State of Connecticut
JOB POSTING

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES- WEST REGION
JOB OPPORTUNITY
HEAD NURSE

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Open To: Public

Position: Head Nurse (Part-time – 64hours)

Location: Southbury Training School – Unit 1 Float

Job Posting No: 017560

Hours: 3rd Shift ~ 11:00pm – 7:00am. *May need to pick-up additional assignments based on Agency need.*
Week 1 – RDO's Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
Week 2 – RDO's Friday, Saturday, Thursday

Salary: $30.49/hourly

Closing Date: March 5, 2012

Eligibility Requirement: State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status in the class may apply for lateral transfer. Those candidates appearing on Re-employment or SEBAC lists must be given first consideration.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Duties consistent with the Head Nurse job classification. Conducts nursing assessments; develops and implements nursing and/or health care plans; provides supervision of staff and monitors nursing services; provides admission and discharge nursing assessments including plans for continuing care; assures nursing care programs are carried out thoroughly and on schedule; investigates problems which have been referred by staff, other team members and department; reviews diets and nutritional needs of clients; maintains records of drugs used, stored and secured; provides for nursing services to comply with ICF regulations, JCAHO standards, etc.; provides nursing input to interdisciplinary health care plans and individual client programs; will act as important member of the Team to provide medical information and attend meetings and make reports on health status. Obtaining, maintaining and kardexing accurate physician's orders. In-servicing staff; performs other related duties.

General Experience: Two (2) years of experience as a registered professional nurse.

Special Requirements: Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license or temporary permit as a Registered Professional Nurse in Connecticut. May be required to be fluent in a foreign language or proficient in the use of the American Sign Language in certain designated positions. Maybe required to travel.

Substitutions Allowed: A Bachelor's degree in nursing may be substituted for one (1) year of the General Experience.

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

Application Instructions: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a cover letter, a resume, and an Application for Employment to:

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Rowland Government Center
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Waterbury, CT 06702
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