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### **Professional Summary:**

- Qualified, board-certified Nurse Practitioner with more than 13 years of experience in direct patient care as a Family Nurse Practitioner.
- Competent Registered Nurse experience taking care of patients for over 6 years.
- Strong clinical skills enhanced by natural ability to build rapport with patients and families.
- Committed to practicing medicine using a holistic approach. Act as patient advocate as needed.
- Follow evidence-based guidelines blended with clinical experience, personal observation and intuition.

### **Education:**

2010 Georgia Southern University – Statesboro, GA Master of Science in Nursing Family Nurse Practitioner

#### 2003 Georgia Southern University – Statesboro, GA Bachelor of Science in Nursing Registered Nurse

### Licensure & Certifications:

- Registered Nurse, 2003
- Family Nurse Practitioner, 2010
- American Nurses Credential Center, ANCC, 2010
- Current NPI 2023 , Georgia

### **Clinical Experience:**

- Venipuncture
- Subcutaneous infections
- Intramuscular infections
- Wound cultures/dressing
- Suture placement/removals
- Interpret lab results/images
- Medication dosing
- Perform biopsies

- IV/IM therapy
- Skin lesion excisions
- Shave biopsies
- KOH preps
- Vaccine management
- Gynecologic care
- Chronic illnesses

- Inhalers/Nebulizers
- Nasal/Pharyngeal swab
- Pap smears
- IUD placement/removal
- STD screening
- Pregnancy/Post-partum
- Breast exam

## **Professional Experience:**

**Georgia Skin and Cancer Clinic**- Well established dermatology office specializing in medical and surgical dermatology from infants to seniors.

### Family Nurse Practitioner 2021-present

- Review and interpret pathology reports daily.
- Document physical exams, procedure notes and wound care on the electronic medical records system.
- Provide education to patients and their family members regarding disease states, medications and skin cancer treatment options.
- Perform Full Body Skin Exams efficiently and am able to recognize anything atypical/abnormal.
- Use resources to provide education to patients and family members regarding their skin conditions.
- Perform numerous biopsy and excisional procedures daily.
- Prescribe the appropriate medications for patients and their chronic disease states.

**South Georgia Immediate Care**- Busy Immediate Care office that treats and manages acute illnesses in populations across the lifespan.

## Family Nurse Practitioner

## 2020-2021

- Analyze and interpret patient histories, symptoms, physical findings and diagnostic information to develop appropriate diagnoses.
- Reassess and modify patient plans as necessary to achieve appropriate patient outcomes.
- Document patient encounters on the clinical electronic medical records system.
- Provide education to patients and their family members when necessary.
- Perform DOT physicals on patients.
- Evaluate and manage lacerations, abrasions, etc. wtih sutures or staples.
- Perform various types of physicals across the lifespan.

**AppleCare Urgent Care** - Busy Urgent Care/Immediate Care facility that evaluates and manages various acute illnesses in pediatric and adult patients.

## Family Nurse Practitioner

## 2014-2020

- Diagnose and treat a variety of orthopedic injuries ranging from sprains to fractures
- Perform workers compensation exams and follow up care
- Incision and drainage of skin abscesses; excision of sebaceous cysts.
- Order and interpret plain films and treat patients accordingly.
- Repair skin lacerations with sutures, staples or Derma-bond.
- Perform sports physicals for pediatric patients

- Perform women's health exam as needed and breasts exams as indicated.
- Perform DOT physicals on patients.
- Manage Outpatient illnesses and her IVF and IV medications as needed.
- Administer trigger point injections

**Tri-Care Family Medicine, Statesboro, GA** – Growing family medicine practice dedicated to meeting patients' health needs, whether they are physical, mental, or spiritual in nature.

# Family Nurse Practitioner

## 2010-2014

- Provide medical and emotional care to patients with varying diagnoses
- Interact with patient families to provide support and explain procedures and treatment.
- Ensure quality of care and open lines of communication between all members of the healthcare team.
- Manage patients with chronic diseases and associated medications.
- Interpret labs and diagnostic images.

**East Georgia Regional Medical Center, Statesboro, GA –** Provides generations of families with a higher medical standard, close to home.

## **Registered Nurse / Family Nurse Practitioner**

### 2004-2010

- Performed patient examinations. Obtained medical histories. Assessed patient status.
- Collaborated with supervising physicians to make treatment recommendations. Ordered labs and other diagnostic tests.
- Delivered patient education on various topics ranging from pain management and health promotion to proper medication usage and nutrition.

#### East Georgia Pediatrics, Statesboro, GA <u>Registered Nurse / FNP Clinical</u> 2009

- Performed routine well child checks, sick visits and vaccine management.
- Educated parents regarding the importance of keeping vaccines up to date.
- Calculated pediatric dosing for all medications written.
- Educated patients and parents on the proper use of inhalers and nebulizers.
- Performed nasal and pharyngeal swabbing for diagnosis of infections.

## GSU Health Services Center, Statesboro, GA <u>Registered Nurse / FNP Clinical</u>

## 2009

- Performed routine Pap Smears, IUD placements and removals.
- Taught and performed breast exams.
- Performed STD screenings on all patients at risk.

## Women's Health of Swainsboro, Swainsboro, GA

# **Registered Nurse / FNP Clinical**

2009

- Performed pregnancy history and physicals.
- Interpreted lab results with obstetric and gynecological patients.
- Educated patients on a variety of healthcare concern; prenatal care questions, symptoms of pregnancy, post-partum care and general health maintenance in gynecologic care.

## **<u>References</u>**

Available upon request