Justin Ruffridge

CAREER OBJECTIVE

Hard-working professional with 15.5+ years of experience and a proven knowledge of prescription verification, patient safety, and managed care. Aiming to leverage my skills to successfully fill the Pharmacist role at your company.

WORK EXPERIENCE

CITY OF SOLDOTNA, Soldotna, AK

City Council, Apr 2018 - Present

- Prepare drafts of amendments, government policies, laws, rules, regulations, budgets, programs and procedures.
- Confer with colleagues to formulate positions and strategies pertaining to pending issues.
- Hear testimony from constituents, representatives of interest groups, board and commission members, and
 others with an interest in bills or issues under consideration.

INLET PHARMACY GROUP, Soldotna, AK

Director of Pharmacy, Dec 2017 - Present

- Manage pharmacy operations, hiring or supervising staff, performing administrative duties, or buying or selling non-pharmaceutical merchandise.
- Plan, implement, or maintain procedures for mixing, packaging, or labeling pharmaceuticals, according to policy and legal requirements, to ensure quality, security, and proper disposal.
- Teach pharmacy students serving as interns in preparation for their graduation or licensure.
- Provide specialized services to help patients manage conditions such as diabetes, asthma, smoking cessation, or high blood pressure.
- Maintain records, such as pharmacy files, patient profiles, charge system files, inventories, control records for radioactive nuclei, or registries of poisons, narcotics, or controlled drugs.
- Order and purchase pharmaceutical supplies, medical supplies, or drugs, maintaining stock and storing and handling it properly.
- Review prescriptions to assure accuracy, to ascertain the needed ingredients, and to evaluate their suitability.
- Provide information and advice regarding drug interactions, side effects, dosage, and proper medication storage.
- Compound and dispense medications as prescribed by doctors and dentists, by calculating, weighing, measuring, and mixing ingredients, or oversee these activities.
- Collaborate with other health care professionals to plan, monitor, review, or evaluate the quality or effectiveness of drugs or drug regimens, providing advice on drug applications or characteristics.
- Offer health promotion and prevention activities, for example, training people to use devices such as blood pressure or diabetes monitors.

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA, Anchorage, AK

Adjunct Professor, Aug 2015 - Present

• Teach classes for an Occupational Endorsement Certificate in the Pharmacy Technology program

KAPUNA PHARMACY GROUP, Soldotna, AK

Pharmacist in Charge, Feb 2013 - Nov 2017

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- Plan, implement, or maintain procedures for mixing, packaging, or labeling pharmaceuticals, according to
 policy and legal requirements, to ensure quality, security, and proper disposal.

• Collaborate with other health care professionals to plan, monitor, review, or evaluate the quality or effectiveness of drugs or drug regimens, providing advice on drug applications or characteristics.

SOLDOTNA PROFESSIONAL PHARMACY, Soldotna, AK

Pharmacist, May 2008 - Jan 2013

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EDUCATION

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY

Pullman, WA

Pharm.D. Pharmacy (May 2008)

• Extracurricular Activity: Rho Chi (PX)

PENSACOLA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

Pensacola, FL

Completed coursework towards Bachelor of S Chemistry (May 2002)

• **GPA:** 4.0

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA

Anchorage, AK

Completed coursework towards B.S. Mathematics (May 2001)

CREDENTIALS AND LICENSES

- Pharmacist (State of Alaska) #1787
- Basic Life Support for Health Care Professionals
- Immunization Certificate
- Asthma Education