

Chris H. Taylor

Professional Summary

Certified Physician Assistant, Paramedic and Educator with over 20 years of educational experience. Practicing PA-C in Neurosurgery and active Paramedic with Pinellas County EMS System. Clinical Assistant Professor of Physician Assistant Medicine for University of Tampa

Professional Experience

Baycare Medical Group

Clearwater, FL

Physician's Assistant-Neurosurgery

2021- Present

- Conducts physical assessments and histories in both the clinic and hospital settings.
- Communicate with multidisciplinary medical staff on patient conditions and care/treatment that are present in the emergency room, in hospital setting and/or clinical outpatient setting.
- Finds abnormal conditions by administering or ordering and interpreting diagnostic tests, such as x-rays, electrocardiograms, and laboratory studies as well as CT's and MRI's.
- Efficiently aids any covering physician with surgery-related cases in the Operating Room with both emergent and non-emergency cases.
- Performs therapeutic procedures by administering injections, suturing, managing wounds and infections.

AdventHealth Florida Physicians Group

Tampa, FL

Physician's Assistant-General Surgery

2017-2021

- Conducts physical assessments and histories in both the clinic and hospital settings.
- Communicate with multidisciplinary medical staff on patient conditions and care/treatment that are present in the emergency room, in hospital setting and/or clinical outpatient setting.
- Finds abnormal conditions by administering or ordering diagnostic tests, interpreting test results.
- Performs therapeutic procedures by administering injections, suturing, managing wounds and infections.
- Managed clinical rotations for Physician Assistant students which included lectures as well as practical applications of the didactic material needed to complete the required surgical rotation.

Patient Care Plus Paramedics

Largo, FL

Paramedic/Emergency Medical Dispatcher

1996 -Present

- Provide basic and advanced life support during emergency, non-emergency and interfacility calls for service.
- Communicate with multidisciplinary medical staff on patient conditions and care/treatment.
- Receive, process, and prioritize requests for medical assistance.
- Previously worked with a Registered Nurse in the assessment, care and transport of patients that require advanced equipment and/or procedures at specialized medical centers as defined by Critical Care and county protocols.

St. Petersburg College/Pinellas County Office of Medical Director

Largo, FL

Adjunct Instructor

2000-Current

- Instruct Pinellas County certified medical personnel on required pre-hospital medical training such as with continuing medical education, lecture presentations and performing practical testing and evaluation of skills.
- Part time instructor for credit courses for the Emergency Medical Services degree program.
- Aided in the program development and implementation of Rave and Club Drug investigations as well as the Advanced Tactical Drug Operations taught through the Multijurisdictional Drug Task Force at St. Petersburg College.
- Instructed topics such as Tactical Drug Operations and Advanced Tactical Drug Operations, Narcotic and Surveillance Operations for local, state and federal law enforcement officers.
- Lectured on various law enforcement topics specific to undercover narcotics in conjunction with the Multijurisdictional Drug Task Force for El Salvador law enforcement.

Pinellas County Sheriff's Office

Largo, FL

Law Enforcement Officer

1998-2012

- Served as a law enforcement officer responsible for the investigation of crimes, and completing reports related to such.
- Served as a certified high liability law enforcement instructor and aided the Law Enforcement Training Section with annual in-service and specialized training as needed.

Education

South University

Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies

Florida Metropolitan University

Bachelor of Science Criminal Justice

Tampa, FL

March 2017

Clearwater, FL

June 2000

Publications

- Jennifer Lakeberg, Author, **Christopher Taylor**, Reviewer, 2022, Legal Issues in Critical Care Transport, ASTNA (Air & Surface Transport Nurses Association) TPATC, 8e.
- **Christopher Taylor**, 2023, Chapter 21, Legal and Professional Issues in Critical Care Transport, ASTNA (Air & Surface Transportation Nurses Association): Patient Transport: Principles and Practice, 6e.