

# Layla Cole

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## SUMMARY

Compassionate and dedicated Pulmonology Nurse Practitioner with over two years' experience in long-term care and skilled nursing environments. Proven expertise includes diagnosing and managing respiratory conditions such as asthma, COPD, and pneumonia. Skilled in developing individualized treatment plans that incorporate thorough assessments and patient education materials. Excellent organizational and time management skills drive continuous improvement for patient outcomes. Eager to contribute to a collaborative team focused on high-quality care while ensuring compliance with protocols and regulations.

## EXPERIENCE

### Pulmonology Nurse Practitioner

January 2025 - Present

CareWell Health Services

Rochester, NY

Oversee pulmonary health services, championing best practices to deliver exceptional patient care. Collaborate effectively with medical teams in managing comprehensive patient assessments, diagnostic procedures, and managing treatments where needed.

- Conducted comprehensive assessments and screenings for patients with asthma, COPD, and pneumonia, ensuring accurate diagnosis and effective treatment plans.
- Performed spirometry and chest X-rays, facilitating data-driven decision-making on patient progress.
- Developed patient education materials focusing on medication adherence, significantly enhancing patient engagement and adherence.
- Collaborated with interdisciplinary teams to optimize the treatment protocol tailored to individual patient needs.
- Monitored and documented patient responses to treatments in EMR systems, supporting regulatory compliance and quality patient care.
- Initiated follow-up processes leading to timely adjustments in care based on evolving patient requirements.

### Nurse Practitioner

June 2024 - December 2024

Greenwood Nursing Facility

Syracuse, NY

Provided primary care services in a skilled nursing setting focused on optimization of respiratory health and management of complex conditions.

- Provided direct patient care with a focus on respiratory illnesses, implementing therapeutic interventions coordinated with specialized staff.
- Pioneered educational initiatives for patients and families on disease management strategies, uplifting health outcomes.
- Streamlined communication between nursing and specialist teams to create a more integrated approach to patient care.
- Executed routine evaluations which enhanced continuity of care and allowed for preemptive adjustments in therapy.
- Coordinated care planning meetings that promoted shared insights on patient responses to interventions, improving overall team dynamics.
- Implemented best practices for respiratory care, significantly reducing patient acuity levels and improving wellness indicators.

## LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Professional Excellence Award for Outstanding Patient Care at CareWell Health Services
- Recognition for Leadership in Nursing Education Initiatives at Greenwood Nursing Facility

## EDUCATION

### Master of Science in Nursing

2024

University of Rochester GPA: 3.8

Rochester, NY

**Coursework:** Advanced Physiology, Pharmacology, Research Methods, Health Assessment

## CERTIFICATIONS

- Nurse Practitioner License 2024
- DEA License 2024
- CPR BCLS/BLS Certification 2024

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Medical Assessment Tools:** spirometry, chest X-ray, blood gas analysis
- Electronic Medical Records:** Epic, Meditech, Cerner
- Patient Management Software:** MediTech, EpicCare, Athenahealth
- Treatment Guidelines:** National Guideline Clearinghouse, AANP Recommendations, CDC Guidelines
- Healthcare Regulations:** HIPAA, OSHA, JCAHO Standards
- Clinical Training:** Advanced Practice Registered Nurse, Critical Care Nursing, Pain Management
- Diagnostic Techniques:** Clinical examination, laboratory testing, imaging studies

- **Preventive Healthcare Strategies:** Screening programs, vaccination campaigns, wellness checks
- **Patient Engagement Platforms:** Healthwise, MyChart, Zocdoc
- **Continuing Education Certificates:** Pulmonary Rehabilitation, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Pediatric Advanced Life Support

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## SKILLS

- Patient Assessment
- Treatment Plan Development
- Respiratory Care
- Patient Education
- EMR Documentation
- Interdisciplinary Collaboration
- Disease Management
- Medication Administration
- Health Strategy Development
- Physical Examinations
- Diagnostic Testing
- Therapeutic Intervention
- Patient Progress Monitoring
- Clinical Protocol Improvement
- Healthcare Compliance

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## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing
- Active Volunteer at Local Health Clinics providing free screening services

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## LANGUAGES

- English (Native)
- Spanish (Proficient)

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## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**Work Status** : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

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## REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST