

## PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT

Area of Interest: Outpatient Rehabilitation - Jacobo Physical Therapy

Position Location: Bakersfield/Delano California Job Description: Physical Therapy Assistant (PTA)

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Education Level: Degree as a Physical Therapist Assistant from an acredited college or University

## **DUTIES OF THE PHYSICAL THERAPY ASSISTANT (PTA) INCLUDE:**

Provide a full range of physical therapy assistant services, as directed by the supervising physical therapist. Carry out a program of corrective exercise and treatment for assigned patients, as directed by the head physical therapist. Under supervision, administer such treatment as exercise, gait training, massage, whirlpool, hot packs, ultrasound, paraffin, ice packs and traction. Instruct patients on segments of the program including proper use of wheelchairs, crutches, braces, and devices. Observe patients during treatments and compile and evaluate data on patients' responses to treatments and progress. Actively participates in outstanding customer service and accepts responsibility in maintaining relationships that are equally respectful to all.

# PRODUCTIVITY STANDARDS AND PERFORMANCE:

- \* The physical therapy assistant will be required to treat up to 3-4 patients per hour and a minimum of 25 patients per 8 hour shift.
- \* Must be knowledgeable of state laws and regulations pertaining to the supervision guidelines and working with the assistance of an aide for non patient related tasks.
- \* Must understand the legal limitations on plan of care and be able to work with a physical therapist to provide the most efficient quality care to the patient.
- \* Must be willing to cover at any of the 3 locations.

## COMPENSATION & BENEFITS OF THE PHYSICAL THERAPY ASSISTANT (PTA):

- \* Competitive Salary and Benefits: \$62,000-\$70,000/ Year Annual Salary
- \* Bonus Structure: Weekly bonuses for meeting quality standards and volume quota. We reward performance and efficient patient care. Bonuses can range from \$125-\$500 additional income per month.

#### **BENEFITS:**

- \* Continued Education Opportunities: \$500 annual allowance.
- \* Health and Dental Insurance Plans:
- \* 401k Retirement Plan: Jacobo Physical Therapy will match after 2 years of employment.
- \* Vacation: One week paid vacation after one year of employment.
- \* Malpractice Insurance