



Make a positive difference in our community and be a part of a dynamic and innovative team as a nurse for the Health Care Agency, County of Orange!

Licensed Vocational Nurses:

- Comprehensive Care Licensed Vocational
- Licensed Vocational Nurse
- Mental Health Specialist

Registered Nurses:

- Comprehensive Care Nurse I and II
- Behavioral Health Nurse
- Registered Nurse—Staff Nurse
- Senior Staff Nurse

Certified Public Health Nurses:

- Public Health Nurse I, II, and III
- Senior Public Health Nurse
- Supervising Public Health Nurse I and II

Nurse Practitioners:

- Comprehensive Nurse Practitioner I and II
 - Nurse Practitioner Candidate
 - Nurse Practitioner I and II

· Administrative Manager I, II, and III







Find your dream with the County of Orange



HEALTH CARE AGENCY MISSION

o be a world-class organization dedicated to creating and supporting an environment that promotes the achievement of optimal individual, family and community health. The Orange County Health Care Agency is a dynamic organization that is committed to meeting the health needs of the diverse Orange County community. It is lead by our Agency Director and

a skilled executive team with an organizational structure comprised of four service areas: Behavioral Health; Medical and Institutional Health; Public Health; and Regulatory Health.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES

ursing services are provided in a variety of environments to meet the needs of the growing population in Orange County.

California Children Services

Public Health Nurses provide case management services for children with serious medical conditions such as cerebral palsy and cancer in this State and County program. Be a part of a team that determines medical eligibility and benefits for these vulnerable patients up to the age of 21, as well as issue authorizations to assure their access to state-of-the-art treatments.

Disease Control & Epidemiology

Clinics provide testing, treatment, and case management for tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS and sexually transmitted diseases. Nurses in Epidemiology and Assessment investigate, report and provide information to the community on the prevention of diseases such as chicken pox, measles, hepatitis, and parasites, as well as food borne outbreaks and disease clusters. The Bioterrorism Preparedness and Planning Program develops and implements disaster response, readiness plans and exercises.

Family Health Services

Staff Nurses, Public Health Nurses, and Medical Assistants provide immunizations, reproductive health services, and health services for well and sick children and adolescents in clinic settings. Public Health Nurses participate in consultations/technical assistance to community providers and work with community organizations to improve access to care in specialty areas such as Perinatal Access, Child Health and Disability Prevention Program, Immunization Assistance Project, Childhood Lead Prevention Program, Hepatitis B Prevention and Program Quality Assurance. They also provide case management for patients with special conditions.

Health Promotion

Public Health Nurses provide professional education and provider technical assistance. They work in programs serving individuals in our community with multicultural backgrounds who require medical care and education to maintain healthy lifestyles.

Public Health Nursing

Public Health Nurses provide nursing assessments, interventions, and case management to individuals and families in homes and the community. Field Nursing services include communicable disease investigation, high risk maternal, infant, child, and adolescent health. Other programs include the Nurse-Family Partnership for pregnant and parenting teens, Bridges for Medically High Risk Infants, Calworks Public Health Nursing, Child Abuse Services Team, Foster Care Public Health Nursing, Preventive Health Care for the Aging, Perinatal Substance Abuse Services Initiative/Assessment and Coordination Team, and the Senior Health Outreach and Prevention Program.

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES

e provide culturally competent and client-centered services for county residents in need of treatment for alcohol and other drug abuse and mental health care.

Alcohol/Drug Abuse Services

Behavioral Health Nurses and Staff Nurses provide assessment, evaluation, case management, and medication services to adolescents and adults in a variety of specialized substance abuse/dependency treatment settings.

Adult Behavioral Health Services

Adult Mental Health Services provides care for the mental, emotional and/or behavioral disorders which impair a person's ability to fully function in the community. Behavioral Health and Comprehensive Care Nurses provide nursing support in both inpatient and outpatient settings to transitional age youth, adults, and older adults.

INSTITUTIONAL HEALTH SERVICES

omprehensive Care Nurses, and Medical Assistants provide 24-hour nursing services in correctional and institutional settings. Traditional, flex, and 12-hour shifts are available.

Correctional Medical Services

Correctional nursing is a specialized, challenging, and growing field. Nurses in a correctional setting work with patients presenting a wide variety of acute and chronic health problems. Nursing services provided include assessment and evaluation of inmate medical needs, patient teaching, emergency care, physical examinations, and medication administration. Correctional Medical Service nurses work as valued members of an interactive team comprised of physicians and nurse practitioners, as well as dental, mental health, and public health professionals.

Correctional Mental Health

Correctional Mental Health provides adult mental health services including 24-hour emergency triage and crisis intervention, suicide prevention, including a 24-hour crisis stabilization unit (beds), individual and group therapy, and substance abuse counseling, medication assessment and discharge planning to adult inmates in the County's five adult correctional facilities.

Juvenile Health Services

Nursing services, including triage, sick call, emergency response, post operative observation, detoxification protocols, health education and case management, are provided to residents of various juvenile facilities including Juvenile Hall and Orangewood Children's Home. Nurses with pediatric experience are highly desired.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Staff Nurse

Requires a California Registered Nurse License. Requires some nursing experience and training. (Nursing school training accepted)

Public Health Nurse I, Public Health Nurse II

Requires a California Public Health Nurse Certificate. Candidates who have met all the State requirements for the certificate may apply prior to receipt of the certificate. The Public Health Nurse II level requires at least one year experience as a Public Health Nurse.

Behavioral Health Nurse

Requires two years as a Registered Nurse, at least six months of which was spent in a psychiatric setting. (Bachelor's degree, which includes 24 semester units in psychiatric nursing and community mental health, may be substituted for one year of the required experience.)

Comprehensive Care Nurse I

No experience required for this level.

Comprehensive Care Nurse II

Level II requires one year of experience as a Registered Nurse including six months in a correctional, institutional, or related setting which would have developed the required knowledge and abilities.

Comprehensive Care Licensed Vocational Nurse I

Requires a California Vocational Nurse License. A minimum of one year acute experience is preferred.

Licensed Vocational Nurse

Requires a California Vocational Nurse License. Requires some nursing experience and training. (Nursing school training is accepted)

BENEFITS

View Current Compensation and Job Descriptions

View current job opportunities and complete your application on-line:

www.ocgov.com

Explore Your Benefits Possibilities

In addition, the County offers a standard suite of benefits that includes a variety of health plan options, dental insurance, retirement, vacations and paid holidays:

www.ocgov.com/hr/employeebenefits

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

All Registered Nurse positions require a license issued by the California Board of Registered Nursing. Licenses will be verified by the agency prior to hiring.

HOW TO APPLY

Becoming a candidate for nursing positions is easy! Visit us at our website listed below to apply online or for information about other employment opportunities within the County of Orange:

www.ocgov.com/hr

It is important that all nursing experience, education and training be clearly described on your application.

If you have any questions or would like more specific information regarding a nursing career with the County of Orange, call HCA Human Resources at (714) 834-3101.

Equal Opportunity Employer

The County of Orange is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants are considered without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, handicap, medical condition or marital status.

