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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

JOB TITLE: MH Dietitian **OPEN DATE:** 9/20/2024
CLOSE DATE: Until Filled

JOB LOCATION: Bryce Hospital **NUMBER:** 24-24
 Tuscaloosa, Alabama **JOB CODE:** F1000

SALARY

- Range 73 (\$43,351.20- \$72,504.00 Annually).
- Salary will be commensurate with experience. Limitations apply to current State employees.

BENEFITS

- 12 paid holidays.
- 1 personal leave day accrued each January.
- 13 sick leave days.
- 13 annual leave days accrued in the first year of employment.
- Longevity bonus annually after 5 years of employment.
- Continuous opportunities for acquiring CEU’s needed for maintaining professional license.
- Very low-cost health and dental insurance through the [Alabama State Employee Insurance Board](#).
- Defined retirement benefit (not impacted by economic downturns) and a pre-retirement death benefit through the [Retirement Systems of Alabama](#).
 - After 1 year, the minimum amount of the pre-retirement death benefit paid to your designated beneficiary is at least equal to your current or previous fiscal year annual salary.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor’s degree in dietetics or a closely related field.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

- Must be registered or eligible for registration by the Commission on Registration of the American Dietetic Association.
- If registered or eligible by or before December 31, 2023, a Bachelor’s degree is required.
- If registered or eligible on or after January 1, 2024, a Master’s degree is required.

KIND OF WORK

- Evaluate nutritional care of patients.
- Screen patients to determine level of nutritional risk.
- Assess nutritional status using biochemical indices, physical assessment, etc.



- Develops nutritional component of Master Care Plan.
- Completes timely reassessment for patients according to the patient's plan of action.
- Monitors nutritional status of patient receiving total nutrition via tube feeding and make necessary adjustments.
- Attends all initial 10-day treatment planning conferences for development of Plan of Care.
- Participates in the Nutritional Services department's performance improvement program.
- Ensures compliance with hospital standards.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

- Knowledge of quality improvement.
- Knowledge of personal and food sanitation principles.
- Knowledge of diets, menu planning, and methods of food preparation.
- Ability to communicate effectively, verbally and in writing.
- Ability to relate well to patients and staff.

METHOD OF SELECTION

- Applicants will be rated based on an evaluation of their job-related training, abilities, experience, and education, and should provide adequate work history identifying experiences related to the duties and minimum qualifications as mentioned above.
- All relevant information is subject to verification.
- **Drug screening and security clearances will be conducted on prospective applicants being given serious consideration for employment whose job requires direct contact with patients.**

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Only work experience detailed on the application will be considered. Applications should be submitted by the deadline to be considered. Announcements open until filled will remain open until a sufficient applicant pool is obtained. Applications should be submitted as soon as possible to ensure the application will be considered for the position. Copies of License/Certifications should be uploaded with your application. A copy of the academic transcript is required. Appointment of successful candidate will be conditional based on receipt of the official transcript provided by the school, college, or university.