

Calgary West Central Primary Care Network is Making Health Happen

Calgary West Central Primary Care Network is committed to expanding capacity and improving patient access to Primary Care through physician support and multidisciplinary teams.

Together with Alberta Health Services and other health care professionals, we strive to increase coordination and integration of health services. Implementing informed medical programs aligned by clear goals plays a huge role in our current successes and our future direction.

Ask yourself... are you ready to help make a positive difference?

Primary Care Nurse (Family Practice)

Reporting to the Supervisor-Family Nursing, the Primary Care Nurse (Family Practice) provides comprehensive nursing services to the patient population of a clinic. The Primary Care Nurse (Family Practice) assesses, manages and supports patients, providing appropriate documentation, and works collaboratively with the Physician to develop and implement care plans, evaluate outcomes and provide follow-up with the patient. The Primary Care Nurse (Family Practice) works the full scope of practice with an emphasis on providing comprehensive care, education and guidance to the elderly and/or patients with chronic disease.

Primary Responsibilities:

- According to practice protocols, conducts assessments, initiates and implements management strategies and provides appropriate evaluation, follow-up and modifications to care plans.
- Assists in the implementation of strategies for improving the quality and provision of care for the practice population.
- Assists in the delivery of disease management and health promotion programs
- Screening blood work; calling patients for follow-up.

- Provides chronic disease management, geriatric care, incorporating monitoring progress, response to treatment, and promoting the preventive aspects of patient care.

Qualifications:

- A Baccalaureate Degree in nursing from an approved health care program. Current CARNA registration is required.
- At least 5 years nursing experience, ideally in a Primary Care nursing environment.
- Current CPR-Health Care Provider (HCP) level.
- Familiar with PC platforms. Proficient in the use of various computer programs including electronic medical records.
- Understanding of infection control procedures.

To apply:

Please submit your resume and cover letter in confidence to careers@makinghealthhappen.com, by **March 5th, 2010**.

We thank all applicants for their interest; however only those selected for interviews will be contacted.

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