

Oncology Clinical Nurse Specialist

The Clinical Nurse Specialist within the Division of Patient Care Services assure the highest quality of care is provided throughout the hospital stay for a specific patient population or disease process in support of departmental and institutional goals. The role of this position is to assure the provision of expert Oncology nursing care through consultation and education of oncology staff and patients. This position collaborates with multiple disciplines, sharing the most current knowledge and utilizing sound research for the planning and coordination of nursing care for this caseload of complex patients. The Oncology Clinical Nurse Specialist will be an expert resource person for health care providers including nurses, residents, and other ancillary staff. The Oncology Clinical Nurse Specialist will evaluate and advance care processes and delivery through direct engagement, quality improvement projects, and analysis of outcome data.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Valid California Registered Nurse license
- Graduation from an accredited School of Nursing with an advanced degree in nursing (MSN)
- Valid Clinical Nurse Specialist and/or Clinical Nurse Practitioner license
- Several years demonstrated recent acute care experience in Oncology, Clinical Nurse Specialist experience highly desirable. Prior experience with clinical trials is desirable.
- Must be able to lift at least 25 pounds and assist in moving and lifting patients.
- Must be able to complete the UCDMC Medication Exam, I.V. Certification and CPR Certification.
- Excellent demonstrated organizational skills, strategic planning and administrative skills for developing and implementing new protocols, pathways and programs.
- Demonstrated computer skills and knowledge of or ability to learn complex PC software programs
- Excellent oral and written skills to communicate efficiently and effectively

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