



**BONNER COUNTY
HUMAN RESOURCES**

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Position: Jail Nurse
Department: Sheriff
Starting Pay: \$27.00 DOE
Closing Date: until filled

Position Summary:

Perform a variety of duties and responsibilities related to providing health care to County inmates (both adults and juveniles) while incarcerated. Provide emergency medical, dental and non-emergency services. Evaluate mentally ill, suicide-prone and disabled inmates for proper housing assignments. Administer medications as ordered by the jail physician. Evaluate and treat alcohol withdrawal and/or drug withdrawal, per applicable nursing protocols. All health care aspects are for the adult offenders in the jail and the juvenile offenders housed at the juvenile detention center.

Other Information: Verbal and written communication skills are essential. Must have effective communication with the deputies, other members of the jail medical team, doctors in the community, specialists, and those professionals associated with select state and federal agencies. Must take direction well and work individually. Must be familiar with the medications administered, know the actions, uses, indications, dosages, contraindications drug interactions, and toxic effects. Must be able to give injections and perform venipuncture.

Specifications: Prefer a minimum of three years of nursing experience in an established medical practice, clinic, etc.

Must be able to pass a pre-employment drug screening and background investigation.

Must have a valid Idaho Licensed Practical Nurse license.

Must be CPR certified.

Prior work in a correctional facility helpful.

To Apply: Please visit our website at <https://www.bonnercountyid.gov/departments/HR/current-openings>.

Click on APPLY HERE, this will take you to our Munis Self Service system. Follow the instructions to register and apply on line for the position.

Veteran's Status: Bonner County will grant a preference to employment of veterans of the U.S. Armed Services in accordance with provisions of Idaho Code § 65-503 or its successor. In the event of equal qualifications for an available position, a veteran or family member who qualifies for preference pursuant to Idaho Code § 65-503 or its successor will be employed.