

Position: Physician Assistant

Job Code: PA

Salary Code: NYL – 8

Department: Health

Reports to: Medical Director

Job Summary

Reports to Medical Director, responsibilities include: Rendering primary medical care and treatment to homeless and runaway adolescents.

Essential Functions

- Conduct health status assessments of clients by means of a comprehensive health history and physical examination.
- Initiate selected therapeutic and diagnostic procedures, consultations and laboratory examinations prescribes and alters medication regimens, interprets finding and alter plan of care according to agreed upon protocols approved by the Medical Director.
- Provide teaching and counseling in the area of promoting positive health, maintenance and disease prevention.
- Participate in the multi-disciplinary team in order to aid in disease control, early case findings and communicate pertinent findings and health information to team members of assigned area.

Qualifications

NYS Physician Assistant license with current registration required. Ability to see signs and symptoms detected during evaluation and assessment, and from these formulate a working diagnosis and treatment plan, which will ultimately lead to resolution or improvement.

Excellent communication skills. Some experience working with homeless and runaway adolescents is preferred.