

THE SUN HOME HEALTH CARE AT COLUMBUS, INC.

Licensed Practical Nurse

Position Description

Summary

Under the supervision of the Director of Nursing, and supervising RN, ensures nursing care is in accordance with the client care plan of treatment, including comprehensive health and psychosocial evaluation, monitoring of the client's condition, health promotion and preventive care, participates in the coordination of services, teaching and training activities, and provision of direct nursing care.

Major Duties/Responsibilities

- ✓ Coordinates services with RN, clients, and paraprofessionals.
- ✓ Provides Services that require specialized nursing skills.
- ✓ Licensed per Ohio State regulations to administer medications.
- ✓ Consult with and educate the client and family regarding the disease process, self-care techniques and prevention strategies.
- ✓ Perform appropriate preventive and rehabilitative nursing procedures.
- ✓ Prepare clinical and progress notes.
- ✓ Asses clients need for referrals to other services and reports to RN as needed.
- ✓ Inform the nursing supervisor and other personnel of changes in the client's needs.
- ✓ Evaluate the effectiveness and outcome of care.
- ✓ Assist RN and paraprofessionals that provide services to clients.
- ✓ Assist in Planning for the client's discharge from service.
- ✓ May assist with chart audits under the supervision of RN to ensure that documentation and required home health forms are completed per Medicare/Medicaid standards.
- ✓ May assist with HHA inservice and training program under the supervision of the RN as needed.

Minimum Qualifications

- 1) A graduate of an approved school of professional nursing whom is licensed as a Practical nurse by the state of Ohio.
- 2) Licensed per Ohio State regulations to administer medications.
- 3) At least one year of home health experience.
- 4) Must demonstrate the ability to work with a wide range of individuals professionally within the Home Health community and or local agencies.
- 5) Reliable transportation.