

Neighborhood Health – Peer Counselor Full-time, 34 Hours

As a patient-centered medical community, Neighborhood Health is committed to building healthier communities by delivering quality, comprehensive care. We offer medical, dental, vision, and behavioral health services, along with the women's, infants, and children's (Indiana WIC) program, all in one convenient, centralized location.

Neighborhood Health is seeking a Peer Counselor to assist in the planning, organizing, and implementing of the breastfeeding program. As a member of our growing team, you will feel at home in a fun and diverse community of healthcare professionals. Our goal is simple: improving access to healthcare in our community and surrounding areas.

What you will do:

- Counsel WIC pregnant and breastfeeding mothers, one-on-one in the WIC clinic, social media, texting, or by telephone.
- Teach breastfeeding conferences/workshops and prenatal classes, as appropriate; attends breastfeeding support groups and trainings as appropriate.
- Ensure clients who have loaner pumps are contacted every two weeks to determine if the pump is being used and to offer breastfeeding support.
- Document all encounters in computer chart progress notes and breastfeeding education forms. Maintains documentation on all contacts made with WIC clients.
- Travel to other WIC clinics/hospitals to help with breastfeeding in the county when needed.
- Be available outside of the WIC clinic a minimum of one week per month to take call on a company provided cell phone after regular business hours to help new mothers who are having breastfeeding problems.

Education Requirements:

• High School Diploma or GED

This position is full-time with benefits. We offer competitive pay, health and dental insurance, 403(b) retirement plan, PTO, and paid holidays.

The schedule will be Monday 10-7pm, Tuesday OFF, Wednesday 8-5pm, Thursday 8-5pm, Friday 8-5pm. Lunches will be 30 minutes.

Interested? Send a resume along with cover letter to NHC Human Resources Department at: PO Box 11949, Fort Wayne, IN 46862, or by email to: <u>hrdept@nhci.org</u>. You may also fax your information to 260-969-2911.

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