#### **SPECIALISTS IN GENERAL SURGERY**

# **Physician Assistant**

#### Qualifications

Candidates must graduate from an accredited PA program and be eligible to obtain practice licensure in the state of Minnesota.

## **Job Description**

General Surgery Physician Assistant, Specialists in General Surgery

- -Specialists in General Surgery is seeking a full-time physician assistant to join their team of providers in providing quality, holistic surgical care. This role will work both independently and collaboratively alongside the surgical team in the operating room, inpatient setting, and outpatient setting.
- -Strong affinity for surgical care, interpersonal problem-solving, verbal and written communication skills, ability to handle multiple projects and responsibilities, collaborative work ethic, attention to detail, and eagerness to learn are important qualities in our candidates.
- -New graduates are encouraged to apply!

### Responsibilities

In this team-based role you will assist general surgery team members both in outpatient and inpatient (Robbinsdale Hospital, Maple Grove Hospital, and Buffalo Hospital) settings.

- -Conduct history and physical examinations and diagnostic testing, develop diagnoses and treatment plans, and direct the course of patient care in the perioperative period
- -First assist in the operating room in hospital and ambulatory surgical settings for both elective and urgent / emergent cases; help facilitate timeliness and selection of appropriate surgical instruments; utilize robotic equipment for the benefit of the patient and surgical team
- -Counsel and involve patients in discussion of diagnostic information and treatment interventions, anticipated recovery and timeline, and pertinent lifestyle modifications
- -Perform independent minor surgical interventions and procedures including wound care and debridement, drain care, suture and staple removal, removal or biopsy of skin lesions, and incision and drainage

### **Benefits**

Specialists in General Surgery offers a competitive benefit package including paid time off, medical and dental insurance, 401k and profit sharing, renewal or submission of appropriate licensure (both state and DEA), malpractice coverage, and CME reimbursement with additional time off.

This is a salaried position that <u>does not require holiday, evening, or weekend coverage</u>. Typically, working hours are from 7-4 pm on weekdays, but hours may change slightly based on practice and patient needs. There is opportunity for APPs to individualize their role and pursue special training or subspecialty care as desired. Experienced physician assistants, physician assistants from other specialties, and new graduates are encouraged to apply; training will be individualized and comprehensive no matter your background. Our company cares deeply about work / life balance and wants to not only welcome you in but also to make this career work for YOU!

For consideration, please email a resume and cover letter to sgsinfo@sgsmn.com. Please also reach out with any additional inquiries or needs. We look forward to meeting you!