



Example of Mental Health Tech Job Description

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Our growing company is searching for experienced candidates for the position of mental health tech. Thank you in advance for taking a look at the list of responsibilities and qualifications. We look forward to reviewing your resume.

Responsibilities for mental health tech

- Maintain a clean, safe, and patient friendly work environment
- Follow the Hospitals exposure control plan/blood borne and airborne pathogens
- Maintain and regularly demonstrate a respect and regard for the dignity of all patient's families, visitors, and fellow employees
- Serve on a hospital committee
- Assist in the provision and planning of unit orientation, training, and educational programs
- Serve as a liaison with community resources
- Maintain a current knowledge base as it relates to the provision of mental health
- May lead the day-to-day activities of the assigned team
- Provides hands-on physical care, supervision, crisis intervention, behavior management, & behavior modification, employing appropriate verbal and crisis intervention techniques
- Conducts patient rounds and reports deviations from the expectations and standards

Qualifications for mental health tech

- Completion of specialized training program in the behavioral health area or Bachelor's degree in a related field
- Experience in a skilled nursing facility preferred

- Must complete restraint and seclusion training (SAMA) techniques to address aggressive or threatening behavior (as outlined in Rule 415.257 of the Texas Administrative Code) prior to assuming direct care responsibilities, if the employee does not provide proof of current certification
- Current CPR and CPI, or completion within 90 days of employment and recertified annually
- 1-year direct patient care experience required