COUNTY OF SONOMA

Senior Public Health Nurse
Adult Protective Services (APS) Program

Accepting Applications
Closing Nov 25, 2015

This innovative and exciting full time Health Services Senior Public Health Nursing position is co-located within the Adult and Aging Division of the Human Services Department. The Senior PHN serves as a consultant to the Social Workers in the APS program to ensure that the health and safety needs of referred elders and/or dependent adults are met.

Working in a fast-paced environment, the Senior PHN is involved in joint home or facility visits, phone consults, or collaborative case reviews to provide recommendations that protect the client’s health and well-being. The Senior PHN may perform any combination of comprehensive nursing assessment, intervention and coordination of care in home or institutional settings. The Senior PHN identifies immediate and ongoing risk factors related to the individual’s health, safety, and capacity for self care in the least restrictive environment, while identifying resources to reduce risk and address client needs.

To qualify you must have a CA State PH Nursing Certificate; additionally, One year experience equivalent to the Sonoma County class of PH Nurse II. OR Two years of PH nursing experience obtained after receipt of a CA PH Nursing Certificate.

We offer excellent benefits...

- $37.67—$45.79 Hourly, depending on level qualified
- Retirement is a defined benefit plan fully integrated with Social Security
- Cash Allowance of approximately $600 per month, in addition to monthly salary
- Choice of five health plans (a PPO, EPO, HMO, and two deductible HMOs) with a County contribution toward the premium of approximately $500 per month.
- Vacation Leave, Sick Leave, and Holidays

The County
The County is governed by a five member Board of Supervisors and is comprised of 28 departments that provide a full range of services to our community. Sonoma County government has a history of providing excellent and responsive public service while operating under sound fiscal principles. This is achieved in a climate of respect and collaboration.

Sonoma County is located less than an hour’s drive north of San Francisco, and combines in one location the beautiful Pacific Coastline, award winning wineries, majestic redwoods, historic towns, fine dining, and a wide variety of entertainment and cultural activities.

Famed horticulturist Luther Burbank described the Sonoma County region as “the chosen spot of all this earth as far as Nature is concerned.”

For more information or to apply online go to www.yourpath2sonomacounty.org or contact HR at 707-565-2331