

**DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES – SOUTH REGION  
JOB OPPORTUNITY  
LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE (SUMMER DURATIONAL WORKER)**

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**Open To:** Public  
**Position:** Licensed Practical Nurse – Summer Durational Worker  
**Salary:** NH18 Step 1 \$24.95 per hour  
**Closing Date:** May 9, 2015

Job Posting No.	Location	Full/Part	Schedule
111237	Route 289, Lebanon, CT	Full Time	Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday – 12:15PM – 9:00PM
111238	Shore Road, Watertown, CT	Full Time	Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday – 6:00AM – 2:45PM

**Duration of Appointment:** This is a durational position and will end no later than September 11, 2015. Incumbent will not be entitled to any State employee benefits.

**Examples of Duties:** Under the clinical supervision of the team's Registered Nurse, the Licensed Practical Nurse is responsible for providing direct nursing care to individuals with medical conditions. Duties may include but are not limited to: diabetic care, medication administration, treatments, respiratory treatments, observation and reporting of changes in condition as well as conducting therapeutic regimens prescribed by a Registered Nurse, Physician or other person(s) authorized by state law. The Licensed Practical Nurse may be assigned the lead charge responsibilities and will participate in the direct personal care of the individuals who reside there.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:** Knowledge of practical nursing specialties and bedside care; knowledge of various medications used in conjunction with the physically and mentally handicapped; knowledge of infection control practices; some knowledge of nutrition and diets; basic knowledge of medical and lab sciences; considerable interpersonal skills; ability to keep records; some ability to lead staff.

**General Experience:** License in good standing to practice nursing in Connecticut by the State Board of Examiners for Nursing.

**Preferred Experience:** Preference will be given to applicants with demonstrated experience providing nursing services to individuals with developmental and or intellectual disabilities.

**Working Conditions:** Incumbent in this class may be required to lift/restrain consumers/patients; may have some exposure to communicable/infectious diseases and to some risk of injury from assaultive/abusive consumers/patients; may be exposed to disagreeable conditions.

**Special Requirements:**

1. Incumbent must possess or be able to obtain a valid certification in C.P.R. and be able to perform emergency first aid as needed
2. Incumbent must successfully pass a pre-employment physical exam.
3. Incumbent must possess and retain a valid Motor Vehicle license.
4. Incumbent may be required to travel.

**Character Requirements:** In addition to the checking of references and of facts stated in the application, a thorough background investigation of each candidate will be made before persons are certified for appointment.

**Note:** The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

**Application Procedure for Applicants:** Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a fully completed Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12) located at [www.das.state.ct.us/exam](http://www.das.state.ct.us/exam). Two letters of reference must be included with the application by the closing date above. **NOTE:** Applicants need only submit one application and indicate the order of their preference regarding Job Posting Numbers if applicants wish to be considered for multiple LPN positions.

**All application materials must be received by 11:59 p.m. on the closing date indicated above.**

**Incomplete application materials will not be considered.**

**Application materials can be emailed, faxed, or mailed to:  
Department of Developmental Services — South Region  
35 Thorpe Avenue, Third Floor, Wallingford, CT 06492  
Attn: Recruiter**

**Email: [DDS.SR.Recruiting@ct.gov](mailto:DDS.SR.Recruiting@ct.gov) Phone: 203-294-5122 Fax: 860-920-3035**

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