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SUMMARY

Clinical and Cochlear Implant Audiologist at The Hearing Solution, a concierge private practice in Sacramento, CA.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

COCHLEAR IMPLANT AUDIOLOGIST • The Hearing Solution

2023 - PRESENT

- Comprehensive cochlear implant services including evaluations, initial stimulations, basic programming, and troubleshooting for adults.
- Comprehensive bone conduction hearing device technology services including evaluations, initial stimulations, basic programming, and troubleshooting for adults.
- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on adults with specialty in neurotology clinic and difficult cases.

CLINICAL AND DIDACTIC INSTRUCTOR, PART-TIME FACULTY • Doctor of Audiology Program, Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders. California State University, Sacramento

2022 - 2024

- Didactic co-instructor for Implantable Devices course, taught with cochlear implant surgeon, Allen Lue, MD.
- Clinical instructor in the on-site Maryjane Rees Center- Speech and Hearing Clinic
- Clinical liaison for all off-site clinical internships

CLINICAL/COCHLEAR IMPLANT AUDIOLOGIST PROGRAM LEAD • Kaiser Permanente South Sacramento Head and Neck Surgery

2010 - 2021

- Founder and Lead Audiologist of the Kaiser National Cochlear Implant Team, a multi-disciplinary team consisting of 40-50 audiologists, surgeons, and support staff. Organized and led quarterly teleconferences.
- Created and implemented Kaiser national cochlear implant Plan of Care and numerous cochlear implant protocols.
- Participated in national contract negotiations for otologic implantable technology including cochlear implants and Baha.





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EDUCATION

**DOCTOR OF AUDIOLOGY,
with Honors • 2008**
Nova Southeastern
University, Davie, FL

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
IN SPEECH PATHOLOGY
AND AUDIOLOGY,
Cum Laude • 2004,**
CALIFORNIA STATE
UNIVERSITY,
Sacramento, CA

CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE

Audiologist/Dispensing Audiologist

2008 - Present
State of California, Dept of
Consumer Affairs, License
No. AU 2654

Certificate of Clinical Competence in Audiology (CCC-A)

2008 - 2014
American Speech-
Language - Hearing
Association

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

- Lead Audiologist of the Kaiser South Sacramento local multi-disciplinary Cochlear Implant Team, which consisted of Audiology, Speech Pathology, Neurotology, Developmental Pediatrics, Behavioral Medicine, and Genetics. Managed and oversaw all adult and pediatric cochlear implant evaluations. Ran monthly multi-disciplinary meetings to review cases.
- Offered comprehensive cochlear implant services including evaluations, initial stimulations, basic programming, and troubleshooting for children and adults.
- Intraoperative implantable device integrity testing.
- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults with specialty in neurotology clinic and difficult cases.
- Supervised and trained Audiology Externs on basic diagnostics and cochlear implants.

CLINICAL ACCOUNT MANAGER- WEST COAST • Med-El Corporation

2009 - 2010

- Provided clinical support services to centers including hardware and software training, ART assistance in the operating room, integrity testing, software support, and general audiology as needed.
- Negotiated sales agreements.
- Attended, assisted, and hosted patient and professional forums including patient support meetings.
- Represented Med-El Corporation at National and International meetings and symposia.
- Ensured high quality product delivery and support.
- Audiology on-call assistance
- Increased community awareness





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CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

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2009 - 2009

- Performed outreach including educating local professionals and potential candidates on implantable devices for hearing loss.
- Within a 6 month period more than doubled the yearly business in cochlear implants.
- Developed protocols for all cochlear implant and Baha services.
- Offered comprehensive cochlear implant services including evaluations, initial stimulations, basic programming, and troubleshooting on children and adults.
- Performed BAHA services including evaluation, fitting, troubleshooting, and counseling.
- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.
- Administered electrophysiologic evaluations including auditory brainstem response and CHAMP/EcochG.
- Performed vestibular function testing including VNG.

