

Daniel Okonkwo

Registered Neurodiagnostic Technologist

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SUMMARY

Registered neurodiagnostic technologist with 9 years of EEG, long-term monitoring and evoked potentials, holding R. EEG T. and CLTM credentials. Leads a 6-person EEG team at a level 4 epilepsy center, reviews continuous EEG for 10+ ICU beds and runs the lab's quality assurance program. Teaches every new technologist the department's seizure recognition standards.

SKILLS

- EEG
- Long-Term Monitoring
- Continuous EEG
- Evoked Potentials
- Epilepsy Monitoring Unit
- Seizure Recognition
- Electrode Application
- Quality Assurance
- Staff Training
- Communication Skills

EXPERIENCE

Registered Neurodiagnostic Technologist 06/2022 - Present
Puget Sound Neuroscience Center Seattle, WA

Lead technologist at a level 4 epilepsy center with an 8-bed EMU and neuro ICU.

- Lead a 6-person team covering routine, EMU and continuous studies 7 days a week.
- Review continuous recordings for 10+ ICU beds and page neurologists on seizures within 5 minutes.
- Run monthly quality assurance on 40 studies, cutting technical rejects from 6% to 2%.
- Develop training for 4 new hires a year on electrode application, seizure recognition and EMU safety.

Neurodiagnostic Technologist 07/2019 - 05/2022
Cedar Valley Medical Center Waterloo, IA

Neurodiagnostic lab of a 250-bed regional hospital.

- Performed 7-9 routine, evoked potential and ambulatory studies a day for inpatients and outpatients.
- Monitored 4 EMU beds during medication tapers and documented every clinical event for the epileptologist.
- Set up the lab's first ICU continuous monitoring service, reaching 30 studies a month in year one.

EEG Technician 06/2017 - 06/2019
Hawkeye Neurology Associates Iowa City, IA

Outpatient neurology clinic EEG lab.

- Recorded 6 routine EEGs a day, applying electrodes to the 10-20 system with low impedances.
- Wrote technical summaries for 3 neurologists and earned the R. EEG T. in the second year.

EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science 05/2017
Kirkwood Community College Cedar Rapids, IA
Neurodiagnostic Technology

CERTIFICATES

Registered EEG Technologist (R. EEG T.)
ABRET Neurodiagnostic Credentialing and Accreditation
03/2019

Certified Long Term Monitoring (CLTM)
ABRET Neurodiagnostic Credentialing and Accreditation
09/2021

Basic Life Support (BLS)
American Heart Association
04/2026