

GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AUTHORITY

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AREA OF CONSIDERATION – OPEN COMPETITIVE

TO ESTABLISH A LIST FOR THE POSITION OF

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT TECHNICIAN II

OPEN: October 01, 2023 CLOSING DATE: CONTINUOUS ANN. NO.: 24-02

GENERAL PAY PLAN

OPEN: I-01 \$34,886.00 P/A to I-10 \$47,891.00 P/A PROMOTION: I-01 \$34,886.00 P/A to I-18 \$61,487.00 P/A

MINIMUM EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

Two years of progressively responsible work experience as an Emergency Department Technician I or equivalent work and graduation from High School or its equivalent.

NECESSARY SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS:

Possession of a current AHA Basic Life Saving (BLS) Certificate **and** Cardiac Monitoring – EKG Class certification training.

NATURE OF WORK:

This class represents the independent worker level where positions perform the full range of daily emergency activities in the care of patients in the Emergency Department working under the general direction of their respective shift Registered Nurse or Licensed Practical Nurse. Employees in this class perform moderately complex technical nursing assistance work independently on an ongoing basis and participate in a variety of complex technical duties under closer supervision. May occasionally assist the LPN with lead duties.

<u>ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF WORK:</u> (These examples do not list all the duties which may be assigned; any one position may not include all the duties listed.)

Assists the registered nurses and/or the physicians in emergency procedures such as suturing, cardiac resuscitation of patients, the application of orthopedic procedures (i.e., closed reduction, dislocation, splinting, application of casts, etc.), or assisting in the application of chest tubes and airway procedures. Prepares instruments and supplies required in the care of patients and/or assists the registered nurse and/or physician in the preparation and application of equipment and supplies required for treatment to include, but not limited to oxygen therapy, intermittent positive pressure breathing, resuscitating, cardiac monitoring, defibrillator use, and suctioning; assists the physician in the procedure for suturing wounds by prepping, sponging, cutting of sutures and applying the dressing. Obtains brief patient medical history and the nature of emergency illness, communicates findings to the registered nurse and/or physician; obtains and records vital signs of patients and reports abnormal findings to the registered nurse and/or physician; provides instructions to patients regarding the usage of crutches and other assistive devices. Performs removal of orthopedic casts, sutures and dressings; applies and removes steri-strips and dressing under the supervision of a physician; assists in the debridement of wounds; cleans surgically affected areas with specified preparation and instructions; obtains laboratory specimens; performs simple urine tests; performs vision and hearing testing; transports or moves patients as needed to the appropriate unit or department. Cleans equipment and certain areas of the emergency department; orders supply and replenishes them as needed. Assists in the management of violent or disruptive patients; applies cooling measures as ordered by the physician. Performs and records inventory of personal belongings of patients as needed; conducts informal on-the-job orientation and training for less experienced employees and/or lower-level staff. Participates in staff conferences, meetings, staff development, and in-service training programs. Maintains records and prepares reports. Performs related work as assigned.

MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS:

Knowledge of the general principles, methods, materials and practices employed in the

emergency department.

- ➤ Knowledge in the use, operation and maintenance of the equipment used in the emergency room and the use of sterile techniques and first-aid procedures.
- Knowledge of Basic Life Support methods and techniques.
- Knowledge of Cardiac Monitoring-EKG methods and practices.
- Ability to work effectively with the public and employees.
- Ability to communicate effectively, orally and in writing.
- > Ability to work closely with and anticipate the needs of the patient and physician.
- ➤ Ability to work well in high stress situations.
- > Ability to use and operate a computer.
- Ability to exercise emotional control in working with patients.
- > Skill in the use and care of equipment and instruments use within the emergency department.

EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS: A written test may be required. When a written test is not required, applicants will be rated on a scale between 70.00 and 100 percent on the basis of their training, education and experience in relation to the minimum requirements of the positions. **Individuals with disabilities who require special accommodations should contact this office prior to any scheduled examination.**

<u>EDUCATION REQUIREMENT:</u> Applicants claiming education accomplishment, such as, degrees or credits are required to submit official or verified copies of university or college transcripts. Pursuant to Public Law 29-113, effective September 30, 2008, all new employment in the service of the government of Guam shall have, as a reasonable measure of job performance, minimum requirement of high school diploma or a successful completion of General Education Development (GED) test or any equivalent of a general education high school program, apprenticeship program or successful completion of certification program, from a recognized, accredited or certified vocational technical institution, in a specialized field required for the job.

