CURRICULUM VITAE
OF
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PROFILE:
DEDICATED, ENERGETIC PERSON WITH EXCELLENT LEADERSHIP SKILLS
AND QUALITIES WHO IS MOTIVATED AND EAGER TO LEARN FROM PEERS.
COMMITTED TO DELIVERING BEST POSSIBLE SERVICE AND PATIENT CARE.

WORK EXPERIENCE :
PRESENT: H.O.D OPHTHALMOLGY AT MADADENI PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL.
DUTIES INCLUDE:
☐ Diagnose, evaluate and manage ophthalmology patients
☐ Perform ophthalmology surgical procedures.
☐ Maintain accurate and appropriate health records in accordance with legal ethical
considerations andcontinuity of patient care.
☐ Manage patients with complicated ophthalmology conditions and refer them
accordingly.
☐ Provision of quality care, assisting team members with quality assurance, quality
improvement projects, morbidity and mortality reviews, monthly audits and development
of clinical guideline and policies.
☐ Ensure on-going monitoring and evaluation of ophthalmology services.
☐ Participate in quality improvement programmes and research projects.
☐ Assist the hospital to achieve the regional level package of services.
☐ Formulate operational plans in keeping with the requirements and the strategic plan of
the hospital.
☐ Drive the procurement processes for medical equipment.
☐ After hour's clinical participation ensuring 24 hour medical coverage
☐ Support PHC services for the institutional catchment areas
☐ Provide supervision to junior Doctors, Community Service and Sessional Doctors
☐ Identify the need for training and development for all ophthalmology personnel within
the hospital and the implementation of in-service training programme
☐ Ensure compliance with leave policies
☐ Participate in National Core Standards
☐ Participate in functioning of clinical and therapeutic committee
☐ Ensure multidisciplinary approach to patient care
☐ Participate in Heads of Department meeting.
2010-2012: HOD OPHTHALMOLOGY MADADENI HOSPITAL.
2009-2010: P.M.O OPHTHALMOLOGY DUNDEE HOSPITAL.WAS RESPONSIBLE
FOR CO-ORDINATING AND DELIVERING EYE CARE SERVICES TO
UMZINYATHI DISTRICT
2005-2009: REGISTRAR AND P.M.O IN OPHTHALMOLOGY AT NELSON
MANDELA ACADEMIC HOSPITAL AND WALTER SISULU UNIVERSITY.

DURING MY SPECIALIST TRAINING I HAVE GAINED EXTENSIVE EXPERIENCE IN ALL SPHERES OF OPHTHALMOLOGY. I HAVE PERFORMED OVER 1000 CATARACT OPERATIONS, 300 EYE TRAUMA CASES, 250 TUMOUR EXCISIONS, 200 TRABECULECTOMIES FOR GLAUCOMA, 70 OCULOPLASTIC CASES, 20 SQUINT SURGERIES, 5 DACRYOCYSTORHINOSTOMIES AND ASSISSTED IN MANY VITREORETINAL SURGERIES AS WELL. DURING MY PERIOD AS A REGISTRAR I ALSO ROTATED TO GROOTE SCHUUR AND RED CROSS CHILDRENS HOSPITALS IN CAPE TOWN TO GAIN EXPERIENCE IN VITREORETINAL SURGERY, NEURO-OPHTHALMOLOGY AND PAEDIATRIC OPHTHALMOLOGY. I ALSO TRAINED FOR A SHORT WHILE AT NELSON MANDELA MEDCIAL SCHOOL IN DURBAN FOR A SHORT WHILE TO GET FURTHER EXPERIENCE IN RETINA. I AM ALSO INVOLVED IN THE ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT WHICH INCLUDE RESEARCH, ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS, AS WELL AS TEACHING OF UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS AND NURSES.
2004: COMPLETED COMMUNITY SERVICE AT MADADENI PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL AND SPENT THE ENTIRE YEAR IN GENERAL SURGERY.
2003: COMPLETED INTERNNSHIP AT MADADENI PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL.

