



Job Code: 6544
Grade: KP1
HCWR: N

Job Title

Attending Physician, Pediatric Gastroenterology

Department

Pediatrics/Gastroenterology

Job Summary

The Attending Physician, Pediatric Gastroenterology will provide care to infants, children, adolescents, and young adults with gastrointestinal, liver, digestive, and nutritional problems in the pediatric inpatient units, outpatient clinics, and assigned hospitals for Cook County Health (CCH). The Attending Physician will perform and supervise gastrointestinal (GI) procedures. The Attending Physician will be actively engaged in the teaching of residents and medical students and will be expected to participate in various committees and administrative duties within the Department and the Institution.

Typical Duties

- Provides general pediatric clinical care to all infants, children, adolescents, and young adults with GI, liver, digestive, and nutrition problems across CCH settings including other sites as assigned.
- Participates and clinically supervises GI procedures across CCH settings including other sites as assigned.
- Participates in quality improvement activities related to inpatient and outpatient pediatric service.
- Supervise teams of pediatric and family medicine residents as well as medical students as they provide care for pediatric inpatients. Provide comprehensive education to the teams of learners regarding the inpatient care of pediatric patients with gastrointestinal, liver, digestive, and nutritional problems. Participate in quality improvement activities as they relate to the inpatient pediatric service.
- Provide general pediatric clinical care to all infants, children, adolescents and young adults in the ambulatory settings with gastrointestinal, liver, digestive, and nutrition problems.
- Clinically supervises pediatric and family medicine residents as well as medical students as they care for GI pediatric patients in the inpatient and outpatient clinics
- Actively participates in the overall pediatrics education of the Pediatric and Family Medicine residents. The education of the residents must conform to the program requirements of the Pediatric Residency Review Committee (RRC) of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME).
- Collaborates with administrative and nursing staff with regards to clinical practice
- Participates in goals and activities of the Department of Pediatrics including administration, productivity, quality, education, and clinical research.
- Performs other duties assigned by the Chair of the Department of Pediatrics.

Minimum Qualifications

- Doctor of Medicine (MD) or Doctor of Osteopathy Medicine (DO) degree or foreign medical school equivalent
- Licensed as a Physician and Surgeon in the State of Illinois or the ability to obtain prior to starting employment



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- Illinois controlled substance license or the ability to obtain prior to starting employment
- Current and valid licensure with the Federal DEA or have the ability to obtain license prior to starting employment
- Board Certified in Pediatrics
- Board Certified or Board Eligible in Pediatrics Gastroenterology or must obtain Board Certification in Pediatric Gastroenterology in four (4) of starting this employment

Preferred Qualifications

- Experience working in academic Pediatrics
- One (1) years of experience with electronic medical record documentation

Knowledge, Skills, Abilities and Other Characteristics

- Demonstrated attitudes, knowledge, and skills necessary to work respectfully and effectively with patients and staff in a culturally diverse work environment
- Knowledge of the principles and methods of training medical staff to ensure standards of care. · Skill to analyze data/information accurately to determine and implement an effective and appropriate course of action.
- Skill to prepare written documents to provide information and/or direction to staff and others
- Skill to communicate effectively to exchange and/or provide information and/or direction to staff and others
- Demonstrate knowledge of and ability to comply with regulatory/accreditation standards, federal, state, county and CCH compliance requirements
- Demonstrate knowledge of and the ability to comply with County, CCH, departmental and divisional policies, and procedures
- Ability to meet requirements of on-call schedule
- Demonstrate attention to detail, accuracy and precision in decision making
- Ability to maintain a professional demeanor and composure when challenged
- Ability to meet departmental and divisional productivity thresholds

Physical and Environmental Demands

This position is functioning within a healthcare environment. The incumbent is responsible for adherence to all hospital and department specific safety requirements. This includes but is not limited to the following policies and procedures: complying with Personal Protective Equipment requirements, hand washing and sanitizing practices, complying with department specific engineering and work practice controls and any other work area safety precautions as specified by hospital wide policy and departmental procedures.

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this classification. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties and skills required of the personnel so classified.

For purposes of the American with Disabilities Act, “Typical Duties” are essential job functions.

