

## Forensic Nursing - Excellence



**Gillian Sheppard**

**LOCATION:** Temple, TX, USA

**WORK SETTING:** Scott and White Medical Center-Temple, Hospital

**NURSING ROLE:** Forensic Program Coordinator

As the Forensic Program Coordinator, Gillian works to keep the hospital forensic program with SANE coverage 24/7. She has a passion to educate medical professionals and community partners on the dangers and increased cases of human trafficking. She also works to educate medical staff in our hospital and our regional facilities on sexual assault, domestic violence including strangulation and other forensic cases.

Gillian also attends multiple multidisciplinary team meetings. She maintains a great working relationship with local law enforcement agencies, coordinating exams, and scheduling evidence pick up. Gillian has fulfilled requests to teach local EMS, Fire department, and Police departments on human trafficking signs. Gillian is easy to work with, reviews cases with nurses, and offers educational advice when needed. Gillian is an excellent Forensic Nurse.