CMS OMNIBUS COVID-19 HEALTHCARE STAFF VACCINATION REQUIREMENT: Pursuant to CMS regulation, all eligible staff, both current and new, working at either the acute hospital or the Skilled Nursing Facility, are required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. The CMS mandate applies to all eligible staff working at almost all CMS-certified facilities that participate in the Medicare and Medicaid programs. This includes facility employees, licensed practitioners, students, trainees, vendors, contractors and volunteers. Additionally, this includes individuals who provide care, treatment, or other services for the facility and/or its patients under contract or other arrangements, even at a third party location.

DRUG SCREENING AND PRE-EMPLOYMENT PHYSICAL MEDICAL EXAMINATION: All applicants tentatively selected for this position are required to submit to a urine test to screen for illegal use of drugs prior to appointment. All applicants accepting employment with Guam Memorial Hospital Authority must take and pass a pre-entry Physical examination and COVID screening and show proof of COVID vaccination.

PRIMARY SOURCE VERIFICATION: Applicants applying for positions in the Nursing and/or Allied Health Professional positions requiring licensure pursuant to Public Law 24-329 or National Credentialing Institution must obtain a verification of licensure upon notification of selection as a condition of employment. All cost incurred for licensure/ certification verification is at the applicant's expense.

<u>VETERANS' PREFERENCE:</u> Applications claiming veteran's preference are required to provide a copy of their DD-214 (Military discharge member 4 form). Those claiming Compensable Disability are required to provide verification from the Veteran's Administration.

<u>DISABILITY PREFERENCE</u>: Applicants wishing to claim Disability Preference should submit a Government of Guam Disability Certification form, certified by the Director of Public Health & Social Services.

<u>POLICE AND COURT CLEARANCE</u>: Pursuant to Executive Order No. 2005-34 and Public Law No. 28-24, all applicants accepting employment with Guam Memorial Hospital Authority must submit a police and Superior Court of Guam clearance of no more than 3 months old from the date of notification of selection as a condition of employment. The cost of the clearances is the applicant's responsibility. Off-Island applicants must obtain clearances from there last place of resident.

AREA OF CONSIDERATON AND INTERVIEW PROCESS: A personal interview, interview by telephone or video conferencing will be held by the appointing authority or his designee for eligible candidates referred via certification. Certification for interviews are prepared from valid eligibility listings in accordance with the area of consideration or examination and in the following order if available: 1) Departmental; 2) Government-wide; and 3) Open Competitive. Candidates will be contacted accordingly during active recruitment when their names are reached on the appropriate list.

Important Note: Individuals with disabilities who require special accommodations should contact the Equal Employment Opportunity Office at (671) 647-2104, prior to any scheduled interviews. If traveling off-island and/or if contact information has changed, all eligible candidates are responsible for notifying the Human Resources Office of any changes in contact information to include email and mailing addresses.

<u>IMPORTANT INFORMATION</u>: Public Law 99-603 (8USC, Section 1324A) requires the Government of Guam to verify the identity and work eligibility of all newly hired employees. All new employees shall be required to provide proof of identity and work eligibility to work in the United States.

If you are hired to fill a position in the Government of Guam, you will be required to present valid documents that will establish your identity and work eligibility.

WHERE TO APPLY: Applicants must submit the "Guam Memorial Hospital Authority – Employment Application" to the Guam Memorial Hospital Human Resources Department between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Closed on official Government Holidays, Saturday and Sunday or via email to human.resources@gmha.org. To ensure full consideration of your application, all supporting documents must be submitted with the application. For further information, call (671) 647-2409/2171 or visit the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority Human Resources Department at 850 Gov. Carlos Camacho Road Oka, Tamuning, Guam 96913. The Human Resources Department is located on the first floor within the Administration offices or visit the "gmha.org website" for other employment opportunities.

APPROVED:

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