

## PSYCHIATRIC MENTAL HEATLH NURSE PRACTITIONER

Job Requisition # 21-0053 Location: Riverside Health Center Application Deadline: Until Filled Hours Per Week: 40 Status: FT (1.0 FTE) Benefit Eligible: Yes

All people share a powerful need for the basic necessities of a good life and a place that understands that good health starts with a caring touch and a kind word. For over 45 years, the Community Health Centers of Burlington (CHCB) has provided access to high quality health care regardless of financial status or life circumstance. We strive to improve the health of all within the communities we serve in an environment that conveys respect, offers support, and encourages people to be actively involved in their own health care. CHCB is an innovative Federally Qualified Health Center with eight sites throughout Chittenden County and southern Grand Isle County. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer.

CHCB is seeking a Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner to join our team at Riverside in Burlington, Vermont. The NP will be responsible for providing direct outpatient mental health services. Renders services that reflect current standards of medical care appropriate to mid-level provider training and experience, and appropriate to local medical community. Coordinates and documents care for quality and continuity of care, and for risk management. Serves as a member of health care team and assumes responsibility for quality assurance and quality improvement efforts.

- > Provides direct outpatient mental health services and appropriate follow-up
- > Refers patients to appropriate specialty care and communicates/follows-up with specialty providers
- Provides clinical supervision for nursing staff as assigned for triage, medication refills, referrals and nursing services visits
- Provides appropriate education to trainees such as medical students, resident physicians, mid-level students and nursing students
- Participates in overall efforts such as development of flow sheets and data collection instruments, chart audits and case conferences, etc.
- Participates in continuing education appropriate to CHC practice

## **Basic Qualifications**

## **Education**

Graduation from program of study accredited by the appropriate professional board

## **Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities**

- > Board certified or eligible for board certification
- CPR certified
- > Licensure for practice in the state of Vermont
- > Completion of requirements for CHCB practitioner credentialing