

Pediatrician

Provide the full scope of primary care services which fall under his/her field of training, including but not limited to diagnosis, treatment, coordination of care, preventive care and health maintenance to patients under the age of 18. In addition, a Pediatrician is a member of the OHCC team. In that capacity s/he is expected to be familiar with the philosophy, goals and objectives of the Center and to work collaboratively to achieve them. The Pediatrician must be cognizant of, and comply with, all Center policies and procedures, as well as pertinent state and federal regulations.

Supervision:

Supervised by: Medical Director

Essential Duties/Responsibilities:

Patient Relations

- Obtain health history and perform physical examinations.
- Diagnose and direct counseling for each patient on a plan for treatment.
- Prescribe medication in accordance with Louisiana statute and professional practice guidelines.
- Arrange referral for patients requiring services not offered at OHCC.
- Review incoming reports (e.g. lab, x-ray, EKG) sign, date and follow-up in a timely manner.
- Participate in staff outreach and off-site health care programs in the OHCC services area as assigned by the Medical Director.
- Comply with the OHCC Infection Control plan which includes personally utilizing universal precautions. Ensure compliance by support staff.
- Participate in peer review, quality assurance, provider meetings, and other clinical meetings.
- Assist in updating protocols and principles of practice as requested.
- Assist in outside medical public relations functions.
- Adhere to UDS productivity standards and meet at least the minimum requirement.
- Participates in performance improvement activities and initiatives on-going.
- Attends and participates in in-service and continuing education offered to the staff.

Supervisory Responsibilities

- Supervises students in training at OHCC as assigned by the Medical Director.
- Supervises mid-level practitioners (physician assistants).

Qualifications

- Current Louisiana State Medical License
- Current D.E.A. Certificate

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- Board Eligible or Board Certified in Pediatrics OR Family Practice. If Board Eligible at the time of hire, must be Board Certified within 3 years of hire date.
- Insurability (malpractice)
- Current Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Certificate (CPR)
BLS (Basic Life Support) within 12 months of employment, if appropriate
- Experience, or willingness to be trained, in providing primary care for HIV/AIDS patients under the auspices of a clinic-affiliated Infectious Disease sub-specialist