

Job Description: Nurse

Northwest Association for Blind Athletes provides life-changing opportunities through sports and physical activity to individuals who are blind and visually impaired. To learn more about our organization, please visit www.nwaba.org.

Job Summary: Reporting to the Camp Spark Co-Directors, the Camp Spark Nurse will provide first aid for campers and staff, oversee the administration of medications to campers and staff, coordinate visits to a physician when needed, monitor health and cleanliness standards, organize paper work and maintain file organization. The nurse will work with all campers and staff to provide adequate physical health conditions for all and assist staff with tasks as necessary.

Position Requirements:

- Set a good example in all you do at camp
- Refrain from possessing and using legal and illegal recreational drugs, tobacco, and alcohol during agreed upon term
- Be able to practice in the state of Oregon and Washington
- Nursing experience, pediatric or camp experience desired
- Ability to manage health forms and paperwork in electronic and print formats
- Enjoy working with kids ages 8-21 years old
- Hard-working, enthusiastic and committed to the safety and well-being of campers
- Adaptable and comfortable living in a camp setting and interacting positively with other staff
- Good communicator with campers, staff and parents
- Ability to originate, update and/or monitor healthcare, maintain records, implement a health plan
- Ability to make decisions and take initiative

Responsibilities:

- Reviewing health history and information of campers prior to session start date
- Caring for complex medical needs of campers and staff at camp
- Be on-site for resident camp check-in and check-out to review health histories and other medical forms
- Oversee the health and wellness of approximately 40 campers and 50 staff per session
- Conduct initial health screening of all campers and staff
- Provide medical attention to campers and staff with any health concerns and document in health log
- Distribute and record camper medications in manner most accessible to them
- Maintain health center record and medical forms
- Safeguarding the camper's medical information, prescription medications in a secure area



- Communicate specific camper health needs (allergies, special diets) to staff and coach and advocate for camper towards independence with effective teaching tools
- Communicate with nursing staff and Camp Directors about camper and staff health issues
- Schedule appointments for sick/injured campers or staff at the hospital or clinic
- Be a primary care giver to all camp attendees
- Communicate with parents when appropriate
- Communicate with other health professionals when appropriate

Qualifications:

- RN degree (licensed in Oregon and Washington)
- Must be able to pass background checks
- Flexible able to adapt to different environments and schedules
- Confidence in nursing skills
- Good bedside manner, friendly and personable.
- Desired:
 - Experience working with individuals with visual impairments or other physical disabilities
 - Experience using CampDoc database

Other Job Duties:

- Ability to commit to being on duty 24/7 during the time that Camp Spark is in session
 - Camp Spark Sessions:
 - Session 2: 8:00am on July 10, 2022 to 2:00pm on July 15, 2022
 - Linfield University
 - Session 1: 8:00am on July 17, 2022 to 2:00pm on July 22, 2022
 - Linfield University
 - Session 7: 8:00am on July 24, 2022 to 2:00pm on July 28, 2022
 - Linfield University
 - Session 3: 4:00pm on January 7, 2022 to 2:00pm on January 9, 2022
 - Camp Ghormley
 - Session 6: 4:00pm on February 18, 2022 to 2:00pm on February 21, 2022
 - Mt. Hood Kiwanis Camp
 - Session 4: 4:00pm on March 4, 2022 to 2:00pm on March 6, 2022
 - Mt. Hood Kiwanis Camp
 - Session 5: 4:00pm on April 29, 2022 to 2:00pm on May 1, 2022
 - Camp Ghormley
 - Nurses do not need to work all sessions but are encouraged to apply to all that they are available for
- Ability to be at orientation on:
 - Sessions 1-2, 7 Orientation:
 - Summer Orientation: July 9, 2022 8:00am to 5:00pm
 - Linfield University or virtual
 - A leadership team specific orientation will take place virtually for two hours approximately 2 weeks prior to the start of the summer season of Camp Spark.



- Orientation for all other sessions will be virtual and will be scheduled for 2 hours approximately 2 weeks before each session
- Ability to be moderately active regardless of environment and able to stand 12-14 hours daily
- Ability to self-direct and work well without constant supervision
- Ability to be on-call 24/7 with the assistance of a co-nurse.
- Ability to demonstrate excellent oral and written communication skills
- Ability to lift and carry up to 25lbs.
- Current First Aid card and CPR training

Compensation:

- Stipend will be commensurate with experience, travel accommodations and certification fees paid for by NWABA
- Seasonal.
 - Summer sessions positions run:
 - July 9-15, 2022 for those working Session 2
 - July 16-22, 2022 for those working Session 1
 - July 23-28, 2022 for those working Session 7
 - Nurses working multiple sessions will have some time off between sessions
 - Sessions 3-6 positions run:
 - January 7-9, 2022 for those working Session 3
 - February 18-21, 2022 for those working Session 6
 - March 4-6, 2022 for those working Session 4
 - April 29 May 1, 2022 for those working Session 5
- Full time.
 - Nurses will be on duty 24/7:
 - July 10-15, 2022 for Session 2
 - July 17-22, 2022 for Session 1
 - July 24-28, 2022 for Session 7
 - January 7-9, 2022 for Session 3
 - February 18-21, 2022 for Session 6
 - March 4-6, 2022 for Session 4
 - April 29 May 1, 2022 for Session 5

Application Instructions:

For consideration, please complete the staff initial application:

http://app.campdoc.com/register/campspark

- Complete application, including three references and one completed professional recommendation form
- Complete interview process