



Volunteerism

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DEPARTMENT: Medicine-Surgery

JOB TITLE: Medicine-Surgical Volunteer

REPORTS TO: Directory of Nursing

ROLE SUMMARY:

The Medicine-Surgical Assistant Volunteer is responsible for assisting the Medicine-Surgical Department in socializing with patients and supporting patient needs as they arise. Also aids the department in special tasks as they arise.

JOB QUALIFICATIONS:

- A. Strong social skills.
- B. Kindness and caring for patients.
- C. Personal Care Worker. (not required)
- D. Current or previous CNA. (not required)
- E. CPR certified. (not required)

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

When interacting with employees, other volunteers, patients and the general public, portrays a professional, confidential, honest, fair, and respectful manner.

Keeps swing bed patients engaged by waking and interacting with them.

When patients are awake, volunteer keeps them company.

Walks patients outside and around department floor to keep them active (may need to push wheelchairs).

Plays games and socializes with patients in order to keep them engaged.

When requested, cleans rooms and surgical equipment properly.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Continuous Demands (61%-100% of the time)

- Use of oral communication to perform work
- Sitting for extended periods
- Pushing/lifting 30+ pounds

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- Standing/walking for extending periods

Frequent Demands (31%-60% of the time)

- Reaching and stretching arms above head to access games
- Requirements for far acuity, sharpness of vision and distinguishing colors

Occasional Demands (1%-30% of the time)

- Climbing and crawling

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS:

- Exposure to latex, cleaning products, noise, dirt/dust, and outside elements

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required for personnel so classified.

Volunteer Name

Volunteer Signature

Date



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