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# **Education**

05/07-06/09 Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies

University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

08/02-05/06 Bachelor's of Science: Biology, Pre-Professional Studies

Mesa State College, Grand Junction, CO

Magna Cum Laude

### **Certifications**

07/2009 NCCPA Certification 10/2012 ACLS Provider, every two years

05/2014 ATLS, every four years 11/2012 BLS, every two years

2018 Teaching Scholars – Medical Education

## Clinical/Work/ Professional Experience

## 10/2016 – Present University of Iowa Emergency Room

Evaluate and treat patients in the Emergency Room. Perform wound care, suturing, Incision and drainage. Splinting/casting, reduction of orthopedic injuries. Epistaxis management, trauma and critical care. Intubation, central line placement, chest tube placement. Evaluate radiologic testing and perform bedside ultrasound. Remove foreign bodies. Many other procedures and modalities of care as credentialed to perform. This is a 50% position.

#### 01/2010–Present East Central Iowa Acute Care

Evaluate and treat patients in the Emergency departments at urban and critical access hospitals. Perform wound care, suturing, Incision and drainage. Splinting/casting, reduction of orthopedic injuries. Epistaxis management, trauma and critical care. Intubation, central line placement, chest tube placement. Evaluate radiologic testing and perform bedside ultrasound. Remove foreign bodies. Many other procedures and modalities of care as credentialed to perform. I am often the sole provider at the Critical access Hospital.

# 07/2009-2016 University of Iowa Community Medical Services – QuickCare

**Lead Advanced Practice Provider** (8/2011-6/2016) Iowa City/Coralville/North Liberty/Muscatine, IA

Oversee orientation and training of new Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners. Carry out administrative tasks as requested by Medical Director, CEO, CFO, and Clinic Supervisor.

Organize and update protocols and processes to improve clinic flow/efficiency/safety.

Evaluate patients in six walk-in locations. Basic History and Physical assessments to diagnose and treat acute health concerns. Perform minor sutures, incision and drainage, and necessary injections. I resigned to move into the UIHC Emergency Department.

2015-Jan 2016 Self Employed/PA Services

Contracted PA services, such as DOT physicals.

CJ Cooper Inc., performing DOT physicals 5-15 hours/month.

# Health Care Organizations /Leadership Experiences/Service

| 2006-present                 | AAPA (American Academy of Physician Assistants) member   |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| 2019-2021                    | AAPA Standing Rules Committee for the House of Delegates   |  |  |  |
| 2009,12,17,19                | currently rewriting all rules to apply to virtual meetings AAPA Reference Committee Member for the House of Delegates                              |  |  |  |
| 2010-Present<br>2010<br>2013 | AAPA House of Delegates representative on behalf of the Iowa PA Society representing UI PA Program  AAPA – Task Force on Communication Improvement |  |  |  |
| 2007-present                 | IPAS (Iowa Physician Assistant Society) – Member   |  |  |  |
| 2017-2020                    | IPAS - President   |  |  |  |
| 2009-present                 | IPAS - Legislative Committee Member  |  |  |  |
| 2013-present                 | IPAS - Fall CME Committee Member/Chair 2019&20   |  |  |  |
| 2010-2013                    | IPAS - President   |  |  |  |
| 2008-2012                    | GLMA (Gay and Lesbian Medical Association) - Member  |  |  |  |
| 2015-2016                    | GLMA – Policy Committee  |  |  |  |
| 2007-present                 | LBGTQPA (Lesbian, bisexual, gay, transgender, and Queer) Caucus of the AAPA – Member   |  |  |  |
| 2010-2013                    | LBGTQPA Board - Treasurer  |  |  |  |
| 2009-2013                    | LBGTQPA – Legislative Affairs Committee member   |  |  |  |
| 2010-2013                    | New Song Episcopal Church Vestry – Board of directors, Property Warden, Growth Committee   |  |  |  |
| 2009                         | AMSA/GLMA National Summit Participant (position selected)  |  |  |  |
| 2009                         | HOD (House of Delegates) student representative for University of Iowa at National AAPA conference   |  |  |  |
| 2008                         | AOR (Assembly of the Representatives) student representative for University of Iowa at National AAPA conference                                    |  |  |  |
| Awards                       |  |  |  |  |

