## **Example of Home Health Aide Job Description**



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Our growing company is looking to fill the role of home health aide. To join our growing team, please review the list of responsibilities and qualifications.

## Responsibilities for home health aide

- Takes and records vital signs, and weighs patient as assigned
- Prepares meals
- Gathers biophysical, psychosocial, spiritual, cultural, and age appropriate information from patients, including information on the signs/symptoms of abuse or neglect
- Maintains clinical records, signs each record and makes significant comments
- Assists with simple, non-sterile dressings, testing urine, measuring and recording intake and output, using devices to aid in normal living activities, and teaching self-care hygiene
- Meets or exceeds established productivity standard while maintaining quality patient care
- Provide safe and direct personal care to patients in the home setting under direct supervision of appropriate professional
- Personal Care Perform and/or assist patient with personal care activities, such as, baths, showers, skin and hair care, and oral hygiene
- Patient Observation Notify RN of any changes in patient condition in a timely manner and document appropriately
- Documentation Record all required information on patient chart completely and accurately

## Qualifications for home health aide

- CNA license preferred, but not required
- Maintain a clean, safe, healthy environment and assist in teaching family

- Home Health Aide Certification meeting HCFA requirements plus one (1) year experience as Home Health Aide and
- NYS HHA certification required
- 1+ years home health experience in SNF preferred
- Must be able to provide documentation of completion of a training program with a minimum of 75 hours instruction is required