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Neuro Restorative; Tyler, TX - Occupational Therapist; February, 2022-present

- Evaluate and treat patients in inpatient and outpatient Neuro setting
- COTA supervision and communication to carry out plans of care
- Work as part of a care team with PT, ST, case management, nursing, and social work to provide appropriate care, discharge planning and resources.

University of Texas At Tyler; Tyler, TX- Occupational Therapy Program Lab Assistant; September, 2019-Present

- Assist with teaching in hands on lab experiences for Occupational Therapy Bridge Program
- Assist with grading assignments in assigned classes
- Act as a resource for students, answering questions and providing guidance as needed with classwork.

Encompass Health; Tyler, TX- Occupational Therapist; August, 2019-June, 2022

- Evaluate and treat patients in inpatient rehab setting
- Manage time effectively while maintaining company metrics.
- COTA supervision, providing direction as needed to carry out plans of care
- Work as part of greater care team of therapists, case managers, doctors and nursing staff to ensure high level of care and appropriate discharge planning

Reliant Rehabilitation: Reunion Plaza/ Waterton Plaza; Tyler, TX- Occupational Therapist; May,2019- July, 2019

- Screen, evaluate and treat patients in skilled nursing and outpatient settings
- Manage time effectively while maintaining company wide metrics and overseeing OT practice at three skilled nursing facilities.
- Supervise COTA staff, providing direction as needed to ensure continuity of care and adherence to plan of care
- Maintain effective channels of communication with patients, therapy staff, and nursing staff in order to coordinate care and discharge planning

Therapy Management Corporation: Reunion Plaza/Waterton Plaza; Tyler, TX- Occupational Therapist; April, 2015-May, 2019

- Screen, evaluate and treat patients in skilled nursing and outpatient settings
- Manage time effectively while maintaining company wide metrics and overseeing OT practice at three skilled nursing facilities.
- Supervise COTA staff, providing direction as needed to ensure continuity of care and adherence to plan of care
- Assisted in company start ups and training new evaluating staff on documentation
- Maintain effective channels of communication with patients, therapy staff, and nursing staff in order to coordinate care and discharge planning

Advanced Travel Therapy- Occupational Therapist; September, 2014-April,2015

- Screened, evaluated and treated patients in skilled nursing and home health settings.
- Supervised COTA staff, providing direction as needed to ensure positive patient outcomes

New Ulm Medical Center, New Ulm MN- Level II Fieldwork; March 2014-May 2014

- Under supervision of OTR, evaluated and treated patients in outpatient rehab, home health, inpatient acute, and inpatient psychiatric settings.

Metro Therapy Special Children's Clinic; Fridley, MN- Level II Fieldwork; January, 2014-March,2014

- Under supervision of OTR, evaluated and treated patients in outpatient pediatric setting with emphasis on intervention in Autism and Sensory Processing Disorders

Professional Licenses and Certifications

- Licensed Occupational Therapist State of Texas, 2014-Present
- American Heart Association CPR/AED/1st Aid Certified
- Dementia Capable Care Provider December, 2017

Education

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Master of Occupational Therapy, 2014
Concordia University, Seward Nebraska; Bachelor of Science Behavioral Science, 2007

Publications

Cage, SA; Brown, DP; Warner, BJ, Gallegos, DM; **Cage, HM**. (2022). Attitudes and Usage of Facemasks During the Covid-19 Pandemic Among Occupational Therapy Professionals in Texas. *Internet Journal of Allied Health Sciences and Practice*. 20(1).

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