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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I am a patient centered primary care physician with twenty-five years of experience who is passionate about providing the highest level of care to my patients. I focus on education and communication in order to develop individualized care plans to achieve each patient's healthcare needs and goals. I am seeking a position in telemedicine in order to utilize my clinical skills and experience to advance my career in health care in a new, exciting, and rewarding way.

EDUCATION

Internal Medicine Residency - 1997

Alton Ochsner Med Foundation - New Orleans, LA

Internal Medicine Internship - 1995

Rush-Presbyterian Medical Center - Chicago, IL

Medicine (Pre-Medicine) - M.D. - 1994

University of Missouri-Kansas City: Hospital Hill Campus - Kansas City, MO

- Attended a Six Year Accelerated Combined Doctor of Medicine/Bachelor of Arts Degree Program from 1988-1994.

WORK HISTORY

Physician - October, 2015 to July, 2020

WellMed at San Marcos - San Marcos, TX

- Diagnosed and treated geriatric patient population in an exclusively Medicare and Medicare Advantage HMO clinic
- Focused on preventive care and maintaining excellent control of chronic illnesses such as diabetes, hypertension, CAD, COPD, etc.
- Performed minor outpatient procedures such as punch biopsies, cryotherapy of appropriate skin lesions, incision and drainage of abscesses, and joint injections for pain relief

Physician - January, 2013 to October, 2015

Community Care - Austin, TX

- Diagnosed and treated underserved uninsured population in a Federally Qualified Healthcare Center
- Primary focus was on preventive care as well as optimum maintenance of chronic illnesses in a vulnerable population of patients

Physician - May, 2007 to November, 2012

Professional Imaging, LLC - Houston, TX

- Supervised and interpreted modified barium swallow studies on a mobile clinic in a primarily geriatric setting in conjunction with speech therapists
- Made recommendations regarding diet status, need for parenteral or PEG tube insertion and evaluated esophageal disorders

Physician - April, 2003 to April, 2007

Edward McCoig, MD and Associates - Houston, TX

- Practiced medicine in a traditional setting, treating patients in both the inpatient and outpatient setting
- Regularly made inpatient rounds at Houston Northwest Medical Center and Triumph Long Term Acute Care Center as well as made inpatient rounds at Vitas Hospice inpatient unit
- Maintained primary care practice in the outpatient setting
- Performed PFTs, treadmill cardiac stress tests in the outpatient setting

Physician - March, 2002 to March, 2003

Westbrook Family Medicine Center - Houston, TX

- Diagnosed and treated patient in a private family medicine clinic
- Performed minor procedures in the clinic such as suturing, incision and drainage of abscesses, removal of small cysts, and cryotherapy of skin lesions
- Focused on preventive care in adult patients

Physician - August, 2001 to November, 2001

Boston Veterans Healthcare System - Brockton, MA

- Diagnosed and devised treatment plans for cardiovascular, endocrine, and other internal system disorders in the veteran population
- Worked to diagnose, treat, and triage patients in the urgent care clinic in the VA system, determining whether they needed higher level of care

Physician - August, 1999 to August, 2001

Central Arkansas Veterans Healthcare System - Little Rock, AR

- Served as primary care physician for veterans in rural areas in Arkansas
- Diagnosed and treated multiple chronic diseases as well as preventative care
- Supervised medical residents from University of Arkansas Medical Center in the outpatient VA clinic once a week

Physician - August, 1997 to July, 1999

Ascension St Thomas Hospital - Murfreesboro, TN

- Practiced as part of a traditional internal medicine group in both the inpatient and outpatient setting
- Attended patients at Middle Tennessee Medical Center daily
- Diagnosed and treated patients in the primary care outpatient clinic setting
- Performed bone density evaluations and treadmill stress tests in the office setting

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- American Medical Women's Association Citation Award 1994
- American College of Physicians Clerkship Award 1994
- Flarsheim and Flake Merit Scholarship 1988
- Alpha Omega Service Fraternity member

REFERENCES

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