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# Example of Psych Nurse Job Description

Our growing company is looking to fill the role of psych nurse. Thank you in advance for taking a look at the list of responsibilities and qualifications. We look forward to reviewing your resume.

## Responsibilities for psych nurse

* Participates in Interdisciplinary Treatment Team meetings to assist in developing rehabilitative treatment goals for patients
* Delivers nursing care as needed and directed on any of the floors in the long term care center , emergency situation, staffing shortage, special projects
* Utilizes knowledge of physical, social and emotional factors when planning patient care and uses this knowledge appropriately in Condition A & C and Code Blue emergencies
* Participates in planning and/or implementation of Condition A & C and Code Blue drills
* Assists the professional nurse and allied health professionals in the planning implementation of patient educational and recreational activities
* Participates in group programing to include leading and co-leading groups and activities
* Conserves organizational resources by maximizing asset utilization and by developing and implementing cost saving measures
* Counsel and educate patients and their families/caregivers concerning preventative health, treatment options and community resources
* Examines physician orders for completeness, accuracy, clarity and questions when appropriate
* Helps promote program through referral development and community education events as assigned by Nurse Manager

## Qualifications for psych nurse

* CPI training within 90 days of employment
* Two (2) years prior nursing experience in a psychiatric setting is preferred
* Psychiatric & Mental Health Nursing certification
* 1 year of current Inpatient Psychiatry and/or Emergency Psychiatry professional nursing (RN) experience
* 1 plus years of experience in Med Psych
* Flexibility - Select the Shifts and Days you are Available to Work