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# Example of Certified Nurse Aide Job Description

Our growing company is looking to fill the role of certified nurse aide. Please review the list of responsibilities and qualifications. While this is our ideal list, we will consider candidates that do not necessarily have all of the qualifications, but have sufficient experience and talent.

## Responsibilities for certified nurse aide

* Promptly reports any changes in patient status (e.g., changes in vital signs, level of consciousness, weight, mobility status, comfort level, feeding pattern or any unusual occurrences) to the RN in a timely manner
* Verifies the diet order for each patient to whom assigned, feeds or assists with feeding, and assists with fluid intake as directed by the RN or patient care plan
* Monitors and accurately records patient intake and output in a timely fashion and in accordance with hospital policy and physician order including routine intake/output, strict intake/output, and calorie counts
* Documents provided care clearly and concisely on the daily care record
* Observes patient's mental and physical conditions, reports any changes to RN
* Distributes drinking water and snacks to patients as applicable
* Requires certification as a Nurse Assistant
* Current American Heart Association BLS within 30 days of hire required
* Six months of nursing assistant experience preferred
* The CNA is responsible for assisting the RN and LVN implementation and planning of patient centered care for all patients on the unit during his/her shift, according to the standards of care of Central Texas Medical Center

## Qualifications for certified nurse aide

* Certification from an accredited nursing assistant program preferred
* Experience in a hospital setting strongly preferred
* Current Certified Nurses Assistant certificate required
* Current AHA BLS/CPR certificate required
* Current Certified Nurses Aide license in state of Texas - NEW GRADUATES WANTED
* CNA course completion