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LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

Licensed Master of Social Work, State of Texas
License number: 67898

August 31, 2022 – August 31, 2024

Basic Life Support (BLS), American Heart Association

December 2021 – December 2023

EXPERIENCE

Cook Children's Medical Center, Fort Worth, TX

Palliative Care Social Worker

April 2022 - September 2022

- Developed and implemented in-depth biopsychosocial assessments to determine gaps in care, relevant community resources, coping strategies, and to provide support to the entire family unit
- Provided case management for medically complex children
- Collaborated with interdisciplinary team and relevant hospice agencies to provide resources, improve quality of life, and encourage family engagement
- Provided person-centered, trauma-informed supportive counseling and anticipatory guidance to parents of children with life-limiting and terminal illnesses

Cardiac Intensive Care and Step-Down Social Worker

January 2020 - April 2022

- Completed biopsychosocial assessments within 24 hours of admission
- Assisted families with children with heart defects navigate the non-medical side of hospitalizations
- Daily rounds with interdisciplinary medical team
- Discharge planning in collaboration with an RN case manager and Heart Center discharge coordinators
- Assisted with resources to promote stability for each patient's home life

Texas Children's Hospital, Houston, TX

August 2018 - April 2019

Social Work Intern

- Conducted psychosocial assessments and needs assessments for children with cystic fibrosis
- Collaborated and communicated with a multidisciplinary medical team to advocate for patients
- Identified and empowered patient's understanding and compliance towards own health
- Identified barriers to accessing health care to determine and connect with appropriate resources
- Provided emotional support, supportive counseling, problem-solving, referrals, and crisis intervention

The Monarch School and Institute, Houston, TX

September 2017 - May 2018

Social Work Intern

- Facilitated group and one-on-one therapy
- Provided crisis intervention
- Exhibited a therapeutic presence in classrooms and tutoring sessions

AIG, Houston, TX

May 2015 - April 2017

Foreign Casualty Underwriting Technician

- Provided case management for large international accounts
- Managed policy renewals and provided account management services to ensure client satisfaction
- Communicated with brokers, clients, and underwriters for continuity of services, data collection, and to mitigate gaps in coverage

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- Documentation in Epic (EMR/EHR) and familiarity with telehealth platforms and Microsoft Suite
- Advocacy, empowerment, and motivational interviewing
- Empathy and passion for promoting health
- Strong combination of clinical and interpersonal skills
- Commitment to improving patient outcomes and experiences

EDUCATION

Master of Social Work

University of Houston

Houston, TX

May 2019

Bachelor of Arts in Music, Magna Cum Laude

Syracuse University

Syracuse, NY

May 2014