

BEATRICE ROSEN

Sterile Processing Technician

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PROFILE

Certified Registered Central Service Technician with 6 years of experience assembling up to 38 specialty and general instrument sets daily for high-volume OR departments. Reduced supply costs by \$8,190 in 12 months by identifying reusable instrument components during inspection and switching to vendor-consolidated ordering. Skilled in ultrasonic washer and washer/disinfector operation, biological indicator testing, and AAMI and JCAHO standards compliance.

KEY SKILLS

- Instrument decontamination
- Specialty tray assembly
- Steam autoclave operation
- Ultrasonic washer operation
- AAMI standards compliance
- JCAHO standards
- Instrument tracking system
- Biological indicator testing
- CDC universal precautions
- Microsoft Excel

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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Allegany Ridge Medical Center, Cumberland, MD | 2023 - Present

- Reduced supply costs by \$8,190 in 12 months by identifying reusable instrument components during inspection and switching to vendor-consolidated ordering.
- Assemble an average of 38 specialty and general instrument sets daily for 14 OR suites, completing each tray in under 9 minutes.
- Filed 11 instrument defect reports in Q1 2025 after examining forceps, retractors, and scope accessories for cracks, corrosion, and worn jaws.
- Clean and decontaminate surgical instruments using an ultrasonic washer and washer/disinfector, processing 74 trays per shift.

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Frostburg Valley Community Hospital, Frostburg, MD | 2021 - 2023

- Assembled 27 instrument sets daily across orthopedic, general surgery, and ENT service lines, maintaining a 4-minute average pick time per set.
- Filed 7 defect reports per month on average, flagging cracked insulation, bent tips, and loose box-lock joints to supervisors within 30 minutes of detection.
- Saved \$3,630 annually by consolidating duplicate supply items and recommending reprocessing of manufacturer-approved reusable device components.

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Garrett Highlands Surgical Center, Oakland, MD | 2020 - 2021

- Cleaned and sorted 19 instrument sets per shift, scrubbing lumens and ratchets by hand before loading items into the ultrasonic washer.
- Reported defective equipment including 4 cracked sterilization container gaskets and 3 damaged instrument tips within a 6-month period.
- Wrapped and labeled trays for steam autoclave cycles, verifying count sheets against pick lists to confirm all 312 items per orthopedic set.

EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science in Medical Assistant

Allegany College of Maryland, Cumberland, MD | 2018 - 2020

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Registered Central Service Technician, Healthcare Sterile Processing Association, 2021