MANIILAQ ASSOCIATION
08/05

Title: Registered Nurse
Status: Non-Exempt
Housing Priority: 1
Safety Sensitive: Yes

Department: Ambulatory Care
Range: 16
Name Check: Yes
Fingerprints: Yes

POSITION SUMMARY

Performs professional nursing duties in the care of adult and pediatric patients in the Ambulatory Care department.

PRINCIPAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Performs professional nursing duties in the care of adult and pediatric patients adhering to the professional standards set forth by ANA.
2. Initiates nursing actions and provides comprehensive nursing care to meet the physical, emotional, spiritual, and socio-cultural needs of the acute care patient and his family.
3. Observes and assesses the patient's clinical condition; recognizes, identifies, and interprets serious situations and immediately initiates appropriate nursing intervention utilizing the nursing process.
4. In emergency situations, initiates appropriate nursing measures.
5. Operates and monitors a significant variety of specialized equipment.
6. Volunteers to participate in emergency medivac procedures if qualified.
7. Documents all observations, nursing interventions, therapeutic measures administered, and status of coordinated activities between nursing and other professional disciplines.
8. Administers therapeutic measures as prescribed by the physician.
9. Works with Specialty Clinic to facilitate appointments/travel arrangements with other facilities.
10. Participates in Continuing Process Improvement.
11. Understands the developmental needs of all patients throughout the continuum of life. Is able to adjust care to these needs. Documentation reflects this understanding in practice arena.

SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

Masters Degree, Baccalaureate Degree, Associates Degree, or Diploma in Nursing from an accredited college or university. Current Alaska licensure as a Registered Nurse. Ability to lift up to 70 pounds and spend long periods of time standing or walking. Employee may be exposed to communicable diseases and hazardous materials. Must be able to pass the core competencies assigned to the unit annually.

DISCLAIMER

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this job. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required of people in this job.

REVIEW/APPROVAL

Immediate Supervisor	Date	Second Level Supervisor	Date
Human Resources	Date	Employee	Date