EDUCATION :
2013 : FRCS OPHTHALMOGY OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF GLASGOW
2012: PASSED INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF OHTHALMOLOGY CLINICAL EXAM.
2012: PASSED PART 2 OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS AND PHYSICIANS EXAM IN OPHTHALMOLOGY.
2011: PASSED WRITTEN EXAM OF PART 2 FC OPHTHALMOLGY CMSA
2009: PRESENTED 3 ACADEMIC POSTERS AT THE ANNUAL OPHTHALMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH AFRICA CONGRESS.
2008: COMPLETED MY DISSERTATION ON OCULAR MANIFESTATIONS OF HIV FOR MY MASTERS DEGREE IN MEDICINE.
2007: ATTENDED ANNUAL OSSA CONGRESS
2006: ATTENDED CATARACT AND REFRACTIVE SURGERY CONGRESS
2005: ATTENDED COMMUNITY EYE HEALTH WORKSHOP.
2005: COMPLETED PART 1 OF THE COLLEGE EXAMS IN OPHTHALMOLOGY
2005-2009: RECEIVED ACACDEMIC TRAINING AS A REGISTRAR IN OPHTHALMOLOGY.
2004: COMPLETED B.L.S AND A.C.L.S COURSES
2002: MBBCH (WITS MEDICAL SCHOOL)
1996: MATRICULATED AT LINCOLN HEIGHTS SECONDARY SCHOOL IN NEWCASTLE, ATTAINING DISTINCTIONS IN ENGLISH, AFRIKAANS, MATHEMATICS, PHYSICAL SCIENCE, BIOLOGY AND ACCOUNTING.

LEADERSHIP POSITIONS :
2004: COMMUNITY SERVICE DOCTORS REPRESENTATIVE AT MADADENI HOSPITAL.

2003: INTERN REPRESENTATIVE AT MADADENI HOSPITAL.
1996: HEAD PREFECT AT LINCOLN HEIGHTS SECONDARY SCHOOL.
1993: HEAD PREFECT AT ST OSWALDS JUNIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL.
1991: HEAD PREFECT AT LENNOXTON PRIMARY SCHOOL.
1992-1996: CHAIRMAN OF NEWCASTLE HINDI MAHA SABHA YOUTH GROUP
1992-1996: CAPTAIN OF SCHOOL CRICKET TEAMS.

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS:
2004: VOTED BEST COMMUNITY SERVICE DOCTOR AT MADADENI
HOSPITAL
2003: VOTED BEST INTERN AT MADADENI HOSPITAL.
1997: UNIVESITY COUNCIL ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP-UNIVERSITY OF THE
WITWATERSRAND.
1996: DUX AWARD, LEADERSHIP AWARD, VALEDICTORIAN AND AWARDS
FOR ATTAINING DISTINCTIONS IN VARIOUS EXAMS
1994: PLACED THIRD IN NATIONAL AFRIKAANS TAALBOND EXAM
1993: DUX AWARD, VALEDICTORIAN AND NUMEROUS ACADEMIC MERIT
AWARDS AT ST OSWALDS JUNIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL.
1992: PLACED 40TH IN MATHS TOP SIX CONTEST.
1992: PLACED 8TH IN JUNIOR SCIENCE OLYMPIAAD
1991: DUX AWARD AND MERIT AWARDS AT LENNOXTON PRIMARY
SCHOOL.

RELATED STRENGTHS:
GOAL ORIENTATED AND DEPENDABLE
WILLINGNESS TO BE PART OF A TEAM AND TAKE INITIATIVE
FRIENDLY AND FLEXIBLE
DETERMINED TO DELIVER BEST POSSIBLE PATIENT CARE.

PERSONAL INFORMATION:
DATE OF BIRTH: 21/03/1979
CITIZENSHIP: SOUTH AFRICAN
ID NUMBER: 7903215029081
RACE: INDIAN
SEX: MALE
MARITAL STATUS: MARRIED TO DR KAAJAL HARIPARSAD (B.D.S)(WITS)
CHILDREN: TWO
DRIVER'S LICENCE: CODE 8
HEALTH: EXCELLENT

REFERENCES

PROF J SURKA (HOD OPHTHALMOLOGY AND VICE DEAN MEDICAL SCHOOL
WALTER SISIULU UNIVERSITY)

DR D MOLEFE (CONSULTANT OPHTHALMOLOGIST)
PROF MC SALAZAR-CAMPOS (PROFESSOR OPHTHALMOLGY NELSON
MANDELA HOSPITAL)
DR H HLELA (CEO MADADENI HOSPITAL)

FURTHER REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST