



**Human Resources**  
**P.O. Box 400**  
**Okmulgee, OK 74447**

**POSITION:** Wound Care LPN (Diabetes)-Okemah  
**VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT:** CN-21-99

**STARTING SALARY:** Negotiable  
**CLOSING DATE:** Open Until Filled

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The Muscogee (Creek) Nation Department of Health (MCNDH) provides comprehensive health care services to Native Americans living within the Muscogee (Creek) Nation. MCNDH is an integrated system of six health centers, an Express Care Clinic, two hospitals, a physical rehabilitation center and nine comprehensive community health programs Offering services across the lifespan including pediatrics, family medicine, nursing, dental, laboratory, radiology, pharmacy, behavioral health, emergency medical, audiology, nutrition, physical therapy and optometry.

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**DESCRIPTION OF ASSIGNMENT:** The purpose of this position is to evaluate diabetic patients requiring wound care services, initiate care procedures for managing wounds, access wounds as well as create and implement treatment plans to provide preventive services throughout the MCNDH clinics. The incumbent will work with the APRN, and the staff of the Diabetes Care Team Program, the Okemah Clinic staff, and other MCNDH clinic staff to accomplish these services.

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**REQUIREMENTS:** Candidates must meet the following requirements:

Preference: Graduation from an accredited practical nursing curriculum is required. Two (2) years relevant experience as an LPN is preferred. Incumbent is required to possess current licensure by the Oklahoma Board of Nursing for Practical Nursing and current CPR certification.

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**EVALUATION METHODS:** Applicants who meet the requirements described above will be evaluated to determine the extent to which they possess or have the potential to acquire knowledge, skills, abilities and personal characteristics, (KSAP's) required of this position. Applicants should address the following KSAP's on a separate attachment to their application.

1. Strong clinical and human relation skills are required. Ability to effectively communicate both orally and in writing, and maintain standards of clinical skills and professional ethics as established by the Nurse Practice Act.
2. Strong communication skills to work in a multidisciplinary team environment.
3. Excellent interpersonal, listening, critical thinking and organizational skills.
4. Team player that collaborates to achieve highest outcome.
5. Basic Assessment-Measure vital signs, literacy assessment and ability to follow protocols for patient intake. Assessment may include family/social support systems.
6. Provide support, general information, guidance regarding assessing care, available diabetes education/patient assistance programs.
7. Provide diabetes support and care in a cultural-openness manner.

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**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:** Apply online at [www.creekhealth.org](http://www.creekhealth.org). (Current employees must use a transfer request form available on the intranet home page under forms). The KSAP's as outlined in the Evaluation Methods section should be addressed, but are not required. For further information call Jeremy Smith at (918) 732-7828. The Department of Health is an Equal Opportunity Employer; however, Indian Preference will be applied in the case of equally qualified applicants.

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Staffing Coordinator

Date