

JOB OPENING

Staff Registered Nurse (Health Department)

Qualifications: Certification of graduation from a school of nursing approved by the Department of Professional Regulation and an Illinois license as a registered nurse by examination, or an Illinois license by endorsement are required. A valid driver's license is also required.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- performs duties in accordance with Madison County Health Department protocols, the Illinois Department of Public Health, and Federal guidelines for each program the Health Department supports
- utilizes the nursing process to assess patients, families, or communities; identifies problems, implements plans, and evaluates the effectiveness of the plans in such programs as Communicable Disease, Tuberculosis, Immunizations, Lead, etc.
- collects and interprets data for epidemiological purposes
- maintains clinical records
- demonstrates and performs nursing procedures within the scope of practice of a professional registered nurse
- interviews patients to obtain a thorough personal and family history
- recognizes and interprets symptoms of patients' conditions, reports to appropriate person and assists with remedial measures for adverse developments
- provides counseling with regard to the physical and emotional needs of the patients and their families
- confers with parents, physicians, dentists, schools, and other agencies to gather important information related to a holistic and preventative health approach for communities as a whole
- confers with other health and social service providers, with written consent of the patient, to provide a more holistic approach to patient care
- participates in program reviews
- teaches patients, family and others about nursing care, treatments, and health practices
- performs other duties as required or assigned which are reasonably within the scope of the duties enumerated above

Submit Applications by March 31, 2017 to:

**TONI CORONA, ADMINISTRATOR
MADISON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
101 E. EDWARDSVILLE, ROAD
WOOD RIVER, IL 62095**

Salary range is \$23.49/HR to \$29.11/HR Grade 11.

This position is covered under the AFSCME Union contract and is supervised by the Personal Health Services Manager.

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