



Position: Physician Assistant #720222
Program: Sexual Health Education Program (SHEP)
Department: Health Services
Reports to: Medical Director of SHEP, Chief Medical Officer
Compensation: \$122,500 Annually
Status: 100%, Full-Time, Exempt, Union
Probation: 180 days
Benefits: Medical, Dental, Vision; also including Life Insurance, Long-Term Disability, Employee Assistance Program, and a 403(b) Retirement Plan

Center's Mission:

Building a world where LGBT people thrive as healthy, equal, and complete members of society.

We value:

Respect ~ Excellence ~ Inclusiveness ~ Innovation ~ Integrity

DEPARTMENT SUMMARY: As the nation's largest and most experienced provider of LGBT medical and mental health services, we help LGBTQ people lead healthier, happier lives, by keeping their minds and body well. All services are free or low cost. We're also one of the few Federally Qualified Health Centers in the nation with providers who specialize in primary care for LGBTQ people and with a research team working to advance the care and treatment of people in our community.

JOB SUMMARY: The Physician Assistant is responsible for the management of patient care for an assigned panel of patients of the Los Angeles LGB Center clinics.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- 1) Examines patient, documents medical history, records results, and makes preliminary diagnosis or decides on follow-up procedures;
- 2) Administers or orders diagnostic tests, blood work, and interprets test results;
- 3) Performs therapeutic procedures such as immunizations, injections, and managing infection;
- 4) Exercises professional judgment regarding consultation with medical director concerning appropriate treatment;
- 5) Develops and implements patient care plans, instructs and counsels patients and records progress;
- 6) Prescribes medications to the extent allowable by state guidelines and clinic regulations;
- 7) Provides health education regarding health maintenance especially in the realm of STD prevention;
- 8) Prescreens cases requiring review by the Medical Director;
- 9) Participates in staff meetings, planning meetings and other meetings;
- 10) Participates in the program's ongoing quality assurance monitoring;
- 11) Other duties as assigned;

JOB QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE:

- 1) Knowledge of or experience working with the LGBTQ community and familiarity with issues of particular relevance to LGBTQ people;
- 2) A passion for the Center's work and its mission to make the world a better place for LGBTQ people;
- 3) Current license to practice medicine within the State of California;
- 4) Board-certified or Board eligible;
- 5) Current BLS certification;
- 6) Minimum of two years' clinical experience preferred;
- 7) Thorough knowledge of principles and practices of modern medicine related to public health services; general knowledge of state and federal laws pertaining to public health;
- 8) Excellent verbal and written communication skills, including strong organizational and interpersonal skills;
- 9) Demonstrated ability to work effectively with people of diverse races, ethnicities, nationalities, sexual orientations, gender identities, gender expression, socio-economic backgrounds, religions, ages, English-speaking abilities, immigration status, and physical abilities in a multicultural environment.

E-mail cover letter and resume as an attachment to jobs@lalgbtcenter.org website: www.lalgbtcenter.org

Or submit cover letter with application/resume to:

Los Angeles LGBT Center, Human Resources Dept., 1118 McCadden Place, Los Angeles, CA 90038

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