

Job Announcement



Position Title: Dentist
Supervises: Registered Dental Assistant
Dental Hygienist(s)
Dental Assistant
Reports To: Dental Director
Written by: Human Resources Department

Department: Dental Clinic
FLSA: Exempt
Effective Date: 9/16
Approved by: CEO

General Summary:

The Dentist will play a key role in providing quality comprehensive and appropriate dental care and treatment to patients.

Essential Duties: (**Essential Functions*)

- Provide routine and emergency dental services, including diagnosis and treatment plans, intra and extra oral examinations, assessments, general restorative procedures, crown and bridge construction, removable prosthetics, uncomplicated endodontic procedures, and minor oral surgery using dental instruments, x-rays, or other diagnostic equipment, to evaluate dental health, diagnose diseases or abnormalities, and plan appropriate treatments while using masks, gloves, and safety glasses to protect patients and self from infectious diseases
- Designs, makes, or fits prosthodontic appliances, such as space maintainers, bridges, or dentures, or prescribes anesthetics, medications, antibiotics or other medications and treatment regimens as appropriate
- Refers patients to specialty care and to relevant patient care components as appropriate
- Educates patients and their families regarding preventive dental care, the causes and treatment of dental problems, or oral health care services
- Directs and coordinates the patient care activities of dental support staff as required
- Administers anesthetics to limit the amount of pain experienced by patients during procedures
- Uses dental air turbines, hand instruments, dental appliances, or surgical implements
- Formulates plan of treatment for patient's teeth and mouth tissue
- Evaluate and diagnose diseases, injuries, or malformations of teeth, gums, or related oral structures and provide preventive or corrective services

Job Specifications: (*Knowledge, skills, abilities, and experience normally required for competent performance*)

Education and Knowledge

- Graduation from an American Dental Association (ADA) approved dental school with DDS or DMD degree
- Knowledge of Next-Gen EDR, EHR, EPM, preferred
- Required knowledge of medical/dental terminology
- Knowledge of the use of dental delivery equipment and supplies
- Demonstrate knowledge of safety, infection control & emergency policies, and procedures

Experience

- Must have minimum 2 years' experience in a community clinic setting preferred
- Must be able to work independently within the scope of assigned task with minimum supervision

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Skills and Abilities

- Strong computer skills
- Must possess strong verbal and written communications skills
- Must possess strong interpersonal and organizational skills
- Bilingual English/Spanish, preferred
- Excellent interpersonal, organizational, and project management skills

Licensure and Certifications

- Current, valid, and unrestricted California Dental License
- Current and valid DEA License
- Current and valid Basic Life Support (BLS)

Financial Responsibility and Authority:

None

TO APPLY: Send cover letter & resume to Human Resources at hr@scfhc.org or fax to (323) 432-4877

Deadline: Open until filled

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