Advanced Practice Nurse (or Physician Assistant)—Family Planning and Reproductive Health

Within the scope of clinical ability, the Advance Practice Nurse (APN) provides nursing and medical services to clients in Danville, IL. The APN emphasizes health promotion and disease prevention as well as diagnosis and management of disease. The APN assists with the establishment of guidelines, standardized practices and policies and procedures for the program and insures compliance with them during the performance of his/her work. Work is performed in conjunction with the Medical Director as defined in the APN's Collaborative Practice Agreement. Must possess current Illinois license at time of hire.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- 1. Obtains a client history and performs counseling and education (male and female).
- 2. Implements appropriate screening and laboratory testing based on results of the client's history and physical.
- 3. Reviews and interprets laboratory results and follows up appropriately.
- 4. Follows American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology standards when ordering Pap Smear Screenings.
- 5. Educates clients on FDA approved birth control options including abstinence, natural family planning.
- 6. Prescribes contraceptives to clients according to IFHC and manufacturer guidelines. Preferred experience inserting IUDs and Nexplanon implants
- 7. Prescribes medications according to IFHC, CDC and manufacturer guidelines.
- 8. Provides client counseling on reproductive health and sexuality and refers clients to other agencies and health care providers as needed.
- 9. Documents information in the client's medical record according to policy.
- 10. Assists in the development of policies and procedures related to the program.
- 11. Must have knowledge and understanding of and follow Illinois Statutes regarding the reporting of child abuse, child molestation, sexual abuse, rape and, incest, domestic violence, and human trafficking.
- 12. May perform other duties as required by the Medical Director, and/or IFHC management.
- 13. Work is performed as outlined in the APN Collaborative Practice Agreement.
- 14. Implements policies and procedures of the Indiana Family Health Council and the family planning program Title X guidelines.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

- 1. Masters of Science Degree from a university/college program approved by the National League for Nursing preferred.
- 2. Documented evidence of completion of an Advanced Practice Nursing Program that meets the American Nurses Association Guidelines required.
- 3. Current license to practice as a registered advance practice nurse in the State of Illinois.
- 4. Self-directed and motivated to participate in continued learning and professional development.
- 5. Must be able to travel both in state and out of state
- 6. Current CPR certification required (or must obtain certification within the first three months of employment).

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