



Onslow County Position Vacancy Announcement

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

POSITION TITLE: NUTRITIONIST III

Position Number

513-52-406

Hiring Range

\$36,743 - \$47,767

Opening Date

July 24, 2009

Closing Date

Until Filled

How to apply?

Applications must be submitted by 5 pm on the closing date to:

Onslow County HR

202 Old Bridge Street
Jacksonville, NC 28540
910-347-7600 Phone
910-347-2793 Fax

Onslow County provides eligible employees with a competitive benefits package including paid health and dental insurance, paid holidays, and other optional benefits.

Onslow County Human Resources Office is **not** responsible for failure to receive faxed applications. Please take a moment to ensure your transmission was received.

Employee may be called upon in case of disaster, either natural or man-made, to serve the citizens of Onslow County. This service, if required, will take precedence over duties described in this position vacancy announcement.

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Position Responsibilities

The primary purpose of this position is to provide supervision, training and technical assistance to Nutritionists in the WIC Program. Specific duties include supervision of nutrition staff for the WIC Program; provision of orientation and training for newly hired WIC Nutritionists; developing and providing in-service trainings to include updates on WIC nutrition care and clinical management policies and procedures; collecting, assessing, and interpreting anthropometric, biochemical, clinical, dietary and socio-economic data; planning, implementing and evaluating nutritional assessments for WIC participants; and provision of complex and comprehensive nutritional care for high risk clients.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

Knowledge of:

- Principles of normal and therapeutic nutrition and drug nutrient interaction at all stages of life;
- Nutrition as it impacts on disease pathophysiology;
- And skilled in nutrition and dietary assessment techniques (anthropometric, biochemical, clinical and dietary) and interpretation of data;
- Human behavior and techniques for effecting behavior change.

Ability to:

- Supervise others;
- Orient and train staff;
- Plan, implement and evaluate clinical nutrition services;
- Skillfully write clear, concise entries in clients' health/medical records;
- Interview and counsel;
- Understand client's socio-economic status and life-styles with respect for individual differences;
- Monitor and maintain quality standards of nutrition care using current standards of practice;
- Organize and manage time and resources;
- Communicate orally and in writing.

Minimum Education and Experience Requirements

Graduation from a four-year college or university with a Bachelor's degree in foods and nutrition, dietetics or public health nutrition and two years of nutrition experience plus ADA Commission on Dietetic Registration eligibility; or a Master's degree in nutrition or public health nutrition and one year of nutrition experience plus ADA Commission on Dietetic Registration eligibility; or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

Special Requirements

Copies of transcripts with date degree was awarded must be submitted with application. Possession of a valid driver's license and be in compliance with the Onslow County's insurance regulations.