

Registered Nurse

COMPETITIVE SALARY, OVERTIME AVAILABLE

Bluestone Child & Adolescent Hospital is seeking dynamic healthcare professionals interested in bringing psychiatric care to a new level for children ages 6-17. Working in a brand new, 12 bed state-of-the-art facility, Bluestone staff will have a unique ability to direct patient care, employ best practices, and join a care network that promotes the best long-term outcomes for patients.

Job Summary: Provides nursing care through physical and mental assessments, laboratory testing, plans of care and therapeutic treatments. Knowledgeable of a wide range of disorders; cognitive, emotional, developmental, social and behavioral. Performs crisis intervention. Participates in the department's performance improvement and continuous quality improvement (CQI) activities.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities

- Assess, plan, implement, and evaluate patient care considering patient age, diagnosis, and developmental level.
- Formulates and implements patient plans of care; family is included when appropriate.
- Provides care appropriate to condition for pediatric or adolescent population.
- Observes and communicates pertinent information regarding patient mental status and behavior, occurrences, abnormal lab/diagnostic results, and/or negative response to treatment or intervention to physician and/or appropriate health care team members.
- Knowledgeable of medications, including psychotropic drugs, and their correct administration based on the age of the patient and their clinical condition.
- Demonstrates the ability to perform crisis intervention and triage.
- Utilizes verbal and physical de-escalation as warranted in order to keep patients safe and remain current in warranted certification and training.
- Communicates appropriately and clearly to the Nurse Executive, co-workers and physicians.
- Treats patients and families with respect and dignity; provides emotional support.
- Provides education to the patient and family concerning plans of care, compliance with the plan of care, medications and their side effects.
- Functions as a patient and family advocate at all times.
- Demonstrates the ability to be flexible, organized and function under stressful situations.

Education/Licensure/Skills/Experience Requirements

- Current OH Registered Nurse Licensure; BSN preferred.
- Current BCLS certification.
- A minimum of one year of experience with at-risk youth, developmental disabilities, autism or psychiatric/behavioral health nursing highly desirable.

Benefits

401(k) Health, Dental & Vision Insurance Disability Insurance Employee Discount Flexible Spending Account Free Parking Life Insurance Paid Time Off Prescription Drug Insurance \$2,000 Employee Referral Program

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