CHARISE CONKIN

EDUCATION

2016 – June 2018 Bond University

Gold Coast, QLD Australia

- Doctor Physiotherapy
- Valedictorian, Vice Chancellor's List for Academic Achievement, High Distinction

2007 – 2011 The University of Fraser Valley

Abbotsford, BC Canada

Bachelor of Kinesiology

HEALTHCARE EXPERIENCE

Sept 2020 - Current Stó:lō Service Agency

Chilliwack, BC Canada

- Healthy Living Coordinator assisting Indigenous Elders maintain wellbeing
- Administrative assistant and COVID Screener at Assisted Living Aged Care Facility
- Program development, wellness assessments, client centered interventions, service coordination and referrals, creating and following infection control audits and mandates

Sept 2019 - Jan 2020 Royal Darwin Hospital

Darwin, NT, AUS

- Tertiary Hospital with specialty in trauma care and culturally safe practice
- Rotational Physiotherapist responsible for general medical, surgical, orthopedic, rapid assessment, hospital in the home and pediatric wards

Aug 2018 – Sept 2019 Gidgee Healing

Mount Isa, QLD, AUS

- Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Service
- Multidisciplinary services to Primary Health Centre's, local hospitals, aged care and community
- Provide culturally appropriate assessments, interventions and programs across the lifespan

May – August 2018 Mareeba Hospital – OPERA Program

Mareeba, QLD, AUS

- Provide quality, efficient physiotherapy rehabilitation for elderly patients in Hospital
- Comprehensive assessment and liaising other health professionals to manage complex cases

Feb – Mar 2018 Pindara Private Hospital

Ashmore, QLD, AUS

- Acute care for ICU and neurosurgical ward
- Safe, comprehensive and evidence-based practice for acute and neurological conditions

Nov – Dec 2017 Lady Cilento Children's Hospital - QPRS

Brisbane, QLD, AUS

- Outpatient pediatric neurological rehabilitation
- Provided creative physiotherapy support to children and their families

July – Aug 2017 Makira Hospital – Community Rehab

Pacific Islands

- Pediatrics, women's health, chronic disease and disability
- Culturally appropriate, self-directed, innovative, community-based rehabilitation while liaising with the local hospital
- Health promotion research and the upskill of education for local practitioners

Apr. – May 2017 John Flynn Private Hospital

Tweed Heads, NSW, AUS

• Neurological and orthopedic rehabilitation

• Ensured a caring, progressive, and supportive exercise program to facilitate a safe return home

Feb – Mar 2017 Casino Hospital

Casino, NSW, AUS

- Mixed caseload inpatient and outpatient physiotherapy
- Local networking, cultural awareness, and collaboration with University Centre for Rural Health
- Complex health care planning

Nov – Dec 2016 Logan Hospital

Logan, QLD, AUS

- Acute inpatient orthopedic physiotherapy
- Efficient interpersonal communication and effective time management with patients suffering from complex conditions

Sept – Oct 2016 Princess Alexandra Hospital

Brisbane, QLD, AUS

- Inpatient cardio-respiratory
- Health and safety, infection control, early mobility, and evidence based cardiorespiratory care

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2011- 2016 CBI Health Centre – Matsqui Rec Centre

Abbotsford, BC Canada

- Case Manager, Return to Work Coordinator and Kinesiologist in Physiotherapy practice
- Responsible for case management, assessments, return to work planning, worksite assessments, group interventions, hydrotherapy, record keeping, and liaising with third party funders

2008-2010 YMCA of Greater Vancouver

Chilliwack, BC Canada

Senior Leader, Childcare Subsidy Administrator, Lifeguard, and Swimming instructor

2005-2007 Fraser Valley Regional District

Boston Bar, BC Canada

Recreational Facility Manager, lifeguard and swimming instructor

RESEARCH

2020 Cogent Social Sciences

Inter-rater Reliability of the Functional Movement Screen Items when used by Police Physical Training
Instructors Before and After Additional Training

2019 Northwest Allied Health Forum: Abstract Review Committee
2018 Bond University Tactical Research Unit and NSW Police Force

The Ability of Movement Screening Tools to Predict Injury in the Athletic and Tactical Populations

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT			
Aug 2021	CareFit Exercise Program	FHA	
Jan 2021	Physiotherapy Practice in Canadian Healthcare System	UofA	
June 2021	BC Provincial Hand Hygiene	FHA	
Nov 2020	SAIL Exercise Program	FHA	
July 2020	Rural Clinical Placements	UDRH	

June 2020	Telehealth: Embracing technology in healthcare	CSU
April 2020	Cultural Awareness in Physiotherapy Practice	APA
July 2019	Explain Pain 3 + Graded Motor Imagery	NOI
June 2019	RockPods and RockFloss	RockTape
May 2019	Western Acupuncture and Dry Needling	Combined Health
April 2019	FASD Rapid Neurological Developmental Assessment	Griffith Uni
Feb 2019	Apply Initial First Aid/CPR	Krause Health
Jan 2019	RAHC - Introduction to Remote Health	RAHC
Jan 2019	Cultural Orientation Plan for Health Professionals	CUCRH
Nov 2018	General Movement Assessment – Basic	GM Trust
March 2017	Mental Health First Aid	Steve Craig

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE				
2021	Bladder Cancer Virtual Advisory Board	Mentor		
2016 – 2018	Bond University Women's 7's Rugby	Sports Trainer		
2018	GC Commonwealth Games	Anti-doping Chaperone		
2016 – 2018	Seahorse Nippers	Swimming Instructor		
2010-2016	Chilliwack Youth Soccer Association	Coach		
2011-2016	ADR Outdoor Education	Educator		
2011-2015	UFV Cascades Basketball	Coach/ Student Trainer		
Oct. 2012	Abbotsford Heat Hockey: Preseason Fitness Testing	Exercise Specialist		
Aug. 2011	Team Canada Senior Women's Basketball Team	Sports Trainer		

REFERENCES

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