**Joel Evans**

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**Personal Statement**

Life is all about choices. Some we have no influence over like our race, gender, and genetics. The path we choose to take and professions we pursue are choices we can control. I believe becoming a Registered Nurse nearly 10 years ago was one of the best career decisions I have ever made, because I find a lot of joy in helping those in need.

I was fulfilled as Registered Nurse, but I wanted to expand in the ways I could care for my patients. Becoming a Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) means providing for patients with the ability to perform physical exams, order tests and procedures, make diagnoses, treat illnesses, and continue to educate patients on habits to live a long and healthy lifestyle. As a FNP new graduate, I plan to embrace my new role with open arms.

**Education**

**State University of New York Polytechnic Institute** Utica, NY

 Master Family Nurse Practitioner Program, Spring 2021

 Baccalaureate of Science in Nursing, Spring 2015

**Hudson Valley Community College**                                             Troy, NY

         Associate degree in Nursing, Spring 2011

         Associates in Applied Sciences, Spring 2007

**Work Experience**

**Conifer Park Inpatient Detox and Rehab**                 Glenville, NY

*Charge Nurse*

*04/18-11/21*

**Planned Parenthood Mohawk Hudson** Schenectady, NY

*Registered Nurse Healthcare Coach*

*10/16-03/18*

**St. Peter’s Hospital** Albany, NY

*Registered Nurse on an Orthopedic Unit*

*09/15-10/16*

**AYA Healthcare** San Diego, CA

*Registered Nurse on Physical Medicine and Rehab. Unit*

*Also Floated to Med Surg Unit*

*Glens Falls Hospital 3/11/15-6/4/15*

**Albany Medical Center** Albany, NY

 Registered Nurse on Physical Medicine and Rehab. Unit

*08/12-03/15*

**Clinical Experience**

**Primary Care:** Koinonia Primary Care, Whitney M. Young Jr. Health Center & Newton Medical

**Acute Care:** Samaritan Hospital

**Pediatrics**: Oneonta Fox Pediatrics

**OB/GYN:** AO Fox Women’s Health

**Professional Academic Appointments-** N/A

**Teaching Experience –** N/A

**Non-Academic Activities-** Editing for a Podcast on Shady Pines Radio-2020-present

**Research Activities-** N/A

**Grants/Fellowships-** N/A

**Conference Presentations-** N/A

**Publications-** N/A

**Conferences attended-** Complexities of Treating Heroin Addiction- 2017

**Languages and Skills-** N/A

**Memberships-** N/A

**References-** Robert Paeglow, MD, Jessica Logozzo, NP, James Wilson, MD, Regina Velarde, MD, Frances Sailer, CNM, Sandra Transvaag, NP