



Title: Public Health Nurse

Salary: \$56,975 - \$69,416

Responsibilities include the assessment of health needs and development of a care plan for individuals and families. The Public Health Nurse is responsible for the initial implementation of nursing care plans and provision of nursing care. Incumbents coordinate the work of Registered Professional Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, Home Health Aides and others assigned to carry out the patient care plan.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:

When assigned to the Department of Behavioral and Community Health, provides skilled nursing care and prescribed treatments to patients in their homes and demonstrates nursing care to patients and families; coordinates service plans with nutritionists, social workers, physical therapists, physicians and other professional workers concerned with individual and family health care; when assigned to Office for the Aging, acts as a liaison with hospitals and attends discharge planning meetings; provides ongoing needs assessment and care review to patients and monitors appropriateness and quality of services being provided; does related work as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

A Bachelor's degree in nursing from a regionally accredited or New York State registered four year college or university.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

1. Possession of a New York State Registered Professional Nurse's license and current registration certificate at time of application.
2. Possession of a New York State Motor Vehicle Operator's License at time of application.

A COPY OF YOUR BACHELOR'S DEGREE AND A COPY OF YOUR REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSE'S LICENSE AND CURRENT REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE MUST ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION. AT THE TIME OF APPOINTMENT APPLICATIONS WILL BE EVALUATED ON THE BASIS OF TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE FOR STEOP PLACEMENT WITHIN THE PAY GRADE.

FINGERPRINTING: A fingerprint supported background investigation is required before an appointment is made to some positions. Pursuant to New York State Executive Law, the Division of Criminal Justice Services requires that a fee accompany each such request for a search. It is due once a job offer is made and accepted by the applicant.

For consideration, application must be received in the Dutchess County Department of Human Resources on or before 6/9/2017 attention:

Dutchess County Department of Human Resources
22 Market Street, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601
Phone: 845-486-2169
Fax: 845-486-2186

You may apply online or obtain a printable application for employment on the Dutchess County website at www.co.dutchess.ny.us or www.dutchessny.gov

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