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Education

University of Nevada, Reno

Bachelor of Science in Biology | GPA: 3.7

Future Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) Student – University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV)
Program Beginning June 2026

Clinical Experience

Performance Physical Therapy (Outpatient Clinic) — Reno, NV

Physical Therapy Technician | 2025 – Present

- Assisted physical therapists in guiding patients through individualized rehabilitation exercises in a fast-paced outpatient clinic.
- Managed patient flow with new patients arriving approximately every 20 minutes while ensuring high-quality patient care.
- Maintained and sanitized rehabilitation equipment in accordance with clinic safety and hygiene standards.
- Assisted with patient documentation and updated treatment notes in patient charts.
- Answered patient calls and helped coordinate clinic operations and scheduling when needed.

Optimum Physical Therapy (Outpatient Clinic) — Reno & Carson City, NV

Physical Therapy Technician | Aug 2024 – Dec 2025

- Supported physical therapists during daily outpatient rehabilitation sessions, assisting dozens of patients each day.
- Built strong rapport with patients to create a positive and motivating recovery environment.
- Scheduled appointments and evaluations while managing front desk operations and patient communication.
- Answered phones, coordinated clinic communications, and assisted with administrative duties.
- Maintained clinic cleanliness and organization while ensuring equipment was sanitized and ready for patient use.

Volunteer & Observation Experience

University Medical Center (UMC Hospital) — Las Vegas, NV

Physical Therapy Observation / Volunteer Experience (Inpatient Setting) | June 2025 – Aug 2025

- Shadowed licensed physical therapists in an inpatient hospital environment while observing patient evaluations and treatment plans.
- Gained exposure to multiple hospital units including the burn unit, cardiovascular unit, trauma unit, and psychiatric ward.
- Assisted therapists with equipment transport including oxygen tanks, IV poles, and mobility equipment.
- Observed the daily workflow and responsibilities of inpatient physical therapists and how treatment plans adapt to different medical conditions.
- Interacted with patients to encourage participation and provide motivation during therapy sessions.

Work Experience

Cold Stone Creamery — Las Vegas, NV

Shift Leader / Ice Cream Server | 2021 – 2023

- Supervised staff during shifts to ensure smooth store operations and excellent customer service.
- Managed cashier operations and handled high-volume transactions accurately.
- Trained new employees and supported team members in a fast-paced environment.
- Maintained a positive customer experience by resolving concerns professionally.

Skills

- Clinical & Laboratory Skills
 - Laboratory techniques including pipetting and experimental procedures
 - Experience working in academic laboratory environments
 - Familiarity with patient charting and clinic documentation
- Computer Skills
 - Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Professional Skills
 - Patient communication and rapport building
 - Team leadership and collaboration
 - Time management in fast-paced clinical environments
 - Customer service and problem solving