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Attentive server with over five years of experience in casual dining and gastropubs, specializing in building loyal customer relationships, resolving complaints promptly, and upselling craft beer and seasonal dishes. Proven track record of exceeding sales goals and contributing to team efficiency.

Professional Experience

January 2022 -Present

Server

Steuben's, Denver, CO

- Manage up to 10 tables in a high-volume gastropub, serving 150+ guests daily during peak hours
- Recommend craft beer pairings and rotating seasonal menu items, increasing overall guest satisfaction scores by 20%
- Cultivate repeat clientele through personalized service, leading to a 15% boost in quest retention rates
- Assist with onboarding and training of new hires, helping reduce training time by 10%

June 2019

Server

Avanti Food & Beverage, Denver, CO

December 2021

- Delivered exceptional service in a bustling food hall, managing diverse menu offerings from multiple vendors
- Used upselling strategies to exceed individual sales targets by 25%
- Supported shift leads with opening and closing duties, maintaining a clean and organized workspace
- Resolved guest concerns quickly and professionally, contributing to a 95% satisfaction rating on post-dining surveys

Education

Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) in Culinary Arts I May 2019

Community College of Denver, Denver, CO

Key Skills		
Craft beer knowledge	Menu upselling	
Guest retention strategies	Seasonal menu expertise	
Staff training and mentorship		