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Clinical Pharmacist



Professional Summary

An experienced clinical pharmacist with high level of accuracy, excellent communication and management skills seeks an opportunity to apply my skills and advanced knowledge to the clinical pharmacist position at your hospital.



Work History

Junior Clinical Pharmacist

Renai Medicity, Ernakulam, Kerala

- Participating in clinical rounds with other healthcare professionals, Assessing and documenting the medication reconciliation at the time of admission and discharge, Auditing and reporting of medication errors. Monitoring and reporting of adverse drug reactions, auditing of narcotics prescriptions and stock, Counseling of patients at the time of discharge, Using accurate resources to provide drug information services, Collecting and analyzing the data in the Antibiotic Stewardship program, Active participation in the patient safety committee and Organizing and training the other pharmacy professionals.

Clinical Pharmacist Trainee

Amala Institute of Medical Sciences, Thrissur, Kerala

- Detected and reported the medication errors and drug-drug interactions by the keen auditing of out patient prescriptions and inpatient case records.
- Adverse drug reaction monitoring, reporting, and



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Skills

Clinical skills:
Medication audit, ADR monitoring, Antibiotic Stewardship, Patient counselling

Computer skills: MS Word, MS Excel, and MS PowerPoint

Software knowledge: IBM Micromedex solutions, Graphpad Prism 8.0, and IBM Cognos Business Intelligence.

General skills: Organizational skills, Problem solving skills, Good communication skills, and Creative thinking.



Languages

English, Malayalam, Tamil

2021-05-
Current

2021-03-
2021-05

documentation under the proper guidance of pharmacovigilance associate at adverse drug monitoring center in the hospital.

- Actively participating in the hospital antibiotic stewardship programs by interpreting the microbiological culture reports and relevant clinical data to ensure the good clinical outcome.

2019-12-
2020-12

Pharm D Intern

Government Headquarters Hospital, Erode, TamilNadu

- Done significant quicker interventions on drug therapies during ward round participation using standard treatment guidelines and IBM Micromedex applications (IVCompatibility, Drug reference and Drug interactions).



Education

2014-09-
20202

Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD)

J K K Nattraja College of Pharmacy-
Kumarapalayam, TamilNadu

- Graduated Pharm D with an aggregate percentage of **83.56%** from The TamilNadu Dr. MGR Medical University.



Conferences

- Attended two days seminar on **"Clinical pharmacist: advancing pharmacy practice and patient care"** and presented a paper on **"A study on relative effects of second generation antipsychotics on metabolic disturbances in psychiatric patients"**, in 2018 held by Indian congress of pharmacy practice and Indian association of colleges of pharmacy at Novotel convention center, Hyderabad.
- Attended two days seminar on **"connecting pharmaceutical sciences and knowledge advancement"** and presented a paper on **"Non-**

pharmacological approach to manage obesity in postpartum women" in 2017 held by pharmaceutical sciences congress at Ramaiah University, Bangalore.



Courses

- February 2021- March 2021: Successfully participated in the **open WHO** course on Antimicrobial stewardship: A Competency- Based Approach.
- January 2021- February 2021: Successfully completed the Introduction to Pharmacovigilance- the course by **Uppsala Monitoring Centre**.
- August 2020- September 2020: Understanding Clinical Research: Behind the Statistics an online non- credit course authorized by **University of Cape Town**.
- March 2019- April 2019: **IBM CE**-Fundamentals courses in business intelligence using IBM Cognos.



Publications

- Published a research article on "**An assessment of the prevalence of drug utilization patterns of antihypertensive drugs**" ,in Journal of the Social Sciences, Prinses Beatrixlaan, Kempston, Kuwait.
- Published a research article on "**Prevalence of tobacco users and creating awareness on smoking cessation among the smokers in a rural area**" , in Journal of the Social Sciences, Prinses Beatrixlaan, Kempston, Kuwait.
- Published a review article on "**A review on metabolic syndrome linked to depression**" , in Journal of the Social Sciences, Prinses Beatrixlaan, Kempston, Kuwait.

