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Objective:

To obtain a position as a full-time physical therapist

Education:

Doctorate of Physical Therapy

May 2014

Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska

Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology, Concentration in Exercise Science

May 2009

Minor in Sociology

Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona

Clinical Experience:

Methodist Hospital, Omaha, NE

January 2014-April 2014

Student Physical Therapist

- Evaluated, examined and treated patients in an outpatient and inpatient hospital setting under the supervision of a licensed physical therapist
- Established patient's physical therapy goals and developed a plan of care in order to meet these specific goals

Community Rehab, Omaha, NE

August 2013-December 2013

Student Physical Therapist

- Performed physical therapy treatments on patients in an outpatient setting, under the supervision of a license physical therapist
- Developed a patient's plan of care under the supervision of a licensed physical therapist in order to meet the patient's physical therapy goals

Douglas County Hospital, Alexandria, MN

April 2013-May 2013

Student Physical Therapist

- Evaluated and treated patients in a hospital and outpatient setting, under the supervision of a license physical therapist
- Documented patient's daily treatment and develop plan of care under the supervision of a licensed physical therapist

Hopp Physical Therapy, Council Bluffs, Iowa

November 2012-December 2012

Student Physical Therapist

- Provided patient's quality PT treatment and education under the supervision of the Physical Therapist
- Performed manual therapy techniques, stretching, modalities, and therapeutic exercise interventions on patient under the supervision of the physical therapist

Hillcrest Physical Therapy, Bellevue, Nebraska

August 2012-August 2012

Student Physical Therapist

- Initiated the patient's treatment, e.g. modalities, warm-up, etc., under the supervision of the physical therapist
- multitasked efficiently and professionally by providing assistance to patients and clients

Clinical Work Experience:

Excel Physical Therapy, Papillion, Nebraska

August 2009-Present

Physical Therapy Technician

- Provide assistance in physical therapy treatments to patients and clients
- Begin patient's treatment in terms of modalities and exercises under the supervision of a physical therapist
- Communicate treatment plans with patients, family members, doctors, and other medical professionals

Physical Therapy Clinic Secretary

January 2012-July 2012

- Schedule patients; perform routine office work, and perform insurance verification

The Orthopedic Clinic Association, Tempe, Arizona

August 2008- July 2009

Physical Therapy Technician

- Motivated and assisting multiple patients at a time with their exercises, stretching, etc
- Assisted front desk with scheduling patient appointments, insurance intake paper work, and routine office work

Observational Experience:

Foothills Sports Medicine Physical Therapy, Phoenix, Arizona

January 2008-May 2008

- Assisted Physical Therapists with patient set-ups, tractions, message, stretching, exercises, etc
- Filling outpatient medical forms, discharge office paper work, and insurance billing forms

Kinesis Physical Therapy, St. Cloud, Minnesota

January 2005-May 2005

- Assisted Physical Therapist by performing traction, messages, and stretches

Certifications:

- CPR/First Aid
- Department of Transportation Drug Screen Examiner
- Best Practices in using Electronic Health Records

Activities:

Community Service

- Volunteering in Physical Therapy Capacity:
 - Champion Rehabilitation
 - Country Manor Nursing Home rehabilitation/Physical Therapy clinic
- Additional Volunteering:
 - Habitat for Humanity
 - Seven Oaks Nursing Home
 - Metro Stars Gymnastics
 - Food Bank for the Heartland
 - Open Door Mission
 - Omaha Public Schools

Professional Development

- Attended and participated in Midwest PT Student Conclave, in Kansas City, Kansas – September 2012
- Geriatric Physical Therapy Organization
- Creighton University Student Physical Therapy Association
- American Physical Therapy Association
- Creighton University Physical Therapy Admission's Committee

Awards/Recognition

- Creighton University Physical Therapy Leadership Award - April 2013
- Creighton University Dean's List - Summer 2013