

MATTISON BURRISS

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EDUCATION

Expected in **Bachelor of Science: Biology**

05/2025 **University of Florida** - Gainesville, FL

- Relevant Coursework: Medical Terminology, Computer Science, Introduction to the Health Professions
- Professional Development: 40 hours of pre-health shadowing with UF College of Medicine, 257 hours of clinical shadowing in dermatology

05/2021 **Associate of Arts**

Hillsborough Community College - Tampa, FL

- 3.95 GPA, High Honors

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Highly motivated and committed with a proven history of superior performance at the individual, team, and organizational levels. Passionate about community health care and prevention. Multitasks and prioritizes workloads with little or no supervision. Detail-oriented student looking to gain experience in a clinical setting.

SKILLS

- Self-Driven
- Proactive
- Team Player
- Motivated
- Positive Attitude and Energetic
- Organized and Efficient

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

08/2022 **Internship**

To **Project CONTINUITY** - Gainesville, FL

Present

- Discovered recent publications that research disparities in cancer patients.
- Assisted in community clinics and interacted with patients while providing information about screening techniques.
- Directed patients to their destination at busy clinic sites.
- Created educational cancer infographics community members.

Junior Medical Assistant / Clinical Observation

05/2022 **Orchid Dermatology** – Bradenton, FL

To

08/2022

- Showed patients to their rooms while establishing patient records.
- Identified the patient's current spots of concern.
- Assisted healthcare providers with biopsies and basal/squamous skin cancer excisions.
- Sanitized room after procedure and gathering materials for the next patient.

Independent Tutor

05/2019 **Perry Miles Smart Tutoring** – Lakewood Ranch, FL

to

02/2021

- Supported students with helpful study habits and exam strategies.
- Provided homework assistance using specific curriculum and materials.
- Used positive reinforcement, repetition, and review to help students master challenging material.

EXTRACURRICULARS

Volunteer

01/2023 **Aces in Motion**– Gainesville, FL

- To
- Encourage students academically through tutoring and mentorship.
- Present
- Teach basic fundamentals of tennis to afterschool groups.

Mentor

08/2022 **First Generation Leadership Program** – Gainesville, FL

- To
- Connect freshman to research and clinical opportunities.
- Present
- Give pre-medical advice regarding classes and course load.

Volunteer

08/2022 **Fun and Fit Wellness Center *Department of Pediatric Endocrinology*** - Gainesville, FL

- To
- Create fun activities while children that promote healthy lifestyle choices.
- Present
- Establish plans with parents to prevent the onset or progression of weight-related chronic diseases.
 - Educate parents on free opportunities in the community where they can find healthy affordable food options and various afterschool programs that get kids moving.

Volunteer

02/2018 **Meals on Wheels** – Tampa, FL

- To
- Assisted with special events or programs.
- 11/2019
- Maintained clean, neat, and operational facilities to serve program needs.
 - Used strong interpersonal communication skills to convey information to others.

CERTIFICATIONS

- BLS Certification (08/2023)
- Certified First Responder
- Certified Dermatology Technician