

Dietitian 3
Role: 001QG3 - Dietitian 3

A Day in the Life:

The essential functions of this role are as follows:

- Monitor food service operations to ensure compliance to nutritional, and safety.
- Assess nutritional needs, diet restrictions and current health plans to develop and implement dietary-care plans and provide nutritional counseling.
- Advise patients and staff on nutritional principles, dietary plans, diet modifications, and food selection and preparation.
- Consult with physicians and health care personnel to determine nutritional needs and diet restrictions of patient.
- Record diet histories and assessments, charts, and progress notes.

The job profile is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties or responsibilities that are required of the employee. Other duties, responsibilities and activities may change or be assigned at any time with or without notice.

What You'll Need for Success:

You must meet the following requirements to be considered for employment:

- Optional requirement to be registered as a dietitian by the Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics.
- Specialized knowledge of the principles, techniques and terminology of modern dietetics and institutional management gained through experience.
- Working knowledge of modern methods, materials and equipment used in quantity food service and the care necessary to conserve all resources.
- Ability to plan menus and oversee personnel in modified and regular diet preparation and service.
- Ability to conduct food service and/or nutrition related training programs.
- Ability to interact with treatment team, medical and administrative staff and patients.

Supervisory Responsibilities/Direct Reports:**Difficulty of Work:**

You will perform duties based on department guidelines and is under the direct supervision of the Medical Director. Judgment is required in selecting guidelines and adapting alternatives. Your work is broad in scope and involves many variables in the application of dietetics principles.

Responsibility:

While not the final authority, incumbent must exercise judgment in applying alternatives and in conferring with medical/nursing staff and dietary supervisors related to unusual dietary problems or concerns.

Unusual problems or deviation from guidelines are discussed with supervisor who otherwise reviews work periodically for accomplishment of objectives.

Personal Work Relationships:

Works with patients, physicians and other clinical staff as required, hospital department heads, students, comme

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A high level of judgement and effective communication is required during times of contact with residents or incarcerated individuals.

Residents or incarcerated individuals may have family, friends, community partners and/or other interested parties come to the facility requesting information or to visit with the person according to policies and procedures.

This position will communicate directly with children and families on a regular basis.

Physical Effort:

Depending on the duties performed or environment setting, frequent walking, standing, climbing stairs or ladders, bending, stooping, pushing, pulling and/or similar movements may be involved.

This role requires the ability to lift/transport items up to 50 lbs with or without the assistance of equipment.

This role requires the ability to run short distances to provide immediate care, protection, or attention to patients or incarcerated individuals.

This role requires keen observational and hearing skills to stay alert for possible dangerous situations.

Working Conditions:

This role performs work in a state operated hospital facility.

This role requires the appropriate use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) when necessary.

This role requires a high level of attention and safety due to work activities having risk of injury or loss of life.

Competencies

- Displaying Technical Expertise
- Demonstrating Initiative
- Driving for Results

- Prioritizing and Organizing Work

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