

Job Details

POSITION: LPN Extended Hours, Night Shift- Home Care

REPORTS TO: Team Leader

Position Summary

As a member of the Interdisciplinary Team (IDT) the Licensed Practical Nurse will provide patient care which may include supportive care, pain and symptom management, preventative care and personal care to maximize the comfort and health of hospice patients, their families and other caregivers.

Major Responsibilities:

- Provide patient care which may include supportive care, pain and symptom management, preventative care and personal care to maximize the comfort and health of hospice patients, their families and other caregivers.
- Evaluate patient response to care and treatment and reports observations to supervising RN, including all changes in patient condition and need to update the plan of care.
- Provide support to families and caregivers at the time of the patient's death.
- Participate in providing twenty-four (24) hour, 7 day-a-week coverage to patients/families, including holidays.
- Document as required to meet the Medicare regulations regarding Continuous Care.
- Perform all reasonable related duties of a staff nurse as assigned.

Required Schedule: Scheduled 6pm- 6am: 3 12 hours shifts per week. Hours scheduled have some flexibility to change.

Position Requirements:

- Licensed Practical Nurse currently licensed in Ohio with pharmacology and IV certification preferred.
- Minimum 2 years recent nursing experience; experience in med/surg., community health, home care, and/or hospice experience preferred.
- Certification in Basic Cardiac Life Support (BCLS)
- Ability to understand and respond to the needs of terminally ill persons and their caregivers in varied settings.
- Flexible and able to work effectively in an interdisciplinary team approach to patient care.
- Excellent communication skills – verbal and written.
- Favorable references

Individuals interested in the LPN Position may apply at the LifeCare Hospice office, located

at 1900 Akron Road, Wooster, OH 44691. Resumes may also be sent to this address, sent

by email to LifeCarejobs@lifecarehospice.org, or by fax (330) 264-4874, attn: HR.