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Hometown: Cleveland,
Mississippi

Education: I graduated from
high school in a very small town
in the Delta. After high school, I

attended Northwest Mississippi
Community College, where I
completed the Practical Nursing
program.

**What you most like about your
job:** I have developed skills and
content knowledge that still
serve me well. I always get to
meet new people, and every day
is a new challenge.

Short-term professional goal:
Facilitate and deliver the highest
quality of care to all of the
residents in the community

Personal goal: My personal goal
is to eventually get my master's
degree in Nursing.

**Something about you that
would surprise people:** I am a
Southern-born country girl and
tomboy at heart.

Books read recently: "Tuesdays
with Morrie" by Mitch Albom. I
have read it over and over again.

Favorite quote: "I've learned
that people will forget what you
said, people will forget what you
did, but people will never forget

how you made them feel."
— Maya Angelou

**Something in your refrigerator
right now:** Cucumbers from my
husband's garden. It's the first
year we've had one, and he's
done an amazing job with it.

**Most important
characteristics of a leader:**
Confidence, communication,
commitment, accountability and
integrity

Your impressions of Memphis:
Since I'm from a small town,
Memphis is huge. But I love
all that Memphis has to offer.
There's so much to do.

Favorite pastime or hobby:
When I'm not at work, all of
my spare time is spent with
my husband and three boys,
riding four-wheelers, fishing and
hunting.

**If you won the lottery, you
would...:** Most definitely donate
to a specific charity that is very
special to me. I would save or
invest the remainder.