

Hours: 9:00 a.m.-5:00p.m.
Monday-Friday

Job Type: Nurse Practitioner

Wage: Commensurate
with experience

Location: Hazelton, BC

Start Date: Negotiable

Work Site: Wrinch Memorial Hospital

Consider the Opportunity

Wrinch Memorial Hospital, a fully accredited, acute care facility has a unique and proud history in the Hazelton's. Modern medicine was pioneered through mission hospitals. Operating under the United Church Health Services and affiliated with the Northern Health Authority, Wrinch Memorial Hospital has a diversity of services under its roof, including Doctors Clinic and 24-7 Emergency Room, Pharmacy, Home and Community Care, Lab, Ultrasound and X-ray services, Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy, Surgery, Maternity, and Complex Care, Diabetes education, and Visiting specialists.

Position Summary

The Nurse Practitioner is responsible and accountable for the comprehensive assessment of patients/clients/residents including diagnosing diseases, disorders, and conditions. The Nurse Practitioner initiates treatment including health care management, therapeutic interventions and prescribes medications in accordance with the statutory and regulatory standards, limits, and conditions, and employer policies and procedures. The Nurse Practitioner provides professional guidance to other health professionals and practices autonomously and interdependently within the context of an interdisciplinary health care team, making referrals to specialist physicians and others as appropriate.

The position collaborates with patients/clients/residents and other health professionals to identify and assess trends and patterns that have implications for patients/clients/residents, families and communities; develops and implements population and evidence based strategies to improve health and participates in policy-making activities that influence health services and practices. The position participates in peer review and self review to evaluate the outcome of services at the patient/client/resident, community and population level. This position will provide outreach services to First Nations Communities.

Qualifications

Education and Experience

- Eligible for registration as a Nurse Practitioner with the College of Registered Nurses of British Columbia (CRNBC).
- Completion of RNBC approved Master's degree level nurse practitioner program.
- Recent relevant clinical nursing experience.

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Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

- Ability to communicate and collaborate with patients/clients/residents and families about health findings, diagnosis, treatment, self-care and prognosis.
- Ability to collaborate, consult with and formally refer patients/clients/residents to physicians and other health professionals when appropriate.
- Ability to critically assess and evaluate health research literature to determine best practices; ability to introduce education and evidence based research.
- Ability to assess and recognize population health trends; ability to plan and implement strategies for population based prevention and health promotion.
- Ability to implement and evaluate planned change.
- Ability to supervise others and evaluate the care they deliver.
- Ability to lead a team and work within a team.
- Ability to self-direct, interact, and adapt effectively with other professionals in complex, dynamic situations.
- Ability to transfer knowledge, teach, coach and mentor others.
- Ability to identify and respond appropriately to legal and ethical issues that may arise in patient/resident/client care.
- Ability to self-assess performance and assume responsibility and accountability for own professional development, educational or consultative assistance when appropriate.

Ability to communicate effectively, both verbally and in writing. Ability to work independently, prioritize and organize work. Ability to deal with others effectively. Physical ability to carry out the duties of the position. Ability to operate related equipment.

Benefits and Incentives:

Relocation allowance. Others negotiable

We thank all applicants for applying. Short listed candidates will be contacted; others will be kept in our database for future consideration.

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