

METRO ATLANTA RECOVERY RESIDENCES Medical Department: Men's Recovery Center

JOB DESCRIPTION

TITLE: Staff Registered Nurse LOCATION: Atlanta, GA POSITION: Full-Time (with benefits) ANNUAL SALARY: Based on Experience IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR: Nurse Manager and Program Director QUALIFICATIONS: Registered Nurse with active Georgia license. Specific substance abuse experience for two (2) years is preferable. APPLICANTS: Please send your resume to dannie.mcadams@marrinc.org

RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Completes the nursing assessment on residential patients' medical/chemical dependency history within 48 hours of admission using EMR.
- 2. Makes recommendations to the Medical Director and the staff related to any significant medical/clinical concerns.
- 3. Arranges appointments with appropriate medical staff for admission Psychiatric Evaluations and History & Physical exams and follow up with appropriate disciplines as directed.
- 4. Notes and completes verbal/written orders per the medical staff members.
- 5. Completes patient records in an accurate, timely fashion.
- 6. Reviews with the Treatment Team the patient's treatment plans and treatment review.
- 7. Keeps track of and assesses the quality of services from contract labs, as needed.
- 8. Provides on-site services such as PPD, blood draw, vital signs, urine dipstick tests, flu shots, etc., according to policy and procedure.
- 9. Calibrates and maintains medical equipment and reviews equipment needs.
- 10. Supervises patient self-administration of medications and keeps medication logs according to MARR policy.
 - a. Supervise parental administration of dependent children medication(s) for RSU clients.
- 11. Perform individual and group patient health education on a regular basis according to current client needs and site schedule structure.
- 12. Oversees and tracks all urine drug screens (UDS) performed and results. Informs staff each week about which patients need to give urine drug screens (following set protocol).

- 13. Provides clinical information for clinical reviews directly or to other staff members who provide the reviews.
- 14. Participates in scheduled Medical Staff meetings.
- 15. Provides infection control quality improvement standards and outcome measures tracking.
- 16. Participates in the weekly Treatment Team meetings.
- 17. Provides in-service training to staff about medical issues as needed.
- 18. Provides HIV pre- and post-test education and counseling for patients.
- 19. Assists in obtaining observed chain of custody random urine drug screens as needed.
- 20. Draws all blood work needed on admission and at follow-up as ordered.
- 21. Reviews lab work results with appropriate medical staff and follows up as necessary.
- 22. Inputs follow-up lab work into EMR as directed for appropriate billing in a timely manner.
- 23. Arranges follow-up visits with in-house medical staff and outside medical referrals as needed.
 - a. Assist with parental management of dependent children health care needs for RSU clients.
- 24. Performs other duties as assigned by the Nurse Manager/ Medical Director/Program Directors.
- 25. Completes all tasks in accordance with MARR Inc. Policy & Procedure while also adhering to any state guidelines when indicated.