

HEALTH ADVOCATE NURSE

Job Description:

Position Overview: The Health Advocate Nurse provides whole person health promotion, disease prevention services, and assistance with accessing health care.

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- Discuss health issues and concerns with Park employees and assess their needs
- Promote an understanding of the relationship between lifestyles, attitudes, and well-being through activities such as classes, health fairs, personal counseling, and educational materials
- Provide and document services rendered to all employees and referrals to health care services and resources
- Develop community contacts in order to identify and secure resources and services appropriate to the needs of the Park employees
- Prepare and teach or coordinate classes/seminars on health maintenance, disease prevention, and early disease detection through screenings
- Facilitate the development of support groups as needed
- Collaborate with community leaders and agencies to facilitate effective working relationships and to identify new resources
- Keep current on nursing and health care issues, as well as community health care resources
- Coordinate volunteers who assist in meeting the goals of the program
- Maintain records of activities to assure adherence to and periodic evaluation of the program
- All other duties as assigned

Required Experience

Qualifications:

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill and/or ability required. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

Education and/or Experience:

- Bachelor's Degree in Nursing preferred, Minimum of 5 years clinical experience required, preferably from a home health, public health, clinic, psychiatric/chemical dependency, physician office, or a community health setting
- Completion of a Faith Community Nursing Foundations course, preferably using curriculum developed by Church Health Center
- Knowledge of health promotion, whole person health philosophy, and health services and resources in the community
- Knowledge of adult education principles with some teaching experience preferred

Certificates, licenses, registrations:

Must have and maintain a valid Driver's License, Must be currently licensed as a Registered Professional Nurse in the State of Georgia and willing to obtain a Florida nursing license

Interpersonal Skills:

Friendly, positive attitude toward others, ability to display servant based behaviors to include: being patient, kind, humble, respectful, selfless, forgiving, honest, and committed

Adaptability/Flexibility:

Job requires being open to change and to considerable variety in the workplace

Language Skills:

Ability to write routine reports and correspondence. Ability to speak to customers or employees of organization. Clear speaking voice needed and a second language is helpful. Superior written and verbal communication skills are required.

Mathematical Skills:

Ability to add, subtract, multiply and divide in all units of measure, using whole numbers, common fractions and decimals.

Reasoning Ability:

Ability to apply common sense understanding to carry instructions furnished in written, oral or diagram form. Ability to deal with problems involving several concrete variables in standardized situations.

Physical Demands:

Described here are representative of those demands that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of the job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential duties. While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to sit; use hands to finger, handle or feel; reach with hands and arms; and talk and hear. The employee is frequently required to stand and walk. The employee must frequently lift and/or move up to 20 pounds. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception and ability to adjust focus. Must be able to take directional cues directly and indirectly

Work Environment:

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions. While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly exposed to outside weather conditions. The noise level in the work environment is usually mild to moderate

Additional Requirements:

- Must understand, read, write and speak the English language
- Must be at least 21 years old
- Must have the ability to work days, nights, weekdays, weekends and holidays as needed
- Must be skilled in operating a variety of medical equipment and able to troubleshoot problems
- Must be knowledgeable of and compliant with the Georgia Nurse Practice Act
- Must show evidence of self-direction and excellent communication skills
- Must have the ability to apply concepts such as fractions, percentages, ratios, and proportions to practical situations
- Must have the ability to define problems, collect data, establish facts and draw valid conclusions
- Must handle confidential information responsibly
- Must have basic computer skills and a willingness to learn additional skills
- Must have a vehicle that can be used during work hours as needed

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Valdosta, Georgia, United States

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