# PROFESSIONAL FNP PORTFOLIO

Bridgette Bowles, MSN, APRN, FNP-C

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#### Section I:

# 1. Biographical Information

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Virginia Beach, Virginia

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### 2. FNP Position Statement

My goal is to obtain a position as an entry level nurse practitioner position following graduation in August 2022. I am a quick learner and pride myself on doing the best job that I can. The importance of teamwork and collaboration within a work environment is something that I am aware of when beginning a position. Throughout my clinical rotations and work history I have taken responsibility of my own learning to become the best provider possible. I am constantly looking for ways to further my knowledge as a provider including listening to the American Family Physicians Podcast weekly to obtain continuing education credits. Quality assurance is an important aspect of being a provider and I feel that this is something that pay special attention to. In order to further my knowledge in the dermatology and aesthetic field, I am looking to complete certification for Botox, laser treatment, and other skin care procedure in the near future.

#### 3. Curriculum Vitae

# **Professional Summary**

Registered Nurse (BSN) with 3 years experience providing compassionate health care across many environments and assignments. Upon finishing my ADN and passing the NCLEX in May 2019, I secured a job at UHS where I underwent 6 months of training for the neuro stepdown unit where I became comfortable in my nursing career. I began a fast track BSN program in July of 2019 that allowed me to finish in 1 year while studying year round. Soon after the completion of my neuro-stepdown training, COVID became more prevalent and I decided to begin swabbing at a local testing site and pop up sites up to three hours away which was run by the department of health. I was working in both the neuro-stepdown unit and the swabbing site until August of 2020 when I decided to join the float pool and work in different units of the hospital as needed. This was essential in my knowledge expansion beyond neuro and enabled me to be more rounded in my nursing career. In August of 2020 I began my MSN degree where I again completed classes year round. As COVID numbers started to decrease in the area I decided to leave the testing site and take on an area of nursing where I wanted to expand my knowledge, pediatrics. I began working at Camp Echo which gave me experience with pediatrics that I was looking for. This position was over 50 hours a week in addition on call shifts that required treating children during the night as needed. At this point I was about half way done with my

MSN degree and was looking to begin clinical soon, unfortunately due to New York's nurse practitioner restrictions I was unable to complete clinical in the state. In the face of adversity I decided that it was best for me to move to another state to complete clinical. I left my job at UHS in September and moved to Virginia. Once moving to Virginia I began clinical where I directed my focus to eduction rather than my bedside nursing role.

## Education

United States University, San Diego California Graduation August 2022

Family Nurse Practitioner Major - MSN

The College at Brockport, Brockport New York Graduation 2020

Nursing Major - BSN

SUNY Broome, Binghamton New York Graduation 2019

Nursing Major - ADN

Maine Endwell High School, Endwell New York Graduation 2015

Regents Degree

# Work History

UHS Hospital, Johnson City, NY

August 2019 to September 2021

Title; Registered Nurse – Neuro step down unit; Float pool

Camp Echo, Bloomingburg, NY

June 2021 to August 2021

Title; Registered Nurse – Primarily school age and adolescent population

Department of Health, Binghamton, NY

May 2020 to April 2021

Title; Registered Nurse – COVID swabbing at home facility and pop-up testing sites across NY

## 4. Documentation of Nursing Licensure

LISTING OF SECURITY FEATURES ON REVERSE SIDE

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

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Registered Nurse Bridgette Elaine Bowles

Number **0001303142** 

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# Commonwealth of Virginia



Board of Aursing

Department of Health Professions

This is to certify that

# Bridgette Flaine Bowles

has fulfilled the requirements of the Code of Virginia and the regulations of this board and is hereby authorized to practice as a

Registered Aurse

in the Commonwealth of Virginia

Number <u>0001303142</u>

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# The University of the State of New York Education Department Office of the Professions REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE Do not accept a copy of this certificate

License Number:

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Certificate Number: 1791839

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is registered to practice in New York State through 01/31/2025 as a(n)
REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSE

LICENSEE/REGISTRANT

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# THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK EDUCATION DEPARTMENT



BE IT KNOWN THAT

# BRIDGETTE BOWLES

HAVING GIVEN SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE OF THE COMPLETION OF PROFESSIONAL AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED BY LAW IS QUALIFIED TO PRACTICE AS A

# REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSE

IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK

IN WITNESS WHEREOF THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT GRANTS THIS LICENSE UNDER ITS SEAL AT ALBANY, NEW YORK THIS SECOND DAY OF JULY, 2019.

