

Job Details

What does it take to excel in your role?



The number one thing that it takes to be successful in my role is good communication skills. There's so many times where, there's someone who knows what they're doing, they're very intelligent and have good patient care in that they know what should be done, but they don't convey it well to the people under them, like the CNAs, or whoever is, has to implement what this higher level person said, like a nurse, or a Director of Nursing, or a Occupational Therapist, and you just have to be able to build rapport with people and communicate kindly, and effectively what needs to be done, especially in rural settings, as a physical therapist when you're not in one building all day, every day, you need to, the CNAs need to be able to trust you. For example, if I'm telling them this person can now be transferred with one person assist, instead of using the easy stand, they have to know, okay, yep, this'll be safe because we know Tiffany, she's done this before, this patient won't fall, if we do this. And then also, they should feel comfortable coming back to me and saying, yes, this went good, or this went bad, what can we do differently? And it makes for the best and safest patient care as well. You also have to be flexible because in the nursing home, suddenly someone will not be there cause they left with their, their daughter or son to be gone all day, and then it's like, oh, well I was planning on seeing you at 10, I guess I'll, I'll do something else. So you have to roll with what happens and not get stressed about that, because so many things changed during the day.



Tiffany

physical therapist

Facility: Aberdeen Medical Center

Location: Aberdeen, SD

Address: 2905 3rd Ave SE, Aberdeen, SD 57401, USA

Shift: Day

Job Schedule: Full time

Weekly Hours: 40.00

Salary Range: \$33.00 - \$49.50

Pay Info: Sign on bonus available up to \$10,000 with a commitment

Department Details

Primary coverage in school district as well as B-3. Some inpt and outpt PT as schedule allows

Job Summary

We're seeking a strategic, communicative and compassionate physical therapist who will diagnose and treat individuals that have conditions that limit their ability to move and work to improve their quality of life by alleviating pain and improving their physical function. Our physical therapy treatment plans require flexibility, collaboration, out-of-the-box thinking, and problem solving to provide our patients/residents the best care that pushes them to the highest level of physical function. This may require you to lift and transfer your patient/resident as well as handle being on your feet every day.

Responsibilities

- Plans, organizes and delivers physical therapy programs that help patients/residents recover and improve their mobility, relieve pain, increase strength and prevent deformities
- Documents patient's/resident's information for evaluation
- Educates patients/residents and their family members about treatment plans/schedules and self-exercises to be continued at home
- Will demonstrate documentation in accordance with departmental guidelines and meet all regulatory requirements
- Analyzes and records the therapeutic progress of patients/residents; recommends necessary adjustments
- Follows guidelines, regulations, standards and safety procedures in the therapy process

Qualifications

Appropriate education level required in accordance with state licensure.

Must be licensed in the state(s) of practice as a Physical Therapist.

When applicable, may require valid driver's license.

Obtains and subsequently maintains required department specific competencies and certifications. Basic Life Support (BLS) for health care providers required or within the first 60 days of employment.

Benefits

Sanford Health offers an attractive benefits package for qualifying full-time and part-time employees. Depending on eligibility, a variety of benefits include health insurance, dental insurance, vision insurance, life insurance, a 401(k) retirement plan, work/life balance benefits, sick leave and paid time off. To review your benefit eligibility, visit <https://sanfordcareers.com/benefits> .

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Sanford Health has a Drug Free Workplace Policy. An accepted offer will require a drug screen and pre-employment background screening as a condition of employment.

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To protect our patients and our staff, Sanford Health and The Good Samaritan Society require employees to be fully vaccinated for COVID-19 as a condition of employment, subject to accommodation.

Job Function: Allied Health

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