**Psych Registered Nurse – Lake County Health Department**

**The Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center** is one of the largest human service providers in Lake County. We live our mission each day, promoting the health and well-being of all who live, work, and play in Lake County. If you are passionate about giving back and ready to be a part of an innovative team, we are looking for you!

**Summary**

* Acts as triage person for admissions to the program.
* Provides professional nursing care, including administering medications, according to physician’s orders in conformance with recognized nursing techniques and procedures, established standards and administrative policies of the department.
* Recognizes and interprets symptoms of clients’ conditions, reports to appropriate personnel and assists with remedial measures for adverse developments.
* Monitors the collection of urine specimens according to Standard precautions, if SAP.
* Maintains clinical charts including documentation of observations, medications treatments; reports on the condition of clients; observes and corrects, if possible, environmental factors dealing with comfort and safety.
* Participates as a team member at staff interviews and provides input regarding the stability of client’s physical condition.

**Education, Qualifications, and Certification:**

* Associate degree, two years in general nursing care is required, plus one year of experience in chemical dependency is preferred -OR-
* Bachelor’s degree or diploma, one years’ experience in general nursing care required, plus one year of experience in chemical dependency/behavioral health field is preferred.
* IL Licensure as a Registered Professional Nurse (RN).

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