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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Director of Clinical Laboratories Conceive NJ Wall Township, NJ *June 2022 to Present* 

IVF and Andrology Laboratory Director Park Avenue Fertility and Reproductive Medicine (PAFRM) Trumbull, CT March 2013 to Present

Clinical Laboratory Director Androvia LifeSciences Mountainside, NJ February 2017 to Present

IVF and Andrology Laboratory Director Hudson Valley Fertility, PLLC Fishkill, NY November 2020 to Present

President ART Laboratory Logistics Weston, CT *April 2014 to Present* 

IVF Laboratory and Tissue Bank Director Global Fertility & Genetics New York, NY *October 2016 to March 2019* 

Embryology and Andrology Supervisor Fertility Centers of New England (*FCNE*) Reading, MA *August 2007 – March, 2013* 

PROFESSIONAL On-Site and Off-Site Clinical Laboratory Management and Direction SERVICES: Tissue Bank Compliance and Direction FDA HCT/P Compliance **CLIA Certification and Compliance** CAP Accreditation and Compliance New York State Physician Office Laboratory (POLEP) Licensure NYS Clinical Laboratory Evaluation Program (CLEP) Licensure Laboratory Quality Control Laboratory Quality Assurance and Quality Management Laboratory KPI Database Generation and Maintenance Cryo-Inventory Database Generation and Maintenance SART Reporting and Compliance Proficiency Testing IVF Laboratory Design and Implementation ART Personnel Recruiting Personnel Training and Competency Evaluation Laboratory Consultancy for KPI Improvement Per Diem Embryology Services

SKILLS: Proficient in All Aspects of the ART/Andrology Laboratory Including: Design and Build-Out of ART Laboratories and Systems Design and Maintenance of Laboratory Equipment Including Embryo Culture Incubators, Video Microscopy Applications, PC Systems, Cryo Systems, Compressed Gas Delivery Systems, Environmental Control Systems and telemetric monitoring systems • Embryo Culture (Low Oxygen Culture, Benchtop Incubation, Time-Lapse Video Microscopy) • PGT – Blastomere and Trophectoderm Oocyte and Embryo Vitrification/Cryopreservation Clinical and Diagnostic Andrology EDUCATION: Ph.D. Graduate School of Biological Sciences. Mount Sinai School of Medicine of New York University. New York, NY September, 2007 B.S in Biomedical Technologies, The University of Vermont, School of Allied Health Sciences. Burlington, VT May, 2001

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