



Registered Dietitian Opportunity at ACUTE Center for Eating Disorders at Denver Health

Do you have a Bachelor's degree in nutrition, dietetics or directly related field? Do you have experience working with patients who have eating disorders such as anorexia nervosa (restricting and purging subtypes) and/or bulimia nervosa? If so, this position may be right for you!

Denver Health & Hospital is actively recruiting for a full-time Clinical Dietitian for the ACUTE Center for Eating Disorders. The registered dietitian will work as part of a multidisciplinary team on ACUTE's inpatient medical stabilization unit.

The ACUTE Center for Eating Disorders at Denver Health is the nationwide referral center for medical stabilization of patients with severe malnutrition, often due to eating disorders. ACUTE was founded in its current form in 2008 specifically to provide definitive medical stabilization for adults whose eating disorders have become too critical to receive care safely even in inpatient or residential eating disorder facilities. We are the highest volume center in the country with multidisciplinary expertise in managing the medical complications of severe starvation.

About the Position

Under minimal supervision, performs in-patient nutrition assessment, re-assessment and education. Implements Medical Nutrition Therapy (MNT) to optimize patient care and outcomes. As a member of the multidisciplinary healthcare team, actively participates in patient care rounds. Assists Chief Clinical Dietitian with PI/CQI activities to ensure quality patient care.

Minimum Qualifications

Education: Bachelor's degree in nutrition, dietetics or directly related field. Masters degree preferred.

Experience: Typically, one to three years related experience in clinical or public health nutrition.

Knowledge, Skills & Abilities: Effective communication skills in both oral and written form.

Demonstrates ability to delegate responsibility as appropriate. Ability to exercise good independent judgment. Ability to follow written and oral instructions. Process the ability to assess data reflecting the patient's status and interpreting appropriate information. Demonstrates knowledge of disease specific and age specific nutrition standards of care. Demonstrates understanding of Local, State, Federal and



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The Joint Commission standards and regulations. Demonstrates competency with computer system for order entry and to update diet and patient information. Demonstrates understanding of how to use most current version of on-line Nutrition Care Manual.

Certificate/License/Registration: Registered Dietitian. Maintain current registration credentials and requirements of the Commission on Dietetic Registration. A member of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. All Certifications and Licenses required for this job must be kept current as a condition of employment.

All job applicants for safety-sensitive positions must pass a pre-employment drug test, once a conditional offer of employment has been made.

Denver Health is an integrated, efficient, high-quality academic health care system that is considered a model for the nation. The Denver Health system includes the Rocky Mountain Regional Level I Trauma Center, a 525-bed acute care medical center, Denver's 911 emergency medical response system, 8 family health centers, 15 school-based health centers, the Rocky Mountain Poison and Drug Center, the Denver Public Health Department, an HMO, and The Denver Health Foundation.

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