

Vacancy Announcement
REGISTERED NURSE I
Dialysis Unit
Salary: \$6,511.94 - \$9,486.66 Monthly



Position Information: Olive View-UCLA is seeking to fill the position of a Registered Nurse I to provide safe, high-quality, evidence-based care for hospitalized patients with chronic end stage renal disease or acute kidney injury. This position directly reports to the Supervising Staff Nurse and/or Nurse Manager.

Responsibilities include but are not limited to the following:

- Safely prepares, maintains, and monitors patient during the placement/use of medical equipment and devices (e.g. dialysis machine, Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy, Continuous Ambulatory Peritoneal Dialysis, etc.).
- Conducts pre- and post-assessments (e.g., vital signs, vascular access/patency and signs of infections, volume status, etc.) in accordance with department policies and procedures.
- Notifies health care provider of any significant patient change and/or problems.
- Accurately documents, status of dialysis and vascular access, safety checks, intake/output balance of patient on medical record and reports the patient's status to appropriate medical team member.
- Advocates for the patient/family with the interdisciplinary team, treating patients, family/care giver with respect and dignity, identifying and addressing psychosocial, cultural, ethnic, and religious-spiritual needs.
- Teaches patients and significant others how to manage their illness, by explaining: post-treatment home care needs, diet/nutrition/exercise programs, self-administration of medication, if needed.
- Performs other clinical duties as dictated by patient diagnosis/condition (e.g., peritoneal dialysis, etc.) in accordance with health care providers' orders and established protocols.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Strong clinical and assessment background
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Self-motivated and a good team player
- Strong organizational skills with the ability to prioritize
- Ability to work with various levels of staff to coordinate patient care
- One year experience as a Dialysis Nurse
- Bilingual (Spanish)

Candidates must currently hold a permanent County of Los Angeles payroll title of Registered Nurse I to be considered for a transfer or are reachable on the DHS certification list to be considered for a promotion or as a new hire.

The most qualified candidates will be contacted for an interview. Interested candidates must submit a cover letter, resume, the last two performance evaluations, and a prime variance time report for the last two years, to:

Keiko Izawa, RN, Nurse Recruiter
Email: Kizawa@dhs.lacounty.gov
Olive View-UCLA Medical Center
14445 Olive View Drive
Sylmar, CA 91342
Tel: 747-210-3317

Resumes will be accepted until the needs of the department are met.

****This is not a civil service examination****

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