

Job Title: Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA)

Location: Boynton Beach, Florida

Reports to: Dr. Guy Romain

Start Date: June 2023

Salary: Commensurate with Experience

NeuroFit360 Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) Job Description

The **Physical Therapist (PTA)** works in an outpatient clinic designed to help individuals with neurological injuries continue to improve health, maintain fitness, and prevent unwanted secondary health problems such as skin breakdown, joint contractures, and muscle atrophy. Main responsibilities involve working collaboratively with a clinical director and physical therapist to support clients striving to achieve functional independence. Additional tasks include documenting, developing and offering uniquely individualized, intense, innovative, and skilled treatment, and working with families toward maintaining the highest quality of life for clients.

Physical Therapy Assistant (PTA) Job Responsibilities and Duties

- Follow the plan of care outlined in the evaluation by the Physical Therapist, confirm changes, progress and/or regress clients adequately within the plan of care
- Manage physical condition and symptoms of clients. Review medical history and diagnosis, and movement dysfunction to enhance physical function and promote recovery.
- Develop effective individualized treatment plans that focus on providing intensive, innovative and skilled physical therapy treatments. Coach and teach clients therapeutic exercises and stretches to improve their condition. Assess the effectiveness of proposed treatment plans and adjust accordingly. Actively restore, maintain, and promote physical functions while reaching optimal wellness and quality of life as it relates to movement and health.
- Maintain accurate records on treatment, progress, and goals. Report results and outcomes in a measurable manner. Adapt treatment plans accordingly. Educate clients and families on proper and safe home exercise techniques built on proposed treatment plans.
- Maintain inventory of equipment and inform management when replenishment, repair, or service is necessary
- Maintain professional licenses and stay up-to-date with technical knowledge pertaining to neurological recovery. Attend educational workshops, review professional publications, and establish personal networks.

Physical Therapy Qualifications and Skills

- Minimum of 2 years as a licensed physical therapist assistant within good standing in the respective state
- 1 year of clinical experience working with clients with neurological conditions
- Experience working with clients with neurological conditions
- Extensive knowledge of anatomy, neurological injuries, therapeutic exercise, and treatment modalities
- Compassion and empathy for clients who are often in pain. Ability to pay attention to detail and understand clients' needs. Capacity to deliver effective treatment while preventing further injury
- Maintain quality of preferred PT/PTA relationship as per standard practice guidelines
- Excellent verbal and written communication to interact with clients, doctors, and family members
- Interpersonal skills to build positive relationships and motivate clients
- Physical stamina to lift patients and spend long hours standing and modeling exercises, and capacity to assist with the transfer of clients up to 200lbs

*The successful candidate will travel to NeuroFit360's home office in Cooper City Florida for training prior to the start of the position.

To apply, please forward a cover letter and resume to administration@neurofit360.com

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