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POSITION VACANCY

Position Available: Advanced Practice Provider II

405-48-202

Location: Watauga Health Center (with travel as needed throughout the District to fill

staffing vacancies)

Salary: \$75,468-119,364 annually

Salary negotiable based on qualifications and experience

Hours: 80% time, 32 hours per week, between the hours of 7:00am and 6:00pm to serve

patients during normal clinic hours of operation which are Monday-Friday,

8:00am - 4:45pm. Potential to work outside normal hours for client needs, special

events, or public health emergencies.

Job Summary: Serves the clients of Watauga Health Center by providing preventive, primary

care and public health services.

Major Duties and Responsibilities:

Provide high quality preventive public health and primary care to clients seeking healthcare services. Collect health histories, perform physical exams, and offer education, counseling and treatment to clients seeking healthcare services within Primary Care, Maternal Health, Family Planning, Sexually-Transmitted Disease, as well as Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program. Interest in providing Medication Assisted Treatment services for patients in recovery from opiate addiction is preferred. Ongoing supervision from the Medical Director includes defined patient care protocols and guidelines with availability for prompt consultation.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

Thorough knowledge of techniques of interviewing, medical and relevant history taking, principles and practices of general medicine and disease states as they relate to the area of work; thorough knowledge of health appraisal tools, laboratory tests and findings, advanced physical assessment, advanced pathophysiology, advanced pharmacology, and therapeutic procedures as related to the area of work; thorough knowledge and ability to plan a regime of care based on assessment and findings; considerable knowledge of available resources and appropriate referral methods. Skills in performing clinical functions. Skill in assisting with routine surgical procedures. Ability to examine patients and detect abnormalities; ability to record accurately and completely all information necessary to evaluate and plan care and to convey this to the physician; ability to communicate orally; ability to teach and counsel individuals, families and groups in areas of health maintenance, preventive medicine, and care of the sick; and the ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with staff and to gain the confidence of patients and families and work effectively with them; some ability to plan and conduct in-service training programs. Work requires judgment in the application

of accepted patient care protocols and medical guidelines in the area of assignment to determine the appropriate course of action.

Minimum Education and Experience:

Licensed as a Physician Assistant by the North Carolina Medical Board or approved to practice as a Nurse Practitioner or Certified Nurse Midwife by the North Carolina Board of Nursing and the North Carolina Medical Board and one year of experience as an Advanced Practice Practitioner.

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