EXTERN AND LATER CLINICAL/COCHLEAR IMPLANT AUDIOLOGIST

University of Miami, Miller School of Medicine, Miami Ear Institute

2007 - 2008

- Offered comprehensive cochlear implant services including evaluations, initial stimulations, basic programming, troubleshooting, and promontory stimulation on children and adults.
- Participated in clinical research on various cochlear implant topics.
- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.
- Administered electrophysiologic evaluations including auditory brainstem response, electrocochleography, electroneuronography, and urea dehydration testing.
- Performed all hearing aid services including evaluations, fittings, adjustments, cleaning, counseling, and troubleshooting on pediatrics and adults.
- Performed BAHA services including evaluation, fitting, troubleshooting, and counseling.





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CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

HEARING AID DISPENSER/AUDIOLOGY ASSISTANT • A. Bel Audiology Associates/Miracle Ear

2006 - 2007

- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.
- Performed all hearing aid services including evaluations, fittings, adjustments, cleaning, counseling, and troubleshooting.
- Completed vestibular function testing including videonystagmography and electonystagmography.

HEARING AID DISPENSER/AUDIOLOGY ASSISTANT • Hearing Center of Broward, Inc.

2005 - 2006

- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.
- Performed all hearing aid services including evaluations, fittings, adjustments, cleaning, and counseling.
- Administered electrophysiologic evaluations including auditory brainstem response.
- Completed vestibular function testing including videonystagmography and electonystagmography.
- Performed administrative duties including billing and scheduling.

PEDIATRIC AUDIOLOGY ASSISTANT • UC Davis Medical Center, Audiology Department

2002 - 2004

- Assisted with comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults with special needs.
- Participated in the UC Davis Medical Center Cleft and Craniofacial Panel.
- Performed hearing aid services including cleaning, troubleshooting, ordering, and receiving.
- Assisted with pediatric cochlear implant services including evaluations, initial stimulations, and basic programming.





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GRADUATE EXPERIENCE

GRADUATE INTERNSHIP • Bethesda Memorial Hospital, Audiology Department

May 2007 - June 2007

- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.
- Performed all hearing aid services including evaluations, fittings, adjustments, cleaning, counseling, and troubleshooting.

GRADUATE INTERNSHIP • HearX, Hear USA, Inc.

January 2007 - April 2007

- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.
- Performed all hearing aid services including evaluations, fittings, adjustments, cleaning, counseling, and troubleshooting.
- Administered electrophysiologic evaluations including auditory brainstem response.
- Completed vestibular function testing including videonystagmography and electronystagmography.

GRADUATE INTERNSHIP • Mailman Center for Child Development, University of Miami

September 2006 - December 2006

- Performed newborn hearing screenings.
- Administered electrophysiologic evaluations including auditory brainstem response.
- Participated in the Mailman Center for Child Development Cleft and Craniofacial Panel.
- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics.
- Performed all hearing aid services including evaluations, fittings, adjustments, cleaning, counseling, and troubleshooting.

GRADUATE INTERNSHIP • University of Miami, Miller School of Medicine, Extension Clinic

May 2006 - July 2006

- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.





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GRADUATE EXPERIENCE

GRADUATE INTERNSHIP • North Broward Medical Center, Audiology Department

May 2006 - July 2006

- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on adults.
- Completed vestibular function testing including videonystagmography and electonystagmography.

GRADUATE INTERNSHIP • Neurology at Sunrise Medical Group

January 2006 - May 2006

- Completed vestibular function testing including videonystagmography and electonystagmography.

GRADUATE INTERNSHIP • NSU Hearing and Balance Clinic

January 2005 - May 2006

- Administered comprehensive audiologic evaluations on pediatrics and adults.
- Performed all hearing aid services including evaluations, fittings, adjustments, cleaning, counseling, and troubleshooting.
- Administered electrophysiologic evaluations including auditory brainstem response.
- Completed auditory processing evaluations.

