recognition Program® and the Pathway to Excellence® Program; and accredit providers of continuing nursing education.





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