

**Edgecombe County Health Department
122 East St. James Street
Tarboro, North Carolina 27886**

Nutritionist II

Job Position Number: 453-52-303

Salary: \$29,416

Posted: ESC, County Website, Internal

Closing Date: Thursday, July 2, 2015 at 5:00 PM or until filled

The Edgecombe County Health Department has a vacancy for a Nutritionist II. The position provides direct services to high risk patients referred from a variety of sources. This includes comprehensive, complex nutrition services to high-risk WIC clients, and children with a variety of medical/nutritional problems, which require a thorough knowledge of disease pathophysiology in relation to nutrition theory and practice.

Knowledge, Skills and Ability:

Specialized knowledge and skill in comprehensive nutrition assessment and care planning, including problem diagnosis, counseling, and evaluation of clients from diverse backgrounds, ages, and with multiple and complex health and therapeutic nutritional needs. Knowledge of human behavior and techniques for effecting behavior change with considerable skill in counseling. Broad knowledge in health care ethics, documentation in the medical record, and quality assurance. Knowledge in organization of community health and nutrition resources. Sophisticated knowledge of current scientific information regarding nutrition, diet, and health and the ability to relate this information to clients, professionals, and the general public. Skill in conducting a nutrition education or community needs assessment. Fundamental knowledge of current principles and practices of public health, and program coordination. Ability to interpret policy and protocols into operational procedures and work priorities. Full range of skills in presenting ideas orally and in writing in a clear, concise manner.

Minimum Training and Experience:

Registered Dietitian with the Commission on Dietetics Registration; or Master's degree in Dietetics, Public Health Nutrition, or Nutrition; or graduation from a Commission on Accreditation for Dietetics Education-approved Didactic Program in Dietetics and two years nutrition experience; or Dietetic Technician, Registered with the Commission on Dietetics Registration with a Bachelor's degree in any subject area from an accredited four-year college or university and two years nutrition experience; or a Bachelor's of Science degree in Dietetics, Public Health Nutrition or Community Health Nutrition from an accredited four-year college or university and two years nutrition experience.

Interested candidates must complete and submit an Edgecombe County Application and certified college transcript. The Edgecombe County Application Form may be obtained from the Employment Security Commission Office or online at www.edgecombecountync.gov. Send application materials to:

Edgecombe County Health Department
P.O. Box 100
Attention: Julie Keel
Tarboro, North Carolina 27886

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