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**PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY:**

* A dynamic, adaptive and competent Registered Medical Technologist with more than 2 years medical technologist experience in the Philippines.
* Certified Direct Sputum Smear Microscopist with certificates from National External Quality Assessment Scheme and Philippine Council for Quality Assurance in Clinical Laboratories.
* Attended Basic Life Support and Advanced Cardiocvascular Support programs under the American Safety and Health Institute and American Heart Association standards.
* Highly focused on the welfare and safety of the patients and act as an advocate in provision of interventions adhering to the Medical Technologists Code of Ethics and Patient’s Code of Rights
* Good communication skills and works independently with a strong sense of leadership
* Hardworking and flexible, and able to adapt easily to change of environment and work schedules.

**PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST CERTIFICATION:**

* **American Society of Clinical Pathologist International Medical Laboratory Scientist 10460**

**January 16, 2019** valid until December 31, 2019

* **Professional Regulation Commission, Philippines Registered Medical Technologist 0066112**

December 4, 2014 valid until October 19, 2020

* **American Safety and Health Institute Advanced Cardiac Life Support NC 20162723**

February 5, 2019 valid until February 5, 2021

* **American Safety and Health Institute Basic Life Support (CPR and AED) NC 20162723**

February 4, 2019 valid until February 5, 2021

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:**

* **Tertiary: Bachelor in Medical Laboratory Science**

**San Pedro College – Davao City** Davao City, Philippines 8000

Academic year: June 2010 to March 2014

**PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST EXPERIENCE:**

* **March 2016 to May 2018 Senior Medical Technologists – Lab ng Bayan Corporation**

Davao City, Dvao del Sur, Philippines

1. Performs chemical and serological analysis on bodily fluids like serum, plasma, and microscopical analysis on sperm, urine and whole blood.
2. Conducts phlebotomy with as much as minimal pain and excellent patient care.
3. Analyzes blood counts and performs differential counting manually to verify the flagging of automated machines.
4. Maintains laboratory equipment by performing weekly or monthly calibration maintenance on machines like analyzers, spectrophotometers and general laboratory equipment. Calls in engineers when machines malfunction.
5. Maintain inventory of laboratory supplies and files advance orders when the supplies are low.
6. Updates procedure manuals, making changes to improve accuracy and speed.
7. Train and supervise other technicians, instructing them in the protocols and equipment
8. Attends courses and trainings that are being sponsored by the Philippines’ Department of Health
9. Works professionally with fellow medical technologists, keeping in mind the core values of healthcare – passion, expertise, respect and care, which are essential in the management of the patient.
10. Maintains an enjoyable environment to work despite the high volume number of patients.

* **November 2014 to September 2015 Chief Medical Technologist – MMCDSI**

Mindanao Medical Clinics and Diagnostic Services Inc.

Davao City, Davao del Sur, Philippines 8000

1. In charge with the renewal of the laboratory’s license and certifications
2. Complies whatever the laboratory lacks to meet with the Philippines’ Department of Health inspection standards.
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8. Updates procedure manuals, making changes to improve accuracy and speed
9. Participates in the creation and revision of the laboratory’s policies to ensure quality medical technologist service is provided

**PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST DEVELOPMENT:**

* **February 5, 2019 Cardiovascular Pharmacology**

Nursing Center for Clinical Lab. Experience, Inc.

Manila, Philippines

* **February 4, 2019 Electrical Therapy: Defibrillation and Cardioversion**

Nursing Center for Clinical Lab. Experience, Inc.

Manila, Philippines

* **February 4, 2019 Basic Electrocardiography**

Nursing Center for Clinical Lab. Experience, Inc.

Manila, Philippines

* **September 26-28, 2017 Philippine Council for Quality Assurance in Clinical Laboratories**

**14th Annual Convention**

Crowne Plaza Manila, Philippines

* **November 17-21, 2014 Direct Sputum Smear Microscopy for Medical Technologist**

Department of Health Regional Health Office XI, Davao City

Philippines 8000

**PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES:**

Available upon request.