BOUNDARY HEALTH CARE COOPERATIVE

PO BOX 922 GRAND FORKS, BC VOH 1H0

PRIMARY HEALTH CARE NURSE

POSITION SUMMARY

If you are a self-starter who works well within an interdisciplinary team, and have primary care nursing experience, we have the opportunity for you to join our team in the Boundary!

The Boundary Health Care Cooperative is seeking to employ one (1) full-time Primary Health Care Nurse for the Boundary Medical Clinic (Grand Forks). Primary Health Care Nurses provide comprehensive and coordinated nursing care to patients in a Patient Medical Home setting (doctor or nurse practitioner's office) through assessment, planning, implementation and evaluation of care delivery. Primary Health Care Nurses assists individuals to achieve safe, realistic and reasonable health care goals and to maintain optimal health through the provision of information/health promotion, disease prevention and treatment/care management services.

The Primary Health Care Nurse is responsible for working in direct collaboration with an interprofessional care team to conduct integrated care planning, offer patient assessments/clinic visits, and provide ongoing monitoring and self-management support follow-up for patients (adults, seniors, pediatrics) and/or those with multiple chronic conditions, either in an individual or group setting and directly within the family physician/nurse practitioner office.

In addition to providing nursing care to patients, the Primary Health Care Nurse will play an integral role in the advancement of the Patient Medical Home/Primary Care Network model through participating in continuous quality improvement processes, training in teamwork and communications, regular clinic team meetings, quarterly regional meetings, and supporting integration of health authority services into the Patient Medical Home.

The Primary Health Care Nurse will be employed by the Boundary Health Care Cooperative, a community services cooperative created to facilitate the provision of integrated clinical health and wellness services in community-based primary care settings within the Boundary Region. The Primary Health Care Nurse will provide care to patients in patient medical homes as well provide care through home visits and in other locations as indicated.

DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Graduation from an approved school of nursing with current practicing registration with the College of Registered Nurse of British Columbia.
- Post graduate courses in a chronic disease specialty or advanced skills training considered an
 asset
- Two to three years recent related clinical nursing experience in primary care nursing or chronic disease management setting, including experience developing and providing formal education to patients, families, the general public, and other health professionals.
- Current valid BC Driver's License.

Applicants with an equivalent combination of education, training and experience are encouraged to apply.

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APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Please submit your cover letter and resume via email to mariannehart@boundaryhealth.ca

Applications may be addressed to:

Board of Directors Boundary Health Care Cooperative PO Box 922 Grand Forks BC VOH 1H0

Applications will be accepted until Nov 29, 2019 at 4:00pm.