Maurice Ortiz

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**Objective:** Physical Therapist Assistant seeking employment where I can utilize and excel in the administering of interventions for the well-being of my patients.

**Highlights:**

* Graduated with 3.5 GPA
* Bilingual (Spanish)
* BLS Certified

**Education:**

Associate of Science Degree in Physical Therapist Assistant, 2017

Concorde Career Institute – Miramar, FL

Licensed Massage Therapist, 2011

Florida Career College – Miami, FL

**Clinical Experience:**

**Spectracare** - Outpatient Clinic

Physical Therapist Assistant Student (Completed 240 hours)

Diagnosis Treated- Chronic Pain, Scoliosis, Lower Back Pain, IT Band friction syndrome, Peripheral neuropathy, VMO Weakness, Parkinson’s disease, CP, Plantar Aponeurosis, COPD, cervical spondylosis, Orthopedic pre/post-operative care, sport related injuries, personal injuries, cervical mobs, patella mobs, shoulder mobs, knee mobs.

**Manor Pines** - Inpatient Clinic

Physical Therapist Assistant Student (Completed 240 hours)

Diagnosis Treated- Lymphedema, Stroke, CVA, Pneumonia, CHF, CABG, post recovery heart surgery interventions with sternal precautions, ataxia, general weakness, fatigue.

**Advance Therapy Works -** Outpatient clinic

Physical Therapist Assistant Student (Completed 240 hours)

Diagnosis Treated- Orthopedic pre/ post-operative care, soft tissue massage, gait training, TBI, rheumatoid arthritis, bursitis, lateral epicondylitis, Lumbar Spinal stenosis, Adhesive Capsulitis, CVA, Patellar femoral Syndrome, Chondromalacia Patella, Rotator Cuff Tear, Vertigo.

**Additional Skills and Work History:**

Security Management Innovations / 7 Years employed – Miami International Airport

U.S Army Veteran / 4 years active service – Honorable Discharge

 References Available Upon Request

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Dear Employer, I am writing to apply for the available position of Physical Therapist Assistant. My experience includes working as a student physical therapist assistant on three clinical rotations for a total of 720 hours on private orthopedic settings, and on a skilled nursing facility setting. I have enormous passion to learn as well as to become part of a team that will make me a better Physical Therapist Assistant.

I have experienced and treated multiple patients that have orthopedic injuries as well as pre/post-surgical therapy to rehabilitate conditions that affect function and movement on the body. My practice focuses on assisting patients in reducing pain while improving function and ADLs. I enjoy treating patients and following the plan of care written by the physical Therapist to help the patients reach their goals. I have knowledge of anatomy and physiology prior to obtaining a degree as a PTA working as a Licensed Massage Therapist and getting hands on experience with soft tissue and manual therapy.

I have excellent communication skills as well as dealing with the public. In addition, my fluency in Spanish has served to aid in professional and community settings. I have successfully balanced my classwork and responsibilities as well as accelerated in my ability to multi task while working on an outpatient orthopedic setting handling three to five patients an hour. I believe that by being hired to work in your organization I will be able to use my passion and skills to make direct and meaningful contributions. Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to hearing from you soon so that we may further discuss how my skills and abilities as a PTA and LMT are aligned with the PTA position available.

Sincerely,

PTA Maurice Ortiz