

Ambulatory Nursing Float Pool

Overview

The ambulatory float pool is a team of nurses comprised of RN's and LPN's who float to the Mayo Clinic building on Shea as well as to the Specialty building located adjacent to the hospital. We also float to the satellite family medicine facilities at Thunderbird, Arrowhead and Fountain hills.

The RN's are ACLS certified and have strong IV, assessment, direct patient care, and communication skills as well as multiple years of nursing experience. The LPN's cover the direct patient care areas and demonstrates competency of strong assessment and communication skills. The float pool nurse requires flexibility to assist with assignment changes often with the given work day.

Hours of Operation

The hours of operation are from 8:00 am to 5:00 am Monday through Friday. Occasionally overtime is necessary to close a department.

Departments Covered

The float nurse is oriented to completion of the competencies in each department per return demonstration and evaluation. The float team covers 30 plus ambulatory departments. The float nurse is scheduled weekly according to the departments request for support. The float nurse covers multiple triage areas such as Community Internal Medicine, Cardiovascular, Gastrointestinal, Regional International Medicine, Neurology, Family Medicine, Transplant and Acute Illness. They also assist with direct patient care in moderate sedation recovery of patients and diagnostic radiology assisting with IV starts and screening for allergies. The float nurse assists with direct patient care in the Plastics, Gynecology, Allergy, Pre-admit, Women's Health, Orthopedic, Radiation Oncology, ENT, Executive Health, Dermatology, Vascular, Nephrology, Urology, Colorectal Surgery and Pain clinics.

Skill Requirements

The float nurse must possess strong computer, telephone triage, communication and problem solving skills. The job requires flexibility and strong time management skills. The successful float nurse must enjoy leaning new things and have the desire to continue to grow in ones nursing career, as well as the have the desire to see the clinic in its entirety. ACLS obtained within 90 days of hire.

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