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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Lincoln Medical Center (PAGNY) (October 2021-Present)

Bronx, NY

Neurosurgery-Physician Assistant (Per Diem)

- Involved in care of Neurosurgery patients in MICU, SICU, medical floors and clinic.
- Assist with bedside procedures, such as management of external ventricular drains and lumbar puncture, wound checks/dressing changes.
- Perform consults on Emergency Department and in-patient floor patients.
- Manage daily care of inpatients-writing progress notes on EMR, rounding with Neurosurgery team and attending.
- Evaluating patients in Neurosurgery clinic-performing History and Physicals, placing outpatient order sets, and ordering appropriate consults when indicated.
- Ordering and interpreting diagnostic tests-bloodwork, MRI and CT scans
- Completing discharge planning and care coordination with other teams, initiating pre operative orders and supporting patient and family teaching in regards to care plans.

Allied Healthcare Physicians (October 2019-March 2022)

New York, NY

Internal Medicine-Physician Assistant

- Responsible for all aspects of patient care at multiple assisted living facilities.
- Treating patients for acute and chronic illnesses as needed.
- Monthly medications reviews for patients, following up on lab work and adjusting care as needed.
- Administering vaccines as needed.
- Communicating with patients families regarding health issues, end of life wishes, care plans etc.
- Managed patients throughout COVID-19 pandemic, determining which patients needed to be quarantined, hospitalized etc.
- Conducting telemedicine visits, remotely diagnosing and treating patients, reviewing lab results and refilling/prescribing medications.

RLD Medical (September 2018-November 2019)

New York, NY

Internal Medicine-Physician Assistant

- Responsible for all aspects of patient care throughout the building.
- Treating patients for acute and chronic illnesses as needed.
- Monthly medications reviews for all patients, following up on lab work and adjusting care as needed
- Managing nurses, LPNs and CNAs on the floor to ensure that orders and treatment plans are implemented in a timely fashion
- Communicating with patients families regarding health issues, end of life wishes, care plans etc.
- Working with social workers to ensure that patients are stable for discharge and have appropriate home care set up.
- Attending dietary meetings to review nutrition issues, such as sudden weight loss, spikes in blood sugars and excessive weight gain.
- Communicating with medical director as needed to determine changes to care plans.

Montefiore Medical Center (April 2018-September 2018)

Bronx, NY

Department of Vascular Surgery-Physician Assistant

- Involved in all aspects of patient care but was responsible primarily for Vascular consults throughout the hospital
- Ordered appropriate lab work, diagnostic studies, and referring patients for medical preoperative clearance as deemed necessary.
- Treated inpatient and ED patients, performing dressing/unna boot changes, staple/suture removal.
- Assisted with clinic patients, scheduled surgical cases, and ensured that patients receive preop education.
- Attended morning rounds with residents and assisted with dressing changes when needed

Weil Cornell Medical College/NY Presbyterian Hospital (March 2017-December 2017)

New York, NY

Department of Neurological Surgery-Physician Assistant

- Involved in all aspects of patient care but responsible primarily for the day to day operation of the Neurosurgeons' outpatient private practice.
- Managing surgeons' operative/clinical schedule.
- Answering all patient calls, assisting with all clinical concerns.
- Seeing patients on clinic days, scheduling surgical cases, ensuring that proper pre-op testing is arranged and sent to operative suite staff.
- Attending Neurovascular Conferences and ensuring that patients presented receive appropriate follow up care.

- Assisting patients with all post-operative needs, including clinical questions and FMLA forms.

Mount Sinai Hospital (June 2016-November 2016)

New York, NY

Thoracic Surgery Department - Physician Assistant (Temporary)

- Work closely with surgeon (Dr. Lee) to ensure practice runs smoothly.
- Responsible for seeing clinic patients, writing H&Ps and assisting with minor in-clinic procedures (suture/staple removal, PleurX drain removal).
- Answering calls from patients and assisting them with any questions, concerns or medical needs (refills, forms etc.)
- Preparing pre-op packets for surgical patients, with all pertinent information needed by surgeons and fellows.

Lutheran Medical Center (July 2013-Dec 2013)

Brooklyn, NY

Department of Neurology (Temp Position)-Physician Assistant

- Respond to emergency stroke pages, ensuring that patients receive diagnostic tests in a timely fashion.
- Write consults, H&Ps, rounding with physicians and ensuring orders are correct for inpatients.
- Assist with administration of TPA, worked closely with Neurointerventional team to send patients for thrombectomy as needed.

Queens Hospital Center (May 2011-Dec 2014)

Jamaica, NY

Department of

General Surgery-Physician Assistant

- First assist with vascular OR/IR cases.
- Perform preoperative/postoperative history and physicals on patients in the General Surgery, Orthopedic, Colorectal, Vascular, and Breast surgery clinics, in addition to scheduling patients for surgery and colonoscopies.
- Order appropriate lab work, diagnostic studies, and referring patients for medical preoperative clearance as deemed necessary.
- Treat patients postoperatively, performing dressing/unna boot changes, drain removal/changes, staple/suture removal.
- Assist with minor outpatient procedures, such as I&D of abscesses, rigid sigmoidoscopy, breast cyst aspiration, and cast-placement/removal.
- Attend morning rounds with fellow PAs, and House Staff, writing notes on surgical inpatients and assisting with dressing changes when needed.

Queens Hospital Center (December 2011-July 2013)

Jamaica, NY

Department of Cardiology (Per Diem)-Physician Assistant

- Perform history and physicals on patients in the Cardiology clinic.
- Order appropriate lab work, diagnostic studies, and prescribing/adjusting medications.
- Refer patients as needed for Stress tests, Echocardiograms and follow-ups with other specialty clinics.
- Educate patients on the importance of complying with all treatments as well as disease management.

EDUCATION

Touro College - BS Physician Assistant Studies, March 2010
Adelphi University - BS Biology, August 2007
Brooklyn Technical H.S. - NYS Regents Diploma, June 2002

Bayshore, NY
 Garden City, NY
 Brooklyn, NY

Adelphi University
Brooklyn Technical

VOLUNTEER WORK

VA Hospital

St. Alban's, NY

Spent time reading to residents, organizing games and various social activities

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

NCCPA Certified Physician Assistant
 NYS Physician Assistant License
 ACLS/BLS Certification
 EPIC Electronic Medical Record