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Education

University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL
Doctor of Nursing Practice, ACAGNP, 01/2021-Current
Subspecialty: *Healthcare Spanish and Nursing Education*

Chamberlain University, Downers Grove, IL
Master of Nursing Science, FNP, 09/01/2017-10/27/2019

Grand Canyon University, Phoenix, AZ
Bachelor of Nursing Science, 08/01/2016- 05/31/2017

Conemaugh School of Nursing, Johnstown, PA
Nursing Diploma, 09/01/2014-06/24/2016

California University of Pennsylvania, California, PA
Master of Exercise Science and Health Promotion 08/01/2011-08/30/2012

Sacred Heart University, Fairfield, CT
Bachelor of Science, Exercise Science, 08/15/2007-12/16/2010

Professional Experience

Regent University, College of Health & Behavioral Sciences
Nursing Faculty, 1/2023-Current

- Assist in the development of Master of Nursing curriculum
- Embody and encourage a professional and personal relationship with the Lord
- Inspire and encourage a spirit of inquiry in students
- Participate in scholarship and research efforts both within the School of Nursing and collaboratively with other departments across the university
- Accurately assess and record student works
- Effectively and respectfully communicate with students, faculty and staff
- Additional duties as assigned by the Dean of the College of Health & Behavioral Sciences and Director of School of Nursing

Murray Calloway County Hospital
Nocturnist, Nurse Practitioner, 12/2021-Current

- Evaluate, Diagnose and Monitor Care of Patients in Hospital Atmosphere
- Create Care Plans and Contribute to Existing Plans for all Inpatient Admissions and Consults
- Accurately and Responsibly Report and Maintain Medical Records
- Order, Administer and Analyze Diagnostic Tests

- Educate Patient and Caregivers on Illness and Injury Management and Disease Prevention

Western Kentucky Pulmonary Clinic,

Certified Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner, 12/2019-11/2021

- Evaluate, Diagnose and Monitor Care of Patients in Hospital and Outpatient Clinic
- Create Care Plans and Contribute to Existing Plans for all Inpatient Admissions and Consults
- Accurately and Responsibly Report and Maintain Medical Records
- Order, Administer and Analyze Diagnostic Tests
- Educate Patient and Caregivers on Illness and Injury Management and Disease Prevention

Excelsa Health System Westmoreland Hospital, Greensburg PA 15601

Registered Nurse, Emergency Dept. Charge Position, 11/02/2017- 10/20/2019

- Supervise and Support Nursing and Ancillary Staff
- Patient Care Resource Allocation and Planning
- Real-time Audits for Patient Safety and Quality Care Measures
- Maintaining confidentiality in accordance with HIPPA policy
- Supervising and Delegating Appropriately
- Serving as Chair Person of One Unit, Hospital and System Committee
- Mass Casualty and Disaster Preparedness System Leader
- Healthcare Provider and Nurse Liaison

Excelsa Health System Westmoreland Hospital, Greensburg PA 15601

Registered Nurse Emergency Dept. Staff Position, 06/15/2016- 11/01/2017

- Ensuring Patient Safety Measures
- Collection of Specimens
- Accurate and timely electronic documentation
- Maintaining confidentiality in accordance with HIPPA policy
- Supervising and Delegating appropriately to Patient Care Technicians
- Accurate Medication Administration

Excelsa Health System Latrobe Hospital, Latrobe PA 15650

Patient Care Technician, September 2014-June 2016

- Ensuring Patient Safety Measures
- Collection of Specimens
- Accurate and timely electronic documentation
- Maintaining confidentiality in accordance with HIPPA policy
- Implementing patient care as directed by supervising Registered Nurses

Alliance Rehab, Greensburg PA 15601

Exercise Physiologist, August 2013-August 2014

- Conducting monthly educational courses
- Researching and Writing articles for Newsletter and Bulletin Boards
- Monitoring and maintaining accurate biometric data for facility members
- Maintaining confidentiality in accordance with HIPPA policy
- Creating and Implementing personal exercise programs

Cape Fear Valley Hospital, Fayetteville NC 28303

Exercise Physiologist, October 2012-June 2013

- Conducted fitness assessments for the facility members
- Researched and Wrote articles for the company Newsletter
- Monitored and maintained accurate biometric data for facility members
- Maintained confidentiality in accordance with HIPPA policy

- Organized and taught community wellness classes

Custom Built Personal Training at Omni Health, Fayetteville NC, 28304

Assistant Manager/Personal Trainer, June 2012-September 2012

- Wrote customized exercise programs for clients with various biomechanical and physiological needs
- Maintained a safe and professional atmosphere
- Utilized all gym resources for the benefit of clients
- Educated prospective and current clients on the science behind exercise

Integrity Rehab Group, Fayetteville NC 28304

Clinical Support Specialist/PT Technician, September 2012-June 2012

- Managed Patient Scheduling and Communications
- Assisted in local marketing, growth, and development strategies for the new clinic site
- Transcribed all daily charge sheets into billing system database
- Completed all office supply ordering
- Assisted in maintaining a clean, safe and welcoming environment for patients
- Additional duties as outlined and assigned by clinic manager

Professional Licensure/Certification

Advanced Practice Registered Nurse 2019-Current

Registered Nurse 2016-Current

American Heart Association CPR & AED 2007-Current

Advanced Cardiac Life Support Certification 2014-Current

Pediatric Advanced Life Support Certification 2014-Current

American College of Sports Medicine Certified Personal Trainer 2012-2014

National Academy of Sports Medicine Certified Strength and Conditioning Coach
2009-2012

Federal Communications Commission Amateur Radio Operator 2003-Current

Volunteer Service

Cape Fear Valley Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Department, Assisted in the supervision of exercise programs designated to each patient while utilizing clinical procedures to monitor patient vitals such as heart rate, blood pressure and oxygen saturation levels, November 2012- March 2012

RISE Fitness Program Volunteer, Meet with mentally handicap students once a week at the William H. Pitt Athletic Center and guided them through an hour-long physical fitness routine while helping them improve their social skills, October 2008 – May 2009

Wheelchair Fitness Program Volunteer, Kennedy Center, work with pre-physical therapy students to organize and execute an hour-long fitness program for the mentally and physically handicapped geriatrics at the Kennedy Center once a week, October 2008 – February 2009

Conferences Attended

Annual National Hospitalist Conference September 2022

Adult Hospital Medicine Boot Camp September 2021

Emergency Nurse Association National Conference September 2018

Emergency Nursing & Prehospital Care Symposium January 2018

Emergency Nursing & Prehospital Care Symposium January 2017

Professional Affiliations and Development

American Academy of Nurse Practitioners 2019-Current

Sigma Theta Tau Honor Society 2017-2019

Alpha Chi National Honor Society 2017-2019

Emergency Nurses Association-2017-2020

National Academy of Sports Medicine 2012-2014

American College of Sports Medicine 2010-2014

National Academy of Sports Medicine 2009-2012