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Date of birth: 01 Nov 1990

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About me

Energetic and patient-focused physician with DOH/DHA/MOH registration as a General Practitioner and postgraduate studies in Internal Medicine. I have over 8 years of clinical experience, including 4 years as an internist, with expertise in different setups including Emergency, ICU, wards and cardiac clinics. I have plenty of experience in diagnosing and managing different kind of simple to complex, life-threatening conditions. I am skilled in difficult airway management, resuscitation, and critical care (ACLS, BLS, PALS certified). As motivated team player, I excel under pressure and have extensive experience collaborating with multidisciplinary teams to achieve positive patient outcomes.

Work experiences

Emergency General practitioner (MOH) -----November 2024 - Present

(Tahani medical center, Ajman, UAE)

Internal Medicine Specialist -----January, 2021 – November, 2024

(University of Gondar Specialized Hospital, ETHIOPIA)

- Serve as Clinical Coordinator of internal medicine/emergency department for the past 1.5 years
- Establish emergency department in collaboration with emergency specialists
- Trained for POCUS ultrasound and doing bedside echocardiography.
- Dealing and managing patients in different setups including ICU, Emergency and wards.
- Ordering appropriate investigation for specific diseases entity.
- Conducted daily ward rounds, teaching and providing hands-on skill training for residents/interns, and mentored healthcare professionals.
- Monitor and interpret vital signs, lab results, ABG analysis, and troubleshoot ventilator settings
- Handled medical and surgical emergencies using ACLS, ATLS, and difficult airway management protocols
- Performed critical care procedures: central line placement, arterial line insertion, intubation, needle thoracotomy.
- Offer specialized consultations to medical students and internal medicine residents
- Integrate research findings into patient care to enhance practices.
- Good clinical experience in treating and counselling patients at inpatient and follow up clinics.
- Appropriate medical recording with EMR system
- Monitor regular activities in medical ICU, general wards and follow-up clinics (as a coordinator)
- Excellent interpersonal, leadership skills and team player.
- Publishing different researches in international journals.

Internal Medicine Resident-----November, 2017 – January, 2021

(University of Gondar Specialized Hospital, ETHIOPIA)

- Trained and complete three years of Residency program where I acquired the skills of managing patients in ICU, emergency, inpatient, and outpatient settings.

Emergency:

- Manage emergencies and critical cases in the emergency department.
- Conducted rapid assessments, triage, and stabilization of patients in acute distress.
- Performed various emergency procedures, and initiated resuscitation protocols.
- Collaborated with emergency physicians and specialists to ensure timely and appropriate care.
- Developed excellent decision-making skills in high-pressure situations.
- Handled multiple surgical and medical emergencies, ACLS, ATLS, BLS, numerous successful Endotracheal intubations, surgical airways, chest tube insertion FAST.

Intensive Care Unit (ICU)

- Conduct thorough assessments, craft personalized care plans, and track patient progress.
- Monitor and interpret vital signs, lab results, ABG analysis, and troubleshoot ventilator settings.
- Perform various procedures, including intubation, central line placement, arterial line insertion, and ultrasound scans.
- Work well in multidisciplinary units together with residents, specialists and nurses.
- Well versed with ACLS, ATLS, BLS, chest Ultrasound, ECG interpretation.

Internal medicine ward

- Daily evaluation and round of admitted patients
- Monitor and consultation to junior internal medicine residents and interns
- Bedside procedures, Bone marrow, body fluid aspiration
- Organize multidisciplinary teams among different health professionals in the wards

General Practitioner-----October 2016 – November, 2017

(University of Gondar Specialized Hospital)

- Dialysis physician under supervision for 1 year
- worked in the emergency and internal medicine department with the highest patient satisfaction rate.
- Up-to-date clinical skills concerning accurate diagnosis, treatment plan, equipment, and procedures
- Comprehensive patient assessment and treatment.
- Medication prescription and administration to patients- Intravenous/ intramuscular/ subcutaneous
- Maintain up-to-date reports and records as per management
- Participate in medical quality improvement initiatives, in-service education programs, meetings, home visits

Paid Internship-----June, 2015 – July, 2016

(University of Gondar Referral and Specialized Hospital)

- Rotation in OB-GYN, Internal Medicine, Surgery and Pediatrics.

EDUCATION

- **Doctor Of Medicine (MD)** ----- October 2010 – September 2016
(University of Gondar college of medicine and health science)
- **Post graduate Degree- Internal Medicine specialist**-----November 2017- January 2021
(University of Gondar College of medicine and health science)
- **Pulmonology and critical care fellowship**-----Feb 2022 – September 2022-----**Drop out**
(Black Lion Hospital, Addis Ababa University College of medical science)

Skills

- Advanced critical care procedures (intubation, central line, ABG analysis).
- Emergency care and ECG interpretation and echocardiography interpretation.
- Excellent communication and teamwork.
- Proficient in EMR systems and medical charting.
- Strong organizational and time management skills.
- Excellent computer skills (Word processing, Spreadsheets, Microsoft Office, EMR, Email)

Certificates

- DHA/MOH/DOH General Practitioner License (UAE).
- Specialty Certificate in Internal Medicine – University of Gondar, Ethiopia
- Internal medicine specialist license----- Amhara health bureau, Ethiopia
- ACLS, BLS, PALS -----American Heart Association, Ethiopia office
- ECFMG Certified (USMLE Step 1 & 2) -----ECFMG
- National Diabetic Management Trainer-----Ethiopian Diabetic Association
- National Comprehensive HIV Care – CDC, Ethiopia.

Professional membership

- Ethiopian Medical Association, EMA
- Ethiopian Society of Internal Medicine, ESIM

Leadership activities

- Chief resident during postgraduate study in internal medicine -----January 2019- Dec 2020
- Clinical coordinator internal medicine department-----July 2023- present
- Executive member, Ethiopian medical association ----- February 2024- present

Language

- English (Advanced), Amharic (Mother Tongue), Arabic (beginner)

Voluntary activities

- Volunteered at Gondar city Covid-19 Isolation and Quarantine center by diagnosing, performing lifesaving critical care procedures and treatment, and giving training for the staff.
- Coordinate blood donation campaign at Gondar blood bank regularly
- MENA elderly supporting association..... Member

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