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EDUCATION

Hampton University, Hampton, VA 2015
Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT)

Hampton University, Hampton, VA 2011
B.S. in Health & Physical Education
Minor: Leadership Studies

CERTIFICATIONS

- Physical Therapist:
California: PT293555
Georgia: PTO13771
Virginia #2305209714 (Active 2015-2020)
- *LSVT BIG!* Certified (2021-Present)
- American Heart Association Basic Life Support
- Certified Yoga Instructor: White Lotus Foundation, Santa Barbara, CA

WORK EXPERIENCE

Chief Executive Officer & Administrator Feb 2020-Present
A Plus Care Home Health Agency & Mobile Physical/Occupational Therapy Company

- Established new Home Health Agency in the State of California, accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC)
- Completed Medicare Home Health enrollment and Medicare Outpatient Part B enrollment and approved by the Medicare Administrative contractor for Jurisdiction E
- Lead quarterly and annual Quality Improvement/Performance Improvement (QAPI) meetings and establish improvement initiatives
- Knowledgeable in Medicare OASIS guidelines
- Develop and implement marketing to physicians and community regarding available agency resources and services
- Train new staff on home health regulations, outpatient therapy regulations, quality control procedures, and use of OASIS and monitor visit notes for compliance
- Responsible for implementing and supervising the administrative policies operation of the agency and administratively supervising the provision of all services to agency clients on a day-to-day basis

Supervising Physical Therapist-Per Diem

Caring Like Family, Inc.

June 2018-Dec 2020

- Physical Therapist in a Home Care Setting
- Collaborate with other healthcare providers to perform evaluations, determine physical therapy diagnoses, develop a plan of care, and perform interventions to aid in restoring function, improving mobility, relieving pain, improving health, and preventing or limiting permanent disability
- Supervise a team of Physical Therapy Assistants (PTAs) in providing effective physical therapy intervention while adhering to plan of care

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Miracle Home Health

June 2018-Dec 2020

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Calipso Home Health

June 2019-Dec 2020

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Supervising Physical Therapist

FeldCare Connects, Westlake Village, CA

April 2018-Dec 2020

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Omni Therapy, Glendale, CA

Nov 2017-Dec 2020

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Physical Therapist

Kaiser Permanente, Woodland Hills, CA

Aug 2017-Nov 2017

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Staff/PRN Physical Therapist

Riverside Health System, Newport News, VA

May 2015-Aug 2017

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Director, William R. Harvey Leadership Institute

Hampton University, Hampton, VA

Jan 2016-Aug 2017

- Lead department's effort to develop undergraduate Leadership Fellows with the character and commitment to ethically lead and serve
- Direct and inspire department's faculty in the pursuit of excellence in teaching, scholarship, and service
- Examine and update curriculum to maintain department's relevance and monitor the quality of instruction in the department
- Evaluate and advise staff and adjunct faculty to ensure the effective operation of the department
- Coordinate the development and delivery of theoretical and experiential leadership through teaching three courses within the curriculum (LEA 201-Leadership Theory & Practice; LEA 202-Practice and Tools of Leadership; LEA 401-Leadership Senior Capstone)

Assistant Professor, Department of Physical Therapy

Hampton University, Hampton, VA

Aug 2015-Aug 2017

- Coordinate the development and delivery of didactic education in the preparation of future physical therapists (Courses include PHT 611-Basic Skills in PT; PHT 602-Kinesiology; PHT 604-Tests & Measurements; PHT 647-Community Health)
- Generate relationships with healthcare systems to ensure adequate opportunities for students to engage in practical implementation of professional skills
- Advocate for the physical therapy profession by spearheading an annual race event as well as a community workshop

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Physical Therapy Student Intern (Eight week affiliations)

Sentara Home Care, Greater Peninsula, VA

Mar-Apr 2015

Sentara Life Care (Skilled Nursing Facility), Norfolk, VA

Jan-Feb 2015

Riverside Regional Medical Center (Acute Care), Newport News, VA

Oct-Dec 2014

Tidewater Physical Therapy (Outpatient), Newport News, VA

Mar-Apr 2013

Riverside Rehabilitation Institute (Inpatient Rehabilitation), Newport News, VA

Oct-Dec 2013