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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Over the past 12 years, I have maintained 2 full time positions; first as a full-time Firefighter Captain, supervising fire crews in wildfire, structure fire, rescue scenes as well as on emergency medical scenes as a Paramedic and acting as the Training Officer for the department. The second position I have held is as Owner and General Contractor of Built Up Construction, which has been in business for 15 years building houses, additions and home remodels. Both of these careers have helped me develop my management and communication skills, which would make an effective leader and chief.

ATTRIBUTES

- Ethical, Compassionate, Hardworking
- Outgoing personality with empathetic and trusted patient rapport
- Superb management and communication skills
- Sound judgment and decision making in high pressure situations
- Professional and dependable team player
- Excellent driving skills in all types of weather and situations
- Great time management and task prioritization
- Sound medical care grounded in evidenced based medicine
- Strong scene and incident management capability

EXPERIENCE

07/2004 – Present

Owner, Built Up Construction – Nederland, Colorado – ICC Class Residential Contractors License

- Perform build interviews, confer with clients to determine project scope of work, budget, hire and schedule; provide client with written scope of work, estimated total costs, and projected schedule for confirmation and approval prior to proceeding with project development.

6/1998-05/2009

Volunteer, Nederland Fire Protection District- Nederland, Colorado

- Volunteer Firefighter/ EMT

05/2009 – Present

Captain, Nederland Fire Protection District – Nederland, Colorado

- Handle all aspects of emergencies on fire scenes including Emergency Medical Services as a Paramedic.
- Supervise Fire and Rescue Crews for structure fires, wildland fires and rescues.
- Operating as the Medical Training Officer and overseeing certifications.
- Prepare, organize and teach medical and fire trainings weekly.
- Often needed to run fire and EMS calls alone.
- Teach American Heart Association BLS programs to the public and medical providers.
- Fleet Mechanic responsible for performing preventative maintenance, as well as troubleshoot and repairs for all fleet vehicles.

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09/2005 - 09/2009

Tactical Dispatcher/ Trainer, Boulder County Sheriff's Office - Boulder, Colorado

- Dispatcher for Boulder County including approximately 30 Fire departments and 7 police departments, acting as a tactical dispatcher for Boulder County SWAT Team.
- Training all staff and new personnel and assisting in training staff on opening a new communications center.
- Awarded Boulder County Sherriff's Office Life Saving Medal

06/1999 - 09/2005

EMT/ Dispatcher, Pridemark Paramedics - Arvada, Colorado

- Emergency Medical Technician working on busy Denver area Paramedic/EMT ambulance.
- Leveraged comprehensive knowledge of emergency medicine to assess, treat, stabilize and transport seriously ill or injured patients to area hospitals and trauma centers.
- Provided skillful medical care to revive and stabilize patients suffering from traumatic injuries, cardiac arrest, strokes, seizures, drug overdoses, hypothermia and other serious conditions.
- Calmed and reassured patients and family members, enabling accurate gathering of crucial information (e.g., allergies, medications, pain levels) to aid in care decisions.
- Operated emergency vehicle safely, in accordance with State Laws and policies.
- Maintaining condition and readiness of emergency vehicles including cleaning, disinfecting, refueling and restocking.
- Worked dispatch and call take for both 911 system and running interfacility transports.

02/2001 - 09/2003

EMT/ Trauma Tech/ Ortho Tech, St Anthony's Central Hospital - Denver, Colorado

- Handle Trauma Care in Emergency Room.
- Performed splinting and casting for Ortho team.
- Member of IV team for the entire hospital.

EDUCATION & AWARDS

Current CPR, PALS and ACLS Certifications

1/2017 - Paramedic Certification: Denver Health - Denver, CO

10/2018- Fire Inspector 1

1/2010 - EMT Intermediate Certification: St Anthony's Hospital - Denver, CO

12/2007 - Boulder County Sheriff's Office Life Saving Medal: Boulder County Sheriff's Office - Boulder, CO

08/2004 – Bachelor of Science Nursing, University of Northern Colorado – Greeley, CO

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

12/2001 - Life Saving Award: Nederland Fire Department - Nederland, CO

12/1998 - EMT Certification Front Range Community College - Longmont, CO

5/1999 Firefighter 1

8/2018 Firefighter 2

9/1999 s130-190 Wildland Firefighter 2

8/2010 S212 FALA A

8/2020 s-131 Squad Boss

05/1997 – Bachelor of Education, University of Northern Colorado – Greeley, CO

Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology, with a certification in Education - Kindergarten thru 12