

ELIZABETHTON CITY SCHOOLS
POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT
January 24, 2012

Title: Licensed Practical Nurse
Location: Systemwide for the 2011-2012 school year
Qualifications: Currently hold an active LPN license in Tennessee. Have a minimum of two (2) years experience as an LPN preferred. Have knowledge of growth and development and health problems and/or conditions commonly seen among school age children. Have knowledge of the treatment and nursing care needs of children with special health care problems/procedures. Current CPR certification is required.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

1. Contribute to the nursing assessment by collecting, reporting, and recording objective and subjective data in an accurate and timely manner.
2. Participate in the development of the plan of care/action in consultation with a Registered Nurse.
3. Participate in the assisting and giving of safe direct care as defined in the Individual Health Plan.
4. Participate in establishing and maintaining a therapeutic nurse/client relationship.
5. Maintain client health care confidentiality and OSHA standards for health care professionals.
6. Perform assigned procedures as defined by the standard of practice for Licensed Practical Nurses.
7. Communicate accurately in writing and orally with recipients of nursing care and other professionals.
8. Contribute to the evaluation or the response of clients to nursing interventions and participate in revising the plan of care where appropriate.
9. Maintain local school system policies and procedures pertaining to health issues, including safety, medication, and health care services.
10. Performs other work-related duties as assigned.

Physical Demands: This job may require lifting of objects that exceed 50 lbs., or the weight of an average child, with frequent lifting and/or carrying of objects weighing up to 25 lbs. Other physical demands that may be required are as follows: pushing and/or pulling; climbing; stooping and/or kneeling; reaching; talking; hearing; seeing.

General Requirements: The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this position. They are not intended to be a complete list of responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel so assigned.

Submit applications to: Elizabethton Board of Education
804 South Watauga Avenue
Elizabethton, Tennessee 37643-4207 (423) 547-8000

Application Deadline: January 30, 2012, 8:00 a.m., or until position is filled

Contact Person: Richard VanHuss, Asst. Superintendent (423) 547-8000 extension 8203

***Must have a current and completed application on file
before phone inquiry.***