

The Opportunity - Bank Nurse, Swiftcare Clinics, Limerick & Cork

Vhi is Ireland's No.1 Health Insurer. Vhi Health & Wellbeing has been established to develop medical, health and wellbeing services for Vhi customers. Vhi currently provides a range of health and wellbeing services to its customers, including leading urgent care services in our SwiftCare Clinics.

The Staff Nurse is central to the effective operating of Vhi SwiftCare Clinics. As part of the multidisciplinary team (MDT) they will provide specialist nursing care to patients presenting with a range of urgent care and minor injuries/illnesses. Reporting to the Clinic Nurse Lead, the Staff Nurse will provide patients with a leading standard of care, with the approach of making the patient experience as pleasant as is feasibly possible.

This is an opportunity for **Bank nurses** to make an impact at an exciting time and in a progressive environment. The current open roles will be located in the Vhi Swiftcare Clinics, Limerick & Cork

The Role

Key Responsibilities will include:

- Perform all elements of urgent care nursing to an industry leading standard.
- Have the patient at the centre of all activities and decision making processes.
- Provide excellent patient care management and treatment. Ensure examination and recording of nursing observations and carry out nurse assessments.
- Ensure excellent communication of all relevant information between the respective stakeholders both inside and outside the Vhi SwiftCare clinic setting, most importantly with the patients themselves.
- Manage patient discharge or transfer in conjunction with the administration team.
- Adhere to current legal guidelines regarding safe administration and storage of medicine in accordance with best practice and An Bord Altranais guidelines.
- Quality documentation of all nursing records – using the relevant electronic systems where possible.
- The nurse should at all times work within their scope of practice and as guided by Professional Code of Practice as laid down by An Bord Altranais, professional clinical guidelines and current legislation.
- Consistently seek to develop enhanced nursing standards consistent with best in class patient care. Work with all relevant personnel to achieve this and place a keen focus on personal development through the various modes of learning and proactively sharing knowledge.
- Be cognizant of all legislation and guidelines governing the nursing profession including the Nurses Act (1985) and Nurses and Midwives Bill (2010), Health and Safety Legislation, Medication Management, Child Protection Guidelines, Vulnerable Patient Guidelines or other relevant legislation or guidelines.
- Participate in induction training and competency assessments for all aspects of SwiftCare.
- Complete nursing call backs to follow up with patients as required.

The Person

Flexibility to work across a rolling roster, 365 days a year.

Must hold current registration with the NMBI.

Minimum of 2yrs postgraduate experience including general practice, A&E, urgent care or trauma orthopaedics.

Experience in minor trauma, general medicine, paediatrics, sports medicine or orthopaedics would also be desirable.

Patient/customer focused and demonstrating the related skills

Full complement of related nursing skills

Excellent verbal and written communication skills

Excellent team player

Desire to do what is best for the patient

Positive outlook

Willingness to learn and develop

Strong work ethic

Ability to stay calm under pressure

The Next Steps

If you are interested in applying for the above position, please submit your CV by clicking on the Apply Now button below.

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Applications must be submitted by close of business, Tuesday 4th May 2021.

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