

Clark County Health Department

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JOB OPPORTUNITY

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| Job Title | Certifying Health Professional 2 (RD/LD) |
| Team | Women, Infants & Children (WIC) |
| Supervisor | WIC Nutrition & Breastfeeding Supervisor |
| Director | WIC Director |
| Programs | Women, Infants & Children (WIC) |
| Funding Sources | WIC |
| Civil Service and FLSA Status | Classified, non-exempt |
| Appointment Status | Full-time |
| Grade/Classification | 23 |
| Insurance Benefits | Eligible for full-time benefits |
| Leave Benefits | Eligible for vacation, sick, personal and holiday |
| Pay Range | Starting at \$22.50 + 3.5% pay raise upon successful completion of 180-day probation |
| Regular Hours | 40 hours per week |
| Date Posted | 3/11/2025 |
| Candidate Review | Rolling basis beginning 3/17/2025 |

JOB SUMMARY

As a Certifying Health Professional, you will help build healthy heroes through the Value Enhanced Nutrition Assessment of Women, Infants and Children and support and promote breastfeeding.

EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

Registered Dietitian and Ohio Licensed Dietitian (RD/LD), Registered Nurse (RN) or Physician's Assistant (PA) certified by the State Medical Board of Ohio, with one year of experience in an Ohio WIC project or within the public health system. RDN, LD is preferred credential.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Determines WIC eligibility of participant based on nutrition and dietary risks; Assesses and documents each participant's nutrition risk; Identifies the need for individual nutrition care plans; If RD/RDN, implements individual nutrition care plans for high-risk participants and assists Nutrition Supervisor in reviews of high-risk participants' individual nutrition care plans when developed by non-RD/RDN certifying health professionals to make recommendations as needed; If non-RD/RDN, refers high-risk participant charts to WIC Nutrition Supervisor or other qualified RD/RDN to review individual nutrition care plans and possibly make recommendations; Implements individual nutrition care plans for low-risk participants; Refers participants to other health and social services and provides appropriate follow-ups to referrals; Provides nutrition education responsive to the identified needs/interests of each participant; Prescribes food packages; Documents nutrition services provided, including referrals and follow-up referrals; Delivers nutrition education services to participants and community; Assists in development/evaluation of nutrition education materials; Assists in training new staff and interns to provide nutrition education services to participants; Determines WIC eligibility of participant not related to breastfeeding, nutrition or dietary risks; Ensures that screening and referrals for

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Alcohol Screening and Brief Intervention (ASBI), Urgent Maternal Warning Signs (UMWS), lead testing and immunizations are performed; Develops skills necessary to function as a support staff; Completes heights, weights and hemoglobin and other laboratory work as assigned; Assists in training new staff and interns to provide clinic services; Provides breastfeeding support/promotion to participants and the community; Teaches hand expression and use of breast pumps; Assists in development/evaluation of breastfeeding materials and tools; Assist in limiting barriers to breastfeeding in the clinic, such as eliminating formula cans/advertising materials from common client areas; Maintain breastfeeding awareness; Conduct interviews without presumption of infant feeding method and commend mothers for whatever amount of breast milk they supplied to their infant; Make referrals to appropriate breastfeeding personnel when a change in infant feeding status is reported; Assists in training new staff and interns to provide support/promote breastfeeding services; Performs non-direct participant related services; Runs data reports as assigned by WIC Director or WIC Supervisor; Assist in maintaining client charts especially in relation to nutrition education, referrals, and food package changes; Assist with participant appointment reminders; Assist with records retention; Participate in WIC Program outreach; Refer vendor complaints to ODH WIC vendor operations staff and maintains inventory of supplies related to nutrition education.

Participates in agency disaster preparedness activities; may be required to report for work outside normal working hours during an emergency; available 24/7 for consultation related to bioterrorism/public health emergencies; meets all public health core competencies as outlined by the position's Supervisor; completes other duties as assigned.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

Working knowledge of State WIC and local WIC project policies and procedures; medical terminology; VENA counseling; community resources and services and up to date knowledge of nutrition education practices.

This job requires proficiency of computers skills including Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook), Adobe Reader, e-mail, electronic calendar, and internet research; ability to compile, consolidate and summarize information; exceptional knowledge and use of English grammar, spelling, written format and punctuation; effective verbal and written communication skills; ability to work independently and as part of a team both in a dependable manner; knowledge of community resources; be able to effusively deal with stress; ability to learn and use a computer and web-based reporting program for completing on-line reports; ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with other agency and organization representatives; knowledge and skills associated with detailed recordkeeping and reporting procedures; ability to meet multiple deadlines, excellent organizational skills, and adhere to confidentiality requirements.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS AND WORKING CONDITIONS

The demands and conditions described here are representative of those the employee must meet to perform the essential functions of the job.

- Frequently required to sit, stand, walk, talk, write, listen and read in English.
- The employee may infrequently be required to climb, balance, stoop, kneel, crouch or crawl, reach with hands and arms, lift and/or move up to 25 pounds.
- Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception, and the ability to focus.
- The noise level of the office is moderate. May occasionally be in environments with high noise levels.
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ORGANIZATION OVERVIEW

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| Funding Sources | WIC |
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| Insurance Benefits | Eligible for full-time benefits |
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| Pay Range | \$16.92 to start + 3.5% pay raise upon successful completion of 180-day probation. |
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