

## Ellisville State School

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## **Vacancy Announcement**

## Senior Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner This is a CONTRACT POSITION with no State Benefits

**Position Open:** 

April 29, 2025

Position Close: May 1, 2025

Salary Range:

**\$76.00** an hour

Schedule:

80 hours per month between the hours of 8am – 5pm Monday - Friday

Location:

Medical Clinic

**Position Description:** 

Work in collaboration/consultation with a Physician currently holding an unrestricted license in the State of Mississippi; in accordance with their Board of Nursing-approved protocol, the PMHNP may assess, diagnose, treat, and evaluate responses to treatment for psychiatric illnesses; obtain histories, in evaluation, differential diagnosis, treatment and/or referral when appropriate; administer on an as-needed basis Rapid Covid-19 testing properly according to the manufacturer's instruction and current CDC guidelines to: potentially positive persons served and staff of the Agency, persons' served and staff showing Covid-19 symptoms and/or have been exposed to Covid-19; unvaccinated employees of the Agency; exposed persons each week for two (2) consecutive weeks or until the threat of infection is no longer present; utilize Ellisville State School provided Test Kits and appropriate PPE when administering tests to prevent the spread of any contagions; enter testing data and results into "Simple Report" program formulating diagnosis and plan of treatment; ordering and interpreting diagnostic studies and lab work, while assessing persons' current health care needs; prescribing psychotropic medications that are appropriate for diagnosis and plans within the parameters of applicable regulations; notifies Infection Control immediately of ALL POSTIVE TEST results.

## **EDUCATIONAL/EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:**

Typically requires a Nurse Practitioner Degree in Family Psychiatric Mental Health or Adult Psychiatric Mental Health, licensed as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse and nationally board certified.

Employees of Ellisville State School cannot be considered for this position unless they resign from their current state service position. Interested applicants can submit an application at the Ellisville State School Office of Human Resources.

It is expressly understood that the above description of job duties and expectations are subject to change based on the needs of Ellisville State School. *Upon contingent employment offer, Contract Workers must complete a background check and pre-employment drug test.*