Cornwall Community Hospital  
Hôpital communautaire de Cornwall

Nursing – Professional Practice

Job Opportunity  
(Non-union)

Enterostomal Therapist (Part-Time 0.8)

Reporting to the Professional Practice Leader, the Enterostomal Therapist provides leadership and demonstrates advanced clinical preparation and expert nursing skills in the provision of care to patients who have skin, wound, ostomy, and/or continence challenges. Provides consultation and education to, and works in collaboration with, physicians, nurses and other interdisciplinary team members to provide evidence-based care for patients with skin, wound, ostomy and continence concerns. Practices in accordance with the College of Nurses of Ontario (CNO) standards. Practices within the scope of practice as set by the organization, as per CCH policies and guidelines and within own competence.

The Enterostomal Therapist upholds the mission, vision and ICARE values of the Cornwall Community Hospital, in order to create a safe environment for patients/clients, families, staff, physicians and volunteers, recognizing “Patient Safety” and our hospital’s “Senior Friendly Strategies” as a top priority in creating a culture of safety and “The Workplace of Choice”.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Required:
• Baccalaureate degree in Nursing
• Current Registration with the College of Nurses of Ontario
• Completion of an Enterostomal Therapy nursing education program recognized by the Canadian Association for Enterostomal Therapy
• Advanced knowledge, skill and expertise in the care and management of patients who have or are at high risk for developing pressure ulcers, have pre-existing wounds or have a new ostomy
• Minimum 3 years of current experience in the care of the medically complex patient population
• Experience in wound or ostomy care
• Demonstrated ability to work independently
• Demonstrated ability in interpersonal communication and coaching
• Demonstrated ability to facilitate ongoing staff development
• Demonstrated conflict-resolution skills
• Computer literacy
• Demonstrated commitment to patient safety
• Functional proficiency in both official languages (oral and written in English; oral in French – and testing completed)

Assets:
• Master’s Degree
• CETN(C) certification

If you meet the qualifications above, and are interested in joining our dynamic team, please send your resume to:

Karen Heuer  
840 McConnell Avenue  
Cornwall, ON. K6H 5S5  
Tel: 938-4240 ext. 4246  
Fax: 938-4073  
Email:karen.heuer@cornwallhospital.ca

We thank all candidates for applying; however only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.