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LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants Board Certified
Current California Physician Assistant License
Current DEA License
Current Basic Lifesaving Skills Certification

EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY

Gastroenterology Motility Advanced Practice Provider, Digestive Health Center, Stanford Health Care

August 2020 to present

- Provide outpatient care to patients with a wide variety of chronic, severe GI conditions, both in shared clinics with physicians and independent clinics. Develop and implement individualized diagnostic and treatment plans and communicate complex medical information to patients and their families
- Present and collaborate on complex cases at the Multidisciplinary Foregut Conference with physicians and APPs from radiology, surgery, advanced endoscopy and GI
- Counsel, educate and support high need patients with chronic health conditions
- Engage and collaborate with consultants, clinical nutrition, nurses and patient care coordinators
- Assist with training new APP and nurses
- Proficient in EPIC

Hospitalist Physician Assistant, CHI Lakeside Hospital Medicine Service

October 2018 to April 2020, Omaha, Nebraska

- Collaborated with a multidisciplinary team to provide comprehensive care from admission to discharge to complex patients in the intensive care, progressive care and medical/oncology/surgical units
- Actively monitored and managed changing clinical situations, updating plans of care and communicating with physicians, nurses and patients
- Developed and implement evidence based diagnostic and treatment plans for a wide range of diagnoses in an inpatient setting
- Engaged and collaborated with consultants
- Documented care through complete history and physicals, progress notes and discharge summaries

Physician Assistant Hospitalist Clinical Fellowship, Johns Hopkins Collaborative Inpatient Medicine Service

September 2017 to August 2018, Baltimore, Maryland

- Provided care from admission to discharge, including detailed history, physical exams, development and implementation of treatment plans, and ordering and interpreting laboratory tests and imaging studies
- Worked with a multidisciplinary team to deliver evidence based care to a diverse cultural and socioeconomic patient population with complex medical and social needs

PRESENTATIONS

“Dyssynergic Defecation” *Northern California Society for Clinical Gastroenterology Annual GI Symposium*. Monterey, CA. May 2023.

“Safe Patient Handling and Movement: A Kinematic Analysis of Traditional vs. Device Assisted Sit-to-Stand Movement” *American Society of Biomechanics Annual Meeting*. State College, PA. August 2009

EDUCATION

University of Missouri - Kansas City School of Medicine

Master of Medical Science Physician Assistant | January 2015 to May 2017

University of Nebraska - Lincoln

Bachelor of Science Biological Systems Engineering | August 2005 to December 2009

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Analyst, Cerner Corporation

August 2012 to January 2015

Physician Experience Team and AMS Patient Accounting Team, Kansas City, Missouri ▪

- Increased efficiency and enriched user experience for physician specialists by developing tailored electronic medical record software
- Collaborated with clinicians and engineers in conceptualizing, developing and testing new components for the electronic medical record

General Engineer, US Army Research Labs

January 2010 to August 2012

Human Research Engineering Directorate Biomechanics Team, Aberdeen, Maryland

- Evaluated the effects of equipment on dismounted soldiers' physical and cognitive performance through research studies
- Advanced the research agenda through collaboration with multidisciplinary teams and presentations inside and outside the organization