

**Cornwall Community Hospital
Hôpital communautaire de Cornwall**

Ambulatory Care- Respiratory and Heart Function Clinic/Geriatric Day Hospital
Job Posting
(ONA Local 42)

JOB TITLE: Nurse Practitioner **(Temporary Full-Time)**

As part of the Cornwall Community Hospital you uphold the mission, vision and ICARE values in order to create a safe environment for patients/clients, families, staff, physicians and volunteers, recognizing “Patient Safety” and our hospital’s “Senior Friendly Strategies” as a top priority in creating a culture of safety and “The Workplace of Choice”.

Function Summary:

Reporting to the Director, Chronic Disease Management, the Nurse Practitioner (NP) provides direct, specialized, comprehensive nursing assessments, case management, lifestyle counseling, and education emphasizing on health promotion, and disease prevention strategies to positively affect health outcomes. The NP coordinates patient care to facilitate continuity of care for respiratory and decompensated heart failure patients as well as the frail elderly, working collaboratively with interdisciplinary team to assess, plan, implement, and evaluate clinical interventions. The incumbent acts as a liaison and consultant to other health care providers and regional partners regarding patient care and health services within the LHIN. She/he provides leadership in the transfer of knowledge into practice in nursing and related fields appropriate to the clinical focus.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Required:

- Holds current Certificate of Competence from the College of Nurses of Ontario in the extended class
- Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing from a recognized University
- Ability to apply critical thinking to patient care
- Demonstrated knowledge and understanding of legal and ethical issues
- Excellent organizational, interpersonal, problem solving and decision making
- Demonstrated leadership ability, teaching and consulting skills
- Excellent writing and publication skills
- Clinical expertise related to patient care and administrative, educational and research matters
- Strong clinical assessment skills, in particular in the area of gerontology and respiratory/heart function
- Advanced knowledge of the consultation process as they relate to individuals, groups and/or systems
- Knowledge of the regional health care system in the area of the discipline/specialty
- Knowledge of computers including MS Office (e.g. Word, PowerPoint, Access, Excel, statistical programs, graphics packages)
- Proven ability in working effectively with all members of health care team
- Demonstrated regular, punctual attendance
- Demonstrated commitment to patient safety
- Functional level in both official languages (oral and written in English; oral in French and testing completed)

Preferred:

- Membership with RNAO and the Nurse Practitioner’s Association of Ontario

SALARY: \$47.80 – \$51.82 per hour.

HOURS: Scheduled – subject to change based on operations.

To apply for this position, or if you have any questions please email:

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or

Fax: 938-4073

We thank all candidates for applying; however only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.