

Resume

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Certified IPTouch Animal Massage & Care Provider Founder

Licensed Physical Therapy Assistant, Certified Massage Therapist

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ANIMAL Education / Employment

CURRENT

- Innovative Pet Therapy: owner and founder 1998
- Instructor: University of Nevada Las Vegas (UNLV) Continuing Education Department
- City Las Vegas Business License, Home Business Permit
- City Animal Handler's Permit
- Animal Massage Liability Insured: Jones & Mitchell

2007 to Present

- UNLV: IPTouch Animal Care Provider Certification courses.

Instructor: approx 2001 to 2006

- Community College of Southern Nevada
- IPT Community Education Animal IPTouch
- Pet CPR First Aid. Pet Tech Instructor certification (Animal First Aid and CPR)
- Community Stable Sites: IPT Equine Animal Massage.
- Lied Animal Shelter
- Best Friends Employee Workshop
- NCBTMB educational provider

Publications

- www.iptanimalcare.org- webmaster
- IPTouch Animal Care Provider manual course text book and DVD.

Contributing Writer

- The Vegas Dog newspaper
- Nevada Valley Horse News
- Small and large pet IPTouch Animal Care Handling & Safety Training (workshops for community owners)

Animal Educational Studies

- Barbara Heidenreich: Parrot Behavior & Training
- Canine-Equine Biomechanics
- Canine Rehabilitation
- Pet Tech First Response/Animal CPR/First Aid Instructor
- Certified Animal Science
- Certified Barnes Equine Myofascial Release
- Equine/Canine Massage Awareness Inc.
- Nevada School of Dog Grooming Inc. Certification
- MANY years working & living in the animal world...

IPTouch work sites: (active and non-active)

- Roos-N-More Zoo
- NSPCA
- Lied Animal Shelter
- Shilo Horse Rescue
- Cheval: training employees
- IPTouch direct care
- Jungle Friends (Primate)
- Bonnie Springs (Equine, Canine, and Animal)
- Greyhound Rescue Nevada Chapter
- NARHA-STAR (Equine Riding for the Handicapped)
- Pot Bellied Pig Rescues
- Beckridge Stable
- Keepers of the Wild (benefit activity activation)
- Zumanity snake care handler.
- Gilcrease Nature Sanctuary. Began educational enrichment department. (unable to complete)
- Spirit Therapies

IPTouch Project Goals

- Animal IPTouch enrichment & educational support for rescue sanctuaries.

IPTouch Sponsorships (active and non-active)

- Lifetime Member: Best Friends Animal Sanctuary
- Gold Membership: Jungle Friends Primate Sanctuary
- Southern Nevada Parrot Rescue & Rehoming Club
- Spirit Therapies NARHA
- Heaven Can Wait
- IAATH: International Alliance for Animal Therapy & Healing
- IAAMB: International Association of Animal Massage & Bodywork
- UAN: United Animal Nations
- American Sanctuary Association
- Homes for Horses Coalition
- ZAA.org: Zoological Association of America
- Instructor: Pet Tech First Aid & Care For Your Pets
- ACSMA-American Canine Sports Medicine Association
- ACSMA - American Canine Sports Medicine Association
- Orthopedic Animal Therapy-American Physical Therapy Association
- ncbtmb Educational Provider National Certification Board: Therapeutic Bodywork
- CHAP- Canadian Horse and Animal Physical Therapist Association

Human Employment

Cirque du Soleil

- **1995-April 2007 retirement: Physical Therapy Department (Las Vegas, Nevada)**
 - Massage Therapist
 - Pilate's Instructor
 - Assistance with structuring pre-post exercise / rehabilitation program goals
 - Emergency Medical Technician (1986 – 2001)
 - CPR Instructor (past)

Member insured (past and present)

- NCBTMB
- Nevada Physical Therapy Assistant
- AMTA: American Massage Therapy Association
- IDEA Health & Fitness Association
- Human American heart Association CPR Certification

Medical EMPLOYMENT: 1998 – 2000

- **Physical Therapy:** University Medical Center-Las Vegas, Nevada Department of Physical Medicine, Inpatient Acute, Rehabilitation, Outpatient, Neurology, Orthopedics

Manual Therapy

- **Instructor:** Nursing seminars - safe patient transfers, CPR instructor
- **Physical Therapy:** Rehabilitation Hospital of Nevada- acute injuries, ventilator patient care, specializing in TBI, Neurology, Spinal Injury (Young Adult and Children): Manual and Physical Therapy, Splinting and serial casting techniques, (Instructor), Wheelchair and assistive device fitting, Wheelchair safety seminars (Instructor), CPR instructor
- **Physical Therapy:** Lifecare Hospital - Las Vegas, Nevada, Geriatric Rehabilitation, Wound Care
- **Physical Therapy:** THC Hospital- Las Vegas, Nevada, Acute Rehabilitation

Massage Therapist

- Green Valley Athletic Club Oasis of Hands Spa

Instructor Training

- Instructors instructor certification - American Heart Association
- Clinical Educators Conference - monitoring of physical therapy assistant students
- Nursing staff instructor: wheelchair, equipment, and patient mobility safety awareness

Certification Studies

- Licensed Physical Therapy Assistant
- Mueller's Collage of Holistic Studies-Massage Therapy
- Emergency Medical Technician
- American Heart Association-CPR Instructor American Red Cross- First Aid Instructor
- National Academy of Sports Medicine - Personal Fitness Trainer
- American Academy of Medical Assistant
- Physical Therapy Assistant Clinical Instructor
- Pilates Instructor UNLV: Pilates Instructor: Wellness Center, Las Vegas Nevada

Continuing Education Seminars and Workshops

- Respiratory Clinics
- St. John Neuromuscular Therapy seminars
- Total Joint Rehabilitation of the Knee and Shoulder
- Norwegian Manual Therapy
- Swedish Ball Therapy
- Child-Young Adult Head Injury Symposium
- Sports Medicine Orthopedic Seminar
- International Institute of Reflexology
- Pilates
- Emergency Medicine Seminars
- Strain / Counter Strain
- Orthotics for Children
- Hands-On Therapy's: Trigger and Myofascial for Cervical and Shoulder Management
- Kinesio taping, Orthopedic Massage
- Neurological Impingement of the Shoulder
- Yoga Mechanics for the Healthcare Provider
- STOTT Pilates Intermediate Reformer, BOSU Integrated Balance
- Shoulder Rehab for the Athletic Shoulder
- Spinal Wheelchair management for postural awareness
- Unlocking MS mysteries
- Ergonomics (orthopedic spinal health)

Volunteer Work

- Las Vegas Track (running) Club (On-site Sports massage)
- Sports Massage Team (Bud Lite Triathlon Series)
- Mercy Ambulance Ride Along
- Clark County Suicide Prevention Hotline
- Cirque du Soleil 5k Race Coordination team.

Hobbies

- Continued education and teaching, distant cycling and running, duathlons...