

NEW: 06/27/2011

JOB TITLE:	NURSE (LPN)
DIVISION	ACADEMIC SUPPORT
SALARY SCHEDULE/GRADE:	IA, GRADE 8
WORK YEAR:	AS ASSIGNED
FLSA STATUS:	NON-EXEMPT
JOB CLASS CODE:	8118
BARGAINING UNIT:	CLAA

SCOPE OF RESPONSIBILITIES

Functions in an LPN role as defined by the Kentucky Board of Nursing Scope of Practice. Collaborates with the assigned Registered Nurse (RN) and/or Health Services Nurse Practitioners (NP) to identify and assist with Coordinated School Health (CSH) programs and services for students. Cooperates with the builqing principal and staff.

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES & EVALUATION CRITERIA

Promotes wellness and performs/arranges for the prevention and control of communicable diseases in conjunction with JCPS RN/NP

Collaborates and consults with JCPS RN/NP to identify health related issues and assists with applicable programs for students and parents health related needs

Establishes and maintains all necessary equipment and supplies for the school health room

Administers medication and/or treatment as authorized by the student's health care provider and/or in consultation with JCPS RN/NP as needed and according to district guidelines

Observes, monitors and cares for sick and injured students under the direction of a JCPS RN/NP until the parents arrive at school to pick them up

Conducts health screenings; height, weight, vision, hearing and other health related assessments as needed and applicable to state regulations and school programs being implemented (i.e. Health Promotion Schools of Excellence fitness assessments, etc.)

Assists with, Primary Care Provider Authorization forms, vision exams, etc. and prepares necessary forms and reports according to program standards

Provides health education sessions for students, staff and parents in conjunction with JCPS RN/NP

Assists JCPS RN/NP with immunization and physical clinics

Acts as a resource for staff wellness programs

Communicates with community health agencies to ascertain resources available to students in need

Counsels and applies procedures to safeguard students' life and health according to district guidelines and direction of JCPS RN/NP

Collaborates with the various teams of district departments and other community agencies in developing, monitoring, and implementing CSH programs and activities

Duties will include performance of medical services, for which training will be provided

Performs other duties as assigned by supervisor

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

The work is performed while standing or walking. The work requires the use of hands for simple grasping, pushing and pulling of arm controls, and fine manipulations. The work at times requires bending, squatting, crawling, climbing, reaching, with the ability to lift, carry, push or pull light weights. The work requires activities involving being around moving machinery, exposure to marked changes in temperature and humidity, driving automotive equipment, and exposure to dust, fumes and gases.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Current license as a Kentucky Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)

One (1) year successful experience

Effective communication skills

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS

Previous health related experience in a school setting

Previous nursing care experience working with special needs students

Previous pediatric/adolescent nursing experience