

OBJECTIVE:Entry-level position as a **Physical Therapist**

Dedicated and patient-focused candidate completing the University of Illinois Ph.D. program in Physical Therapy. Highly trained in identifying and maximizing quality of life and movement potential within the spheres of promotion, prevention, treatment/intervention, habilitation and rehabilitation. Active member of APTA. Bilingual candidate, conversant in Spanish. Software skills include Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint.

EDUCATION**Doctor of Physical Therapy Program** ▪ University of Illinois – Chicago, IL ▪ Expected July 2009**Bachelor of Science – Neuroscience** ▪ Loyola University – Chicago, IL ▪ 2003

- Minor in Spanish - Studied in Cordoba, Spain
 - Member - Delta Gamma Tau Sorority
 - President - Inter-Greek Council
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INTERNSHIPS AND CLERKSHIPS**Physical Therapy Internships**

- Memorial Hospital, Pediatric Out/In-Patient Care ▪ Chicago, IL ▪ Jan. 2009 – Mar. 2009
- St. Peter's Rehabilitation Hospital, Acute Care – Springfield, IL ▪ Jan. 2008 – Mar. 2008
- Aurora Medical Center, Transitional Care Unit – Aurora, IL ▪ Nov. 2007 – Jan. 2008

Physical Therapy Clerkships

- Sacred Heart Pro Bono Clinic, Outpatient – Springfield, IL ▪ Jan. 2007 – May 2007
 - Aurora Medical Center, Outpatient – Aurora, IL ▪ Aug. 2006 – Dec. 2006
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VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**Student Physical Therapist (Volunteer)**

Sacred Heart Clinic – Springfield, IL ▪ May 2007 – July 2007

- Offered support in the treatment of patients under the PT plan of care in the outpatient physical therapy clinic.
- Monitored performance of the PT in clinical records maintenance and discharge planning.
- Assisted in obtaining equipment for patients as needed.

Physical Therapy Aide (Volunteer)

Memorial Hospital – Chicago, IL ▪ Nov. 2005 – Jan. 2006

- Assisted the Physical Therapist in carrying out therapeutic programs to maximize patient functional capabilities in an inpatient rehabilitation setting.
- Participated in teaching programs and monitoring activities.

Physical Therapy Aide (Volunteer)

Newton Rehabilitation Services – Chicago, IL ▪ Jul. 2005 – Oct. 2005

- Provided support and assistance in implementing PT plans of care for outpatient adult and pediatric therapy.
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EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Regional Account Manager ▪ Critical Healthcare Services, Incorporated – Skokie, IL ▪ May 2004 – Aug. 2007

Seasonal Clerk ▪ Diner's International – Skokie, IL ▪ 2000 - 2004