



Hôpital général de Nipissing Ouest

West Nipissing General Hospital

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PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT

West Nipissing General Hospital

Nursing Care Unit / Complex Continuing Care Unit

Permanent Full-Time Position

The West Nipissing General Hospital (WNGH) is a small rural 99 bed hospital located on the shore of Lake Nipissing, 45 KM west of North Bay and 100 KM east of Sudbury. As a fully accredited hospital, we operate a 24/7 ED, provide both outpatient and inpatient services as well as a 48 bed Interim Long Term Care Unit and a Mental Health & Substance Abuse program.

Under the supervision of a Physician, the Physician Assistant will actively participate in the practice of medicine in the Nursing Care Unit and Complex Continuing Care Unit Care in accordance with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario's policy on delegation.

Key Responsibilities

- Work with supervising physician in the care of patients within the physician-patient relationship
- Work in conjunction with the health care team to assess, plan, provide and integrate care of individual patients
- Collect and interpret information in order to present a clinical treatment plan for approval by the supervising physician
- Obtain health history as appropriate, including patient demographics, chief complaint, history of present illness, past medical, surgical, family and psychosocial history, medications, allergies and systems reviews
- Formulate a treatment and management plan based on assessment and investigation results
- Accurately convey relevant information and explanation to the supervising physician, patients, families and other health care professionals
- Maintain clear, accurate and appropriate records of the patient encounter and management plan
- Participate in activities that contribute to the effectiveness of the Hospital and established systems
- Effectively prioritize and execute tasks in collaboration with colleagues
- Promote the health of individual patients, communities and populations
- Identify opportunities for advocacy, health promotion and disease prevention
- Demonstrate a commitment to delivering the highest quality care
- Recognize and respond to ethical issues encountered in practice including issues of patient consent
- Recognize the principle and limits of patient confidentiality as defined by practice standards and laws

Qualifications

- Bachelor of Health Sciences (Physician Assistant) degree
- National Physician Assistant Certification
- Current membership with the Canadian Association of Physician Assistants
- Strong conceptual, analytical, problem-solving and organizational skills
- Bilingualism an asset (French and English)

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and detailed resume to:

West Nipissing General Hospital - Human Resources
725 Coursol Road
Sturgeon Falls, ON P2B 2Y6
Fax: 705-753-0210 OR Email: humanresources@wngh.ca

The WNGH has policies in place to demonstrate its commitment to ensuring that all individuals are provided with meaningful employment that is ethical and fair, and is in compliance with all applicable employment and human rights legislation.

The WNGH is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applications from all interested parties. We thank you for your interest, however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

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