

Black River Memorial Hospital
JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title: Physical Therapist	Employee Name:
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Created on: 11/01/94	Department: Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	Pay Type: Non-Exempt
Reports To: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Director	Reviewed on: 2/22/17	Revised: 01/13/20

POSITION SUMMARY:
Plans, evaluates, and administers physical therapy treatment to patients within the scope of their licensure.
I. Essential Duties and Responsibilities
1. Conducts physical therapy evaluations.
2. Interprets findings of evaluation.
3. Develops prognosis and plan of care.
4. Selects and administers appropriate interventions.
5. Documents according to accepted standards.
6. Provides supervision of assistants and support staff.
7. Conducts discharge planning.
8. Accurately bills for services rendered.
9. Participates in operational aspects of the Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Department.
10. Follows the hospital's attendance policy.
Additional Duties
11. Performs other duties as assigned or as opportunities arise.

Educational Qualifications:

- Minimum of Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree from an accredited Physical Therapy program.
- Current Wisconsin license as a physical therapist.
- Valid Wisconsin Drivers' License and proof of insurability required.

Work Relationship:

- Reports directly to the Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Director.
- Works closely with all other rehabilitation staff.
- Extensive contact with patients, caregivers and family members.
- Frequent contact with physicians, nursing staff and community support agencies.
- Regular contact with fiscal services and health information personnel.
- Occasional contact with environmental services and purchasing personnel, vendors, general public, civic organization, insurance carriers and patients' employers.

Working Conditions:

- Work is performed largely in a pleasant hospital, industrial, school or home environment with minimal chance for personal injury.
- Occasionally works near moving mechanical parts and in outside weather conditions and is occasionally exposed to wet and/or humid conditions, fumes or airborne particles, toxic or caustic chemicals, extreme cold, extreme heat, risk of electrical shock and vibration.
- Occasionally has exposure to hazardous material and exposure to blood and body fluids.
- The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate.
- Occasional travel required.

Physical Requirements:

- Frequently required to stand, walk, stoop, kneel, crouch, sit or climb.
- Required to use hands to handle or feel objects, tools or controls.
- Frequently lift and/or move up to 50 pounds.
- Occasionally may need to move patients, equipment and/or supplies of more than 50 pounds with assistance.
- Requires specific vision abilities for far vision, near vision, depth perception, colors, accommodation and peripheral vision.
- Vision correctable to 20/40.

Acknowledgement:

This job description/evaluation describes the general nature and level of work performed by an employee assigned to this position. It does not state or imply that these are the only duties and responsibilities assigned to the job. The employee may be required to perform other job-related duties as requested by the department director or administration. All requirements are subject to change over time and to possible modification to reasonably accommodate individuals with disabilities.

Employee Signature

Date