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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I am a versatile and passionate Dietitian-Nutritionist, leveraging 4+ years of experience in clinical, community and public health nutrition. With a great level of expertise in medical nutrition therapy, I accurately apply the principles of the Nutrition Care Process to assess, diagnose, manage, and monitor nutrition care plans tailored to different disease conditions. With a strong foundation in nutrition care planning, I have developed individualized dietary plans tailored to meet the specific nutritional needs of over 50 clients.

EXPERIENCE

Intern Dietitian 03/2023 - 02/2024

University College Hospital, Ibadan

Trained at University College Hospital, Ibadan for clinical dietetic internship.

- Collaborated with seasoned dietitians to manage patients with specific noncommunicable diseases, utilizing nutrition assessment tools for tailored dietary recommendations.
- Responsible for patient care at the Children Outpatient Clinic, working alongside
 healthcare professionals, while developing transferable skills in dietary counseling and
 medical nutrition therapy.
- Demonstrated adaptability across diverse patient populations during clinical rotations, showcasing strong interpersonal, organizational, and time management abilities.
- Dedicated 40-hour workweek with additional time allocated for internship projects, presentations, and literature reviews, gaining valuable insights into the role of dietitians in clinical research settings.

Research Assistant to a Nutrition Lecturer

Department of Human Nutrition and Dietetics, University of Ibadan

2019-2023

- Conducted research under the guidance of my advisor, focusing on topics like dietary habits, nutrition interventions, and health outcomes.
- Reviewed existing literature in the field of nutrition to understand current knowledge and identify gaps for further investigation.
- Carried out dietary data collection through surveys or interviews.
- Wrote research papers based on my findings, focusing on topics such as the impact of diet on health or the efficacy of nutrition interventions.
- Present my research findings at nutrition seminars, or departmental meetings, preparing
 presentations or posters to share our discoveries with the scientific community.
- I analyze collected data using statistical methods to draw conclusions and identify patterns related to nutrition and health.

Research Assistant to Principal Consultants

Synergos Nigeria.

2018

- Collected quantitative data from mothers of reproductive age
- Conducted 24hr dietary recall for the respondents
- Qualitative data collection through in-depth interview and focus group discussion (FGD) from the research participants.

Volunteer Nutritionist

Barau Dikko Teaching Hospital, Kaduna

2017

- Counseled inpatients and self-referred patients based on their different health conditions.
- Enrolled children with admission criteria for Community Management for Acute Malnutrition (CMAM) program.
- Participated in the growth monitoring exercise for both children and mothers during post-natal clinics
- Conducted Nutrition Education to mothers and caregivers of children during antenatal and post-natal clinics.

Dietetic Trainee

University College Hospital, Ibadan.

2015

- Planning, preparation and apportioning of meals to patients
- Counselling of patients based on their health condition and nutritional needs

- Checking and monitoring the progress of recovery of patients under dietetic therapy
- Performed any other roles as assigned by the Dietitians
- Carried out nutritional assessment of the out-patients
- Conducted ward round in the hospital alongside with the Dietitians

SKILLS

- 1. Medical Nutrition Therapy
- 2. Nutrition Care Planning
- 3. Dietary Counselling
- 4. Nutrition Education
- 5. Team Work
- **6.** Interdisciplinary Collaboration

EDUCATION

University of Ibadan

BSc. Human Nutrition and Dietetics (Second Class Honour, Upper Division) 2015

University of Ibadan

MSc. Community Nutrition (PhD Grade) 2022