

# **Vanessa Wise, D.C.**

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## **Personal statement**

Suffered from debilitating vertigo, nausea and dizziness due to a severe motor vehicle collision and had amazing results under chiropractic care and thus became a chiropractor. Give hope to those who are suffering and not know that chiropractic may be able to help them. As a clinician I can empathize with patients who have been in motor vehicle collisions and help them using my experience and expertise. I am passionate about helping patients achieve their optimal health through chiropractic care.

## **Key Skills**

Proficient in history-taking, differential diagnosis and case management Knowledgeable in multiple treatment modalities for patient care and referral Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal

## **Employment History**

**Chiropractor and Clinic Director, Foundation Chiropractic, P.S., 1118 Outlet Collection Way SW Ste. 101 Auburn, WA 98001 (May 2016-Present)**

**Achievements and responsibilities:**

Manage day to day clinical operations

Assist Chiropractors in patient management including history-taking, differential diagnosis, x-ray analysis and case management

Perform Myovision Dynamic Range of Motion exams and oversees reports

Performs SWAY Application- baseline Concussion study protocols

Oversaw the transition of ownership between the seller company and new corporation

Efficiently run patient flow and patient management in the clinic

Oversee office payroll, bookkeeping, patient billing and patient insurance

Co-manage chiropractic patients with both Dr. Skylar Gemmer and Dr. Rustin Schreiner

**Washington State Chiropractic Quality Assurance Commissioner (Nov 2018- Present)**

**A Governor Appointed position:**

Reviews Public Complaints of Chiropractors and decides appropriate disciplinary action if violation has occurred.

- Serves on Joint Veterinary and Chiropractic Committee Board
- Serves on Jurisprudence Exam Committee Board
- Serves on Department of Health Legislative Call Committee
- Serves on Rules Committee

Received Badge on Investigating Reports of Sexual Misconduct from Council on Licensure, Enforcement and Regulation (CLEAR) NCIT Training

Attended Sexual Misconduct Analysis Review Team Training

**National Chiropractic Board of Examiners**

Part III Test Committee Member (March 2023)

Part IV Test Committee Member (September 2019)

**Associate Chiropractor, Lake Stevens Chiropractic, 905 SR 9 Lake Stevens, WA 98258**

(October 2010- April 2016)

Managed and maintained chiropractic patient visits

Adjusted hundreds of patients per week

Performed Myovision Dynamic Range of Motion and wrote reports on personal injury patients.

**Exam Doctor for Dr. Skylar Gemmer, DC at Vision Quest Chiropractic, Auburn, WA 98001**

(July 2009- October 2010)

1. Examined patients which consisted of taking full histories, conducting examinations, and analyzing and helping to interpret the x-rays taken.
2. Set up marketing events within the community to encourage healthy lifestyles.
3. Managed patient's insurance benefits, their treatment and payment plans.
4. Wrote numerous insurance reports for care status for Labor and Industries, personal injury cases and insurance claims.

**Research Assistant, Life Chiropractic College West (Oct 2008 - April 2009) 1.**

Assisted in conducting research for vertigo and balance study

2. Designed and created proposal for vertigo and balance study

**Kaiser Permanente South San Francisco, CA Health Education Assistant in Bariatric Surgery**  
(January 2005 - March 2006)

1. Provided education and support to bariatric patients before and after gastric bypass surgery.
2. Utilized Powerpoint for daily presentations to all patients on bariatric educational topics.
3. Presented and lead meditations for all patients.
4. Created and maintained patient database and gave weekly reports to Bariatric Surgery Team.

## **Education**

**Life Chiropractic College West, Hayward, CA**

Doctorate of Chiropractic (April 2006 – July 2009)

**University of California Berkeley** Bachelor of Arts in Women's Health, UC Berkeley, CA--Senior  
Thesis: Foucault's Concept of Biopower and its Effects on Breast Cancer (June 2004)

## **Awards**

Washington State Chiropractic Association Service Award (2022)

## **Certifications**

1. Whiplash Injury Biomechanics & Traumatology 2018, Modules 1-4, Spine Research Institute of San Diego
2. Whiplash Biomechanics & Injury Traumatology, Advanced Certification, Spine Research Institute of San Diego, 2018.
3. Center for Disease Control ACSM CEC Concussion Certification
4. Certified in Myovision Dynamic Range of Motion

## **Presentations**

1. Created and Presented Presentation to NAMI of South King County (National Alliance on Mental Illness) on "Traumatic Brain Injuries and Its Effects"
2. Organized and Presented Biye Cranial Chiropractic Technique to other chiropractors in the Washington State area
3. Created and Presented Myovision Case Studies to fellow Chiropractors

## Volunteer Experience

### **Federation of Chiropractic Licensing Boards- Volunteer**

Appointed to the PACE commission review team *(December 2020- Present)*

Appointed to the Model Practice Act team *(January 2023- Present)*

### **ChiroCongress - Volunteer**

Chiropractic Professionwide Strategic planning work group committee member *(January 2021- Present)*

### **Federation of Chiropractic Licensing Boards- Volunteer**

*Alternate Delegate (May 2021)*

### **National Chiropractic Board of Examiners- Volunteer**

*Alternate Delegate (April 2021)*

*Alternate Delegate (April 2022)*

### **National Latina Health Organization- Volunteer**

Evaluated government health policies and relayed information regarding the effects of those health policies to the Latina community via newsletter articles.

### **FACES (Family Assessment Counseling and Education Services)- Volunteer**

Tutored at risk minority youth of Oakland and assisted with their college applications.

### **STARSS (Students Towards a Rapid Smoke-free School)- Volunteer**

Created a student group to ban smoking at Ohlone College by working with the board of trustees toward the creation of new legislation. Presented results via Poster Presentation at the National Tobacco Control Conference.

### **Project Dulce- Volunteer**

Provided diabetes information and healthier food alternatives to the Latino population in an effort to promote healthier lifestyles.

## References

References are available upon request.