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Objective

To utilize over 20 years of experience to deliver private sector vocational services to injured workers in a caring and compassionate way, allowing for work disability resolution.

Professional Experience

Treatment Team Coordinator/ Vocational Consultant 12/29/2009-Present
Pacific Rehabilitation Centers

- Assessed vocational status and work barriers of injured workers
- Coordinated individualized care overseeing multidisciplinary team including physicians, nurses, psychologists, physical therapists, occupational therapists, and vocational counselors
- Facilitated weekly treatment team meetings including outside industrial injury claim stakeholders
- Led educational groups covering industrial insurance claim benefits and process, as well as return-to-work planning resources
- Carried out one-on-one vocational counseling sessions utilizing skills and knowledge of work disability
- Managed continuous improvement group in projects related to program development, treatment outcomes management and diversity equity and inclusion
- Participated in marketing activities such as lunches, professional organization events, and webinars
- Resolved patient and staff grievances

Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor 09/16/2003-06/30/2010
People Systems Inc.

- Educated injured workers on vocational processes including Return-to-Work Priorities
- Collect work and educational history for the purposes of carrying out transferable skills analysis to identify vocational possibilities
- Complete onsite, telephonic and representative job analysis for both physical and cognitive demands
- Communicate with employers, medical providers and claim adjudicators regarding vocational planning and work status
- Conduct detailed labor market research for the purpose of assessing employability
- Develop vocational retraining plans in formal and on-the-job educational settings

Education

Bachelor of Arts - Human Services 08/2003
Western Washington University

Certification

Certified Disability Management Specialist 2008-Present
The Commission for Case Manager Certification **Valid to 12/31/2029*