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Education

Shenandoah University | Doctor of Medical Sciences May 2023 – December 2023

- Thesis: Knee Osteoarthritis Treatment with Intra-Articular Injections

Shenandoah University | 3.88 GPA | Master of Physician Assistant Studies July 2018 – December 2020

Grand Valley State University | 3.94 GPA | Clinical Exercise Science August 2014 – May 2018

Work Experience

Arlington Orthopedic Associates – Orthopedic Surgery PA April 2021 – Present

- Daily responsibilities include inpatient rounding, conducting patient visits in outpatient office, first assisting with general orthopedic surgeries, administrative work
- Proficient in daily usage of EMR systems such as Athena, Greenway, Cerner, and Epic
- Collaborative teamwork with office staff to ensure optimal patient care
- Practice autonomy in the office by performing preoperative, postoperative and follow-up visits of upwards to 25 patients per day
- Perform various procedures including joint and bursa injections with and without the use of fluoroscopy, suture and staple removals, I&Ds, wound and incision closures, sterile technique, dispense and apply DME, application and removal of casts and splints
- Ability to read and interpret x-rays, MRIs and CT scans to come up with patient assessment and plan
- Focus on transparency by including the patient in all the decision making to allow them to feel comfortable in their decisions about their health
- Experience as a preceptor for Shenandoah University

Certifications and Memberships

Pending New Hampshire State PA License

Active Texas State PA License

License PA14492

American Heart Association BLS Certification

July 2023

American Heart Association ACLS Certification

July 2023

NCCPA Certified Physician Assistant

January 2021

American Academy of Physician Assistants Member

- Currently serving as a mentor to a pre-PA student