



TORRINGTON AREA HEALTH DISTRICT

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Position Announcement W.I.C. Per Diem NUTRITIONIST

The W.I.C. Per Diem Nutritionist will be responsible for providing direct nutrition services, including nutrition assessment, education breastfeeding promotion, support, and referrals to WIC participants.

Education & Experience:

A Bachelor's degree from a four-year institution accredited by a recognized regional accrediting body with a major in foods and nutrition, community nutrition, nutrition education, or nutritional sciences. Preferably has credentials of a Registered Dietitian (R.D.) or eligibility with the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics' Commission on Dietetic Registration; if applicable, has State license or certified as a nutritionist/dietitian

Duties:

- As a Competent Professional Authority (CPA) on the staff of the local program, conducts a complete WIC nutrition assessment, determines and documents nutritional risk of WIC participants.
- Is responsible for appropriate food package assignment and tailoring for WIC participants.
- Assures proper certification of eligible applicants.
- Assists with the implementation of the nutrition and breastfeeding promotion and support component of the local agency plan.
- Assists with meeting State and local objectives.
- Provides nutrition education, counseling and breastfeeding support appropriate to the WIC participant.
- As a Competent Professional Authority (CPA) on the staff of the local program, conducts a complete WIC nutrition assessment, determines and documents nutritional risk of WIC participants as appropriate develops and follow-up on care plans for high-risk participants.
- Is responsible for the appropriate assignment and tailoring of WIC food packages for participants
- Other duties as assigned.

Physical Requirements of the position: The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by the employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

Salary / Benefits:

- Pay will be commensurate with experience
- This is a per diem position and does not offer benefits

Please submit cover letter and resume to Jacqueline Zaklukiewicz, Program Coordinator / Nutritionist 350 Main Street Torrington, CT 06790 or by email to jzaklukiewicz@tahd.org

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