## TRENTON SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

## JOB DESCRIPTION

**Position Title:** School Nurse

**Trenton Special School District** 

**Term of Employment:** Ten (10) Month Contract

**Immediate Supervisor(s): Principals of Schools** 

**POSITION DESCRIPTION:** Responsible for aspects of all school health of TSSD students

and staff

#### **ESSENTIAL DUTIES:**

• Maintain health files on all students and write health plans as needed

- Process referrals of students in need of medical care
- Perform medical procedures on students as required by the state department of education
- Maintain a medication policy
- Assume responsibility for exposure control program
- Care for minor injuries and illness at school to decrease absenteeism
- Assumes responsibility for students with communicable disease and authorizes exclusion and readmission of students
- Provides health promotion programs for parents and faculty
- Teach CPR to employees and maintain records of certifications
- Visit each building daily if at all possible and no less than twice a week to gather referrals, and be available for students and faculty
- Work jointly with the department of health in maintaining current immunization guidelines within the schools
- Collaborate and assist with 504 plans and IEP team meetings when needed
- Other nursing services as deemed necessary for school-wide health

# **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Registered Nurse: Associate's of Arts Degree in Nursing, or

Bachelor's of Science in Nursing Degree

Recommended: Experience in public health

**EVALUATION: Principals/Director of Schools** 

### Applications should be completed online at www.trentonssd.org.

For further information, call (731) 855-1191 or email at tim.haney@trentonssd.org. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

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