COMPLISIONER OF EDUCATION

LICENSE NUMBER

772527

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
FOR THE PROFESSIONS

STATE BOARD FOR NURSING

# 5. Diplomas

# SUNY Broome Community College

Under the Supervision of State University of New York The Trustees of the College, by virtue of the authority vested in them and on the recommendation of the Faculty, have conferred upon

# Bridgette Claine Bowles

The Degree Associate in Applied Science Aursing

and have granted this diploma with all honors, rights and privileges appertaining thereto Given at Winghanton, New York May 2019

Chairperson of the Board of Crustees

President



# State University of New York College at Brockport

On the recommendation of the Faculty and by the virtue of the authority vested in them, the Trustees of the University have conferred upon

# Bridgette Elaine Bowles

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# Bachelor of Science in Nursing

and have granted this Diploma as evidence thereof. Given in the Village of Brockport, in the State of New York, this mouth of August, two thousand and twenty.

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Chancellor of the State of New York

President of the College

### 6. Summary of FNP Educational Preparation

MSN570 - Pathophysiology 3 credit hours MSN 571 - Pharmacology 3 credit hours MSN572 - Physical Assessment 4 credit hours

FNP 592 - Primary Care Physicians of Hampton Roads, Florence V. Paragas, MD, 135 hours

FNP 594 - Primary Care Physicians of Hampton Roads, Donna Bradshaw, AGPCNP, 135 hours

FNP 596 - County Pediatrics, Bina Fenn, MD FAAP, 135 hours

FNP 597 - TMM Medical Group, Jimmy Cooper, Jr., FNP-C, 135 hours

## 7. Certificates of Attendance for Continuing Education and other Certifications

Nursing License: Virginia, New York

Basic Life Support; Expires 08/2023

CPR; Expires 08/2023

## 8. Membership in professional organization

Current member of the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners Intention of joining a local Hampton roads FNP chapter

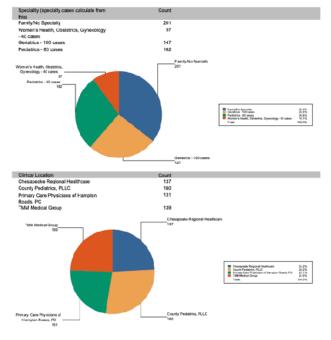
### 9. Professional presentations and publications

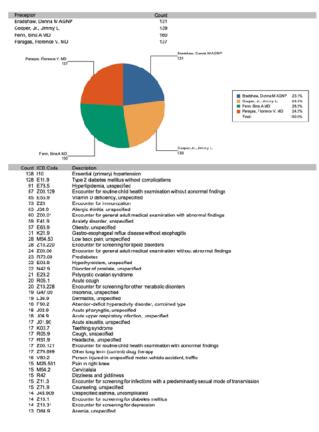
Throughout the 7 years of advanced education that have been completed, there have been may instances of publications and presentations. Unfortunately none of these been submitted for peer review. In the future professional presentations may be necessary and at that time I will be prepared based on my previous work.

# 10. Volunteer activities or past military or civil service

After gradation there is an opportunity to spread education throughout the community, I intend to spread awareness regarding chronic diseases by volunteering at local out reach programs. These include events in lower income areas where chronic disease such as diabetes and hypertension is more prominent.

#### 11. Clinical Hours







### 12. Reference Letters

#### County Pediatrics, P.L.L.C

Bina Fenn, M.D., F. A. A. P. 6420 B George Washington Memorial Highway Yorktown, VA-23692

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To: Whom it May Concern

RE: Bridgette Bowles

This letter is to recommend Bridgette Bowles, who completed her clinical pediatric rotation with me from May 2nd to June 8, 2022, for 150 hours. She came with competent clinical skills and a good knowledge base. It was good to see her develop confidence examining and assessing pediatric age patients. She asked pertinent questions and quickly learned how to document in our EMR system.

During her period with me she observed patient care and counseling. She was able to focus on important details, in the midst of the chaos of a typical pediatric setting.

Bridgette exhibited good interpersonal skills and flexibility.

I recommend her because I believe she will be an asset to any institution. I believe her academic skills, interpersonal ability, compassion, ability to organize and prioritize are strengths that will help her become an excellent at whatever she chooses to do.

Sincerely,

Bina Fenn, MD,



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August 11, 2022

To Whom it May Concern,

I had the pleasure of <u>precepting</u> Bridgette Bowles for 225 hours during her last semester as a Family Nurse Practitioner student. She assisted me in managing 15-20 patients/day in a busy Family Practice setting. Bridgette was a pleasure to work alongside. She was motivated and sought various learning opportunities that allowed her to expand her foundation and knowledge base. Her interactions with patients were positive and they would often compliment her bedtime manner. She has adequate time management and critical thinking skills. I am confident that she will quickly thrive in a nurturing environment and be an asset to similar practice settings.

I can be reached via email at <a href="mailto:icooper@tmmmedicalgroup.com">icooper@tmmmedicalgroup.com</a> or the contact information listed above if I can provide any additional information.

Very respectfully,

Dr. Jimmy Cooper, DHA, FNP-C

CEO/owner

TMM Medical Group