

JOB POSTING REGISTERED PSYCHIATRIC NURSE

Job Title: REGISTERED PSYCHIATRIC NURSE

Status: 1.0 FTE, 1950 hours per year **Location:** EFry Health Centre, Surrey

Posting #: 23-005

Schedule: Monday – Friday, based on patient care needs

ABOUT EFRY HEALTH CENTRE:

In September 2023, the newly established EFry Health Centre emerged as a purpose-built facility in North Surrey. This clinic embodies innovation and multidisciplinary approaches, dedicated to offering comprehensive, holistic care to vulnerable women and children who live in deep poverty and may have complex healthcare needs.

To assist patients in building healthy futures and stable lives, the Centre brings together a primary care team with mental health, allied health, dentistry and nutrition in a gender-focused, trauma-informed, culturally safe environment. It also provides patients with direct pathways to the spectrum of social service supports offered by the EFry and its community partners. As part of the fully integrated care team, you will be supported in operating at the top of your license, providing whole-person care that will help change lives for the better.

We are recruiting for a Registered Psychiatric Nurse (RPN) (1.0 FTE) to join a shared care practice in a team-based healthcare environment with fully integrated health services driven by quality improvement. The RPN performs a critical role in an interdisciplinary team from engaging clients, conducting and documenting assessments, developing and implementing care plans, and performing appropriate interventions. The primary care nurse is responsible for engaging in patient care management meetings with other members of the health care team. It is the goal of the organization to ensure all patients feel safe, valued, respected, and cared for as they access health care services. The RPN will be tasked to demonstrate improved access to primary care and quality of primary care for our population of vulnerable women and children. Due to extended hours of operation that may be needed, the RPN must be willing to participate in evening and weekend hours at times.

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SCOPE OF PRACTICE:

The RPN will provide full- scope of services that would be commensurate with the breadth and depth of professional services provided by a full-time full-service, RPN, for the care of its patients and the health of the community within which it practices. The RPN will also support and provide clinically related teaching and clinically related research.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Completion of a recognized Registered Psychiatric Nurse education program
- Current practicing registration as a Registered Psychiatric Nurse with the British Columbia College of Nurses and Midwives (BCCNM)
- Two (2) years' recent related experience working with diverse marginalized populations in a health care setting or community, primary care, HIV, addictions and/or mental health setting, and previous experience working with an interdisciplinary team or equivalent combination of education, training and experience.
- Completion of the Point of Care HIV Testing course and successful completion of the BCCDC Immunization certificate and Narcan Certification and/or commitment to complete within six (6) months of hire.
- Demonstrated experience and/or successful completion of recent education/training in performing venipuncture.
- Current CPR-HCP Certification essential
- Experience working with marginalized populations (mental health and addictions, poverty, vulnerable youth, Indigenous, refugee, LGBTQ2I+, and other community members)

EFry Health Centre is an equity-seeking organization. Applications are encouraged from qualified women, Indigenous, Black, People of Colour, LGBTQ2S+ individuals, people with disabilities and other marginalized groups.

Interested candidates must submit a cover letter and resume to hr@EFryHealth.ca with the subject line 23-005. The position will remain open until filled.

To view all positions at the Elizabeth Fry Health Centre, please visit www.EFryHealth.ca. A comprehensive job description will be provided to shortlisted candidates.

We thank all applicants for their interest in this opportunity; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.