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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth: 6th September 1987

Gender: Female

Place of Birth: Navrongo, Ghana

Nationality: Ghanaian

Marital Status: Married

Religion: Christian

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

A highly dedicated, compassionate, and results-oriented **Registered Midwife** with over three years of progressive experience in maternal and newborn healthcare delivery. Skilled in antenatal care, labor and delivery management, postpartum support, and preventive health education. Demonstrates strong leadership through a successful tenure as head of the Reproductive and Child Health (RCH) Department, where I

oversaw maternal health initiatives, coordinated clinical teams, and ensured quality assurance. Possesses foundational skills in ultrasound scanning and a passion for improving healthcare access, especially for women and children in underserved communities. Committed to holistic, respectful maternity care, patient safety, and community health advocacy.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

- **Diploma in Midwifery**, *Kpembe Nursing and Midwifery Training College*
2016 – 2019
 - Clinical training in antenatal care, delivery, postnatal management, and emergency obstetric care

- Rotations through labor wards, neonatal care, family planning, and community outreach
- **Certificate in Community Health Nursing, Tamale Community Health Nursing Training College**
2009 – 2012
 - Focus on preventive health, immunization, health promotion, and rural health delivery
 - Hands-on experience in outreach programs and primary healthcare
 - Infant and young child feeding
 - Direct homecare-1providing in home care 2assisting in daily activities
 - Community outreach and advocacy by connecting people to access appropriate health care service

POFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Preventive Nurse – Ghana Health Service

Health Facility: Mankango Clinic, Savannah Region

period June 2013 TO June 2014

Served as a Certificate Preventive Nurse, later transferred to kpalbe health centre then a clinic as the facility In-charge

Responsibilities:

- Collaborated with midwives to provide prenatal and postnatal care to patients
- Assisted in conducting health education sessions for patients and community members
- Helped with patient intake, vital sign collection, and medical record-keeping
- Supported midwives in conducting deliveries and providing newborn care
- Participated in community outreach programs to promote health awareness and services

Skills Gained:

- Strong communication and interpersonal skills

- Ability to work effectively in a team environment
- Basic knowledge of prenatal and postnatal care
- Experience with health education and community outreach

Facility In-charge - *Kpanshegu Community Clinic*

Period: September 2014 TO 2016

I Coordinated clinic operations, supervised immunization campaigns, and ensured effective delivery of preventive services:

- Led community sensitization on maternal health, hygiene, and disease prevention
- Managed antenatal registers, supervised other staffs, and facilitated referrals to higher-level facilities
- Conducted emergency deliveries

Intern Midwife – *Salaga Municipal Hospital*

Period: April 2019 – March 2020

- Provided comprehensive maternal healthcare services including ANC, labor and delivery, PNC, and family planning
- Assisted in conducting over 100 safe deliveries during internship
- Offered emotional and medical support to expectant mothers and their family

Head, RCH Department

Location: Kpalbe Health Center

Period: 2023– To Date

- Managed maternal health programs and staff within the RCH unit
- Conducted training and mentorship for junior nurses and midwives
- Led data management and reporting for reproductive health indicators

- Advocated for maternal safety and girl-child health initiatives in local communities
 - Reduced teenage pregnancy through introduction of beading training.
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KEY COMPETENCIES & SKILLS

- **Clinical Care:** Skilled in normal deliveries, obstetric assessments, and newborn resuscitation
 - **Communication:** Builds trust and provides clear information to clients and teams
 - **Leadership:** Managed teams effectively, improved RCH service delivery
 - **Ultrasound Skills:** Basic use of ultrasound for fetal and maternal assessments
 - **Preventive Health:** Strong foundation in community-based health education and immunization
 - **Problem-Solving:** Applies evidence-based approaches in emergencies and routine care
 - **Time Management:** Effectively balances multiple clinical duties and administrative tasks
 - **Entrepreneurial Thinking:** Strong interest in developing community health initiatives and social ventures through beading
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TRAININGS & WORKSHOPS

- **Safe Motherhood Training** – Ghana Health Service
 - **Essential Newborn Care and Breastfeeding Support** – Facility-based program
 - **Basic Ultrasound Scanning** – Introduction to obstetric ultrasound
 - **Community Engagement and Health Promotion** – Local outreach facilitator
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LANGUAGES

- **English:** Fluent (Speaking, Reading, Writing)

- **local language:** [Gruni, Twi, Hausa and Dagbani]
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HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

- **Beading:** Engages in beading as a creative hobby and for community empowerment
 - **Volunteering:** Participates in community sensitization campaigns for maternal health
 - **Mentorship:** Enjoys guiding junior nurses and midwives in clinical and leadership development
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REFERENCES

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