RAVENSWOOD FAMILY HEALTH NETWORK
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION TITLE: Registered Nurse – Bilingual Spanish/English
FLSA Status: Exempt
REPORTS TO: Nurse Manager

ORGANIZATION
Ravenswood Family Health Center’s mission is to improve the health of the community by providing culturally sensitive, integrated primary and preventative health care to all, regardless of ability to pay or immigration status, and collaborating with community partners to address the social determinants of health.

POSITION SUMMARY
Under the supervision of the Nurse Manager, the bilingual Registered Nurse works in collaboration with the health care team in the delivery of patient care at RFHN. RNs are cross-trained through the different departments, following the institution’s professional practice model. RNs consistently demonstrate safe practice by utilizing the nursing process to provide direct and indirect care to patients ranging from infancy to adult. RNs work closely with clinicians and other members of the health care team in the coordination of patient care through the institution and outside services. RNs accept accountability for the nursing care given to assigned patients and continuously thrive to expand their knowledge and skills to provide high quality patient care based on the patient’s culture, education, psychosocial and physical needs. RNs seek and provide feedback that can improve clinical practice and comply with all standards and regulations. RNs provide patient care and perform all duties in accordance to Ravenswood Family Health Network policies and procedures.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES
To be performed in accordance with RFHN Policies and Procedures
1. Utilizes the nursing process (assessment, planning, intervention, and evaluation) in patient care and demonstrates critical thinking skills, leadership and appropriate role modeling.
2. Administers injections and diagnostic tests/referrals as ordered, including immunizations, completing lab and x-ray requisitions and other services ordered by the clinician.
3. Performs diagnostic and laboratory tests including but not limited to EKGs, O2 sat, breathing treatments, vision testing, hearting exams, etc.
4. Provides direct patient care and supervises the provision of patient education by LVNs or MAs.
5. Performs independent telephone or face to face triage using triage protocols.
6. Prepares the patient and assists the clinician with exams and procedures as needed.
7. Documents all immunizations according to standards into the immunization registry.
8. Performs age appropriate screening as needed or as directed by the clinician.
9. Assures efficient patient flow by ongoing assessment of clinician schedule, and working with other staff to minimize patient waiting time.
10. Applies leadership skills that support team effectiveness and collaboration; communicating confidently with team members to meet the needs of patients and peers.
11. Provides patients care, respecting patient values, preferences and needs.
12. Fosters an environment that promotes trust and cooperation among all staff.
13. Maintains confidentiality of all patient and employee information to all except the Nurse Manager or other designated employees.
14. Attends all RFHN mandatory meetings and other meetings as requested.
15. Promotes courteous and professional behavior in all interactions with the public and the staff.
16. Actively delivers constructive feedback to peers to foster development and improvement in performance.
17. Serves as resource and preceptor for new nurses and demonstrates commitment to the nursing profession through life-long learning following the ANA code of ethics for nurses.
18. Participates in problem-solving to address issues that may impact the quality of patient-family care.
20. Provides coverage as requested through departments by Nurse Manager or acting Nurse Manager.
21. Other duties as assigned within the nursing scope of practice.

QUALIFICATIONS
1. Graduate of an accredited RN program, current California RN license and good standing with the Board of Registered Nurses required.
2. Experience in Family Practice or Pediatrics required.
3. Bilingual Spanish/English fluency required.
5. Experience in a community clinic setting strongly preferred.
6. Experience with health education, including asthma, a plus.
8. Experience working in an electronic medical record environment highly desirable.
9. Ability to memorize, retain and recall pertinent skills and information.

SKILLS/ COMPETENCIES
- Ability to perform job duties as described in the position description according to clinical level.
- Ability to use tools and equipment necessary for clinical operations within the nurse’s practice setting.
- Ability to investigate and analyze information and to draw conclusions.
- Ability to provide technical advice, guidance, and to support professional state in area of specialty.
- Ability to work well with physicians and ambulatory staff in a practice or health care setting.
- Demonstrate initiative and creativity to continuously improve services, process and other activities.
- Willingness to be flexible in situations for QI.
- Strong competency documenting in electronic health records and i2i tracking.
- Superior inter-personal skills.
- Critical thinking and problem-solving skills.
- Committed to the triple aim better care at lower cost leading to better health outcomes.
- Make patient and family the center of every clinical decision.
- Demonstrate commitment to the nursing profession, by engaging in life-long learning according to the ANA code of ethics for nurses.

Qualified applicants, please submit a current CV and cover letter to resumes@ravenswoodfhc.org.