

JOB VACANCY NOTICE

There is a job vacancy with the **BAY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT – Children’s Special Health Care Services.**

JOB TITLE: Public Health Nurse - CSHCS

RATE OF PAY: B.S.N.: \$22.28 per hour to \$26.15 per hour (4 year range)
R.N.: \$22.11 per hour to \$25.44 per hour (4 year range)

This is a full-time position (up to 40 hours per week) with benefits as provided for within the Public Health Nurses’ Organization labor agreement, although membership is voluntary.

GENERAL SUMMARY:

This nurse will primarily provide home-based public health nursing services to children and their families enrolled in the Children's Special Health Care Services (CSHCS) program following the rules and regulations of the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS). To be cross trained primarily as an Immunization nurse, but will also receive cross training in Communicable Disease, Family Planning, and Childhood Lead Program. Supervision received: Works under qualified Nursing Services Manager.

ESSENTIAL JOB DUTIES:

1. Provides program representation for CSHCS clients, coordinates care with Health Insurance and serves as liaison with the MDHHS, Medical Providers & other agencies.
2. Follows the CSHCS program policies and procedures to fulfill requirements of the program.
3. Provides PHN assessment for client plan of care and case management including education, referral and care coordination for CSHCS recipients and their families.
4. Coordinates care with families, physicians, pediatric specialists, private duty nurses and other appropriate health and social agencies, as necessary.
5. Following policies and procedures of the immunization clinic, evaluates immunization records and facilitates the provision of recommended vaccines.
6. Provides consultant and direct services to families/schools/health and social agencies with reference to immunizations, communicable diseases, STD/HIV and women’s health issues.
7. Following policies and procedures of communicable disease clinic and using the Michigan Disease Surveillance System, follows up on reports of communicable disease.
8. Following policy and procedures of Family Planning clinic assists with contraceptive refills.
9. In times of a public health emergency, may be required to report for specialized assigned duties inside or outside of Bay County. Performs emergency response roles, and participates in training, as required.
10. Punctual and consistent attendance is required for this position.
11. To be trained in electronic medical programs for documenting client care and communicating with MDHHS.
12. All other duties as assigned.

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned this classification. They are not to be construed as an exhaustive list of job duties performed by personnel so classified.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Licensure: Must possess current license to practice as a Registered Nursing in Michigan. Must possess a Michigan driver's license and have proof of current automobile insurance.

Education: A.D.N. or B.S.N. from a school of nursing approved by the N.L.N. of Nursing.

Experience: Demonstrated competency in practice of professional nursing. Two years of satisfactory public health nursing experience under qualified supervision desired. Experience and knowledge in infant/child health and development, immunizations, communicable diseases and computer skills required.

Physical Requirements: This position requires sitting, being mobile, bending and/or standing for significant periods of time. Additional requirements include the ability to move objects according to the following weight and frequency: generally, 20-50 pounds of force up to one third of the time. Candidate must have adequate visual acuity and hearing comprehension to read reports and communicate with clients and other providers and have adequate physical dexterity to climb stairs, balance and navigate under unstable environmental conditions. Applicants may be required to take written and/or other examinations.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Apply online at www.baycounty-mi.gov or in person or via US Mail at the Bay County Personnel Department, 515 Center Avenue, Suite 302, Bay City, Michigan 48708 no later than **4:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 18, 2017.**

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