Polysomnographic Trainee/Technologist/RPSGT/RRT

Job Description

This position is responsible for performing physiological studies of sleep and sleep related disorders. Explains procedures to patients, places and attaches electrodes, operates equipment, and monitors signals during tests. Administers questionnaires, completes technician reports, photographs patients, and records observations. Maintains records and statistics that will aid with company planning. Maintains all records and logs accurately as required by AASM (Academy of Sleep Medicine). Works alone for extended periods of time and establishes and adheres to a schedule to facilitate timely completion of studies.

Qualifications

This position requires a high school diploma or equivalent. Current CPR certification also required. Excellent computer skills including the ability to troubleshoot computer software, hardware and electrical equipment problems required. Candidates with previous sleep lab experience are preferred. RPSGTs or experienced techs encouraged to apply and pay adjusted to their experience level. The following are also preferred: previous experience in EEG, pediatric sleep and a working knowledge of human anatomy. Demonstrated effective customer service, interpersonal, and strong communication skills are essential. Spanish speaking skills preferred. If no experience as a Polysomnographer according to Idaho State Law you must:

i. At least seven hundred twenty (720) hours of experience as a paid employee or contractor in a health care related field. For the purposes of this Section, experience as a paid employee or contractor in a health care related field shall include any work providing direct clinical care to patients or having worked in a clinical care setting in which the applicant had direct interaction with patients, and an opportunity to observe the provision of clinical care to patients; or

ii. Current enrollment in a polysomnography program associated with a state licensed or a nationally accredited education facility; or

iii. Successful completion of twenty-four (24) semester credit hours (or a quarter (¼) hour system equivalent of the same) of postsecondary education at a state licensed or nationally accredited facility.

Note: Initial training (ASTEP type) for non-experienced will be a mix of days and nights for the first 3 weeks. Required to complete the ASTEP type training and pass exam within 6 weeks of hire. If does not pass exam technician may be terminated. Must be able to obtain Idaho State License within 3 weeks of hire or termination will ensue. After training is completed employee will work night shifts 8:30 PM-7AM.

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