KINESIOLOGY PRACTICUM DESCRIPTION

Practicum Position Title: Physiotherapy/Kinesiology Assistant

Industry/Company Description: Caleo Health

Location: Suite 200, 1402 8 Ave NW, Calgary, AB

Terms Available: Fall, Winter, or Spring

Specified Schedule: Within 9:00am - 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday

Number of Positions: 1

Project Duties/Responsibilities:

Caleo Health is a multidisciplinary clinic, which includes surgeons, physicians, physiatrists, neurologist, nurses, physiotherapists, chiropractors, kinesiologists, case managers, vocational specialists, and psychological consultants who are committed to provide the most comprehensive evaluation and management through the entire continuum of health care. Our rehabilitation team manages any musculoskeletal conditions and injuries, including sport injuries, motor vehicle accident, work place injury, chronic pain and rehabilitation post fracture, surgery or injection.

Under strict supervision of a physiotherapist and/or kinesiologist, the practicum student will:

• Assist with the creation of exercise programs for clients who have suffered injuries or have specific chronic conditions.
• Research what types of exercises are most effective.
• Supervise and interact with patients performing exercises in our gym area, including the rehabilitation equipment (treadmill, stationary bicycle, weight machine, etc.), ensuring that patients are using proper body mechanics and performing their exercises in a safe manner.
• Assist physiotherapists with set-up and removal of modalities such as heat, ice, IFC and ultrasound.
• Interact with various patients of our clinic (besides usual rehabilitation patients) including spine triage, cast clinic and surgeon’s patients (pre- and post-surgery), educating them on our rehabilitation program and showing them basic exercises, specific from their condition or injury.
• Assist with the scheduling of new patient appointments based on the recommendations of referring physician.

Required Student Qualifications:

• Completion of KNES 373 (Exercise Physiology)

On-Site Supervisor: Andrew Kim, andrewkim@caleohealth.ca
Kinesiology Practicum Application

Placement: Caleo Health

Students must have 60 units completed to qualify for a practicum, including 30 units of KNES
Students may participate in up to three practicums, with no more than two at the same location

INSTRUCTIONS
1. Contact the on-site supervisor to arrange an interview.
2. Bring a copy of this application with the completed student portion to your interview to be completed by the On-Site Supervisor.
3. Submit application and required documentation (if applicable) to knespracticum@ucalgary.ca; our office will email your @ucalgary address within 5 business days with next steps for you and your On-Site Supervisor.

STUDENT PORTION – COMPLETE PRIOR TO INTERVIEW

Practicum Term
☐ Fall__________ (year)  ☐ Winter__________ (year)  ☐ Spring__________ (year)

Student Information
Name: UCID:
Phone Number: Email: @ucalgary.ca

Student Practicum Expectations: Why have you chosen this practicum placement? (1-2 sentences)

Code of Conduct
Students are responsible for compliance with the University of Calgary’s Code of Conduct.

☐ Yes  ☐ No I have read and understood the University of Calgary’s Code of Conduct.
☐ Yes  ☐ No Do you have a pre-existing relationship(s) with person(s) or group(s) associated with this practicum placement?
If yes, please briefly explain the nature of the relationship:

I agree that:
• No salary or payment will be received based upon my participation in a Kinesiology practicum placement
• I will meet the expectations of the practicum placement for which I am applying
• I will be punctual throughout my practicum placement and will adequately notify the On-Site Supervisor about any absence(s).
• I will complete 60-72 hours within the dates of the term.

Start Date (first day of lectures)  End Date (last day of lectures)

☐ I agree with the above-mentioned terms and conditions.

Student’s Signature: Date:

ON-SITE SUPERVISOR PORTION

Name: Andrew Kim  Organization: Caleo Health

Phone:  Email: andrewkim@caleohealth.ca

As the On-Site Supervisor, I agree that:
• No salary or compensation will be given to the practicum student
• I will provide sufficient hours, supervision, and guidance during this practicum placement
• I will complete a mid-point and final evaluation for the practicum student.

☐ I agree with the above-mentioned terms and conditions.

On-Site Supervisor’s Signature: Date:
CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

Practicum students must complete the signed confidentiality agreement and submit it (along with the practicum application form) to knespracticum@ucalgary.ca or to KNB 137.

THIS AGREEMENT is made as of the_______day of_________, 20___.

BETWEEN:

__________________________________________

(hereinafter called the “Agency”)

AND:

__________________________________________

(hereinafter called the “Student”)

Whereas:

It is the Student’s legal and ethical responsibility to protect the privacy, confidentiality and security of all records, proprietary information and other confidential information relating to the Agency, including business, employment and medical information relating to patients, members, employees and health care providers. (“Confidential Information”).

And whereas:

The Agency has adopted policies and procedures regarding Confidential Information including its policies and procedures for complying with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Health Information Act (“Policies and Procedures”).

In witness hereof, the parties agree as follows:

1. The Agency agrees to disclose and the Student agrees to receive Confidential Information in furtherance of participating in his/her practicum with the Agency, as set out in the Practicum Agreement.

2. The Agency agrees to advise, instruct and guide the Student as to the Policies and Procedures.

3. Upon receipt of the information set out in paragraph 2 herein, the Student agrees to use his/her best efforts to comply with the Policies and Procedures and to protect the Confidential Information, or any part thereof, and prevent it from being disclosed to any person contrary to the Policies and Procedures.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Agreement effective as of the day and year first written above.

Agency
Signed: ___________________________ Signed: ___________________________
Print Name: ___________________________ Print Name: ___________________________
Title: ___________________________ Date ___________________________
Date: ___________________________

Student

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