# <u>Awards</u>

| 2009 | Dennis R Oliver Biochemistry Award                             |
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| 2017 | Pi alpha National Honor Society, University of Iowa PA Program |
| 2020 | University of Iowa, You Make a Difference Award                |

# Education/Research/Writing/Talks

| 2020         | Leadership and Advocacy   |
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|              | IPAS fall virtual CME. A talk looking at various ways PAs can be leaders in their profession.                             |
| 2020         | Early clinical Experience (ECE)   |
|              | Introducing an early medical learner from the Carver College of Medicine to clinical practice.                            |
| 2017-21      | UI PA Program Volunteering  |
|              | participating in interviews, observing Clinical skills, suture work shop, physical exam skills.                           |
| 2019         | Student Workshop  |
|              | 4 hour seminar at state PA conference. I helped organize the speakers, monitored the workshop                             |
|              | and provided a lecture.   |
| 2019         | PAs and Politics  |
|              | PA policy and advocacy as part of Dubuque University PA curriculum  |
| 2019         | Optimal Team Practice   |
|              | Updating and informing PAs about OTP and how we plan to achieve this goal.  |
| 2016-19/2021 | Professional Communication Skills   |
|              | Small group facilitator for Carver College of Medicine  |
| 2018         | Suture Workshop   |
|              | 90 minute workshop for IPAS Fall Conference, aided by UI PA Program Faculty   |
| 2017/2019    | Contract Negotiation Presentation   |
|              | Given, initially as part of my PA graduation requirement followed by student work shops at the                            |
|              | Iowa PA Society Fall Educational conference.  |
| 2017         | Legislative Round Table   |
| • • • •      | discussions to assess IPAS members' interest and legislative goals.   |
| 2017         | Optimal Team Practice   |
| 2014         | A talk, informing PAs and students about the new direction of our profession  |
| 2014-current | Clinical Preceptor  |
|              | Precept 2-5 PA students for 160 hours per student in Emergency Medicine for University of Iowa                            |
|              | Carver College of medicine. I also have PA students from other programs in a less consistent                              |
| 2015 2016    | manner, estimated to be 8 hours/month.  |
| 2015-2016    | Life Guard Air Ambulance – Education  |
|              | Education committee member, Assisting Medical Director  |
|              | Talks/education provided include:   |
|              | Oxygen use in the pre-hospital setting  RSI medication review; Ketamine and Rocuronium – Should they become the standard? |
|              | Finger Thoracostomy. Does it have a place in the Pre-hospital setting?  |
| 09/2013      | Trigger Point Injections  |
| 09/2013      | Workshop and lecture for IPAS CME conference  |
| 01/2012      | How to Talk to a Legislator   |
| 01/2012      | Given initially to DMU PA students. The talk has been used for Lobby Day preparation for other                            |
|              | students and professionals.   |
| 12/2017      | University of Iowa PA Program   |
| 12/2017      | Graduation Ceremony Guest speaker   |
| 08/2017      | University of Iowa PA Program   |
| 00/2017      | White Coat Ceremony speech  |
| 06/2012      | University of Iowa PA Program   |
| 00/2012      | White Coat Ceremony speech  |
| 06/2009      | University of Iowa PA Program   |
|              | Graduation Speaker; Selected by peers and faculty   |
|              | White Coat Ceremony for incoming class.   |
| 05/2009      | LGBT Health Educations and Programming  |
|              | Presentation at American Academy of Physician Assistant National Conference   |
| 09/2008      | Suicide (mental health disparities among minority populations)  |
|              | Master Thesis; Power point presentation, Research analysis  |
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