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Physician Associate Priory Medical Group

Are you an experienced Physician Associate with a background of working in a Primary Care environment? Are you looking for an opportunity to work within a supportive team at one of the largest and most innovative GP Practices in the country? Do you enjoy urgent care, making an impact on patient care, enabling people to stay at home longer in their own home?

If the answer is yes...we have an exciting opportunity for you to join Priory Medical Group.

Our Culture...Our People:

What are the main duties of the role?

- All our surgeries offer both urgent care sessions and routine appointments. You will work closely with other clinicians (GPs and other Allied Health Professionals including Physician Associates) as part of a supportive team at our surgery(s).
- You will be responsible for providing face to face consultations for patients presenting with undifferentiated problems, with a wide range of minor injuries, long term conditions and minor illness needs as well as undifferentiated clinical presentations.
- You will act as an autonomous clinician and take responsibility for the assessment, treatment and/or to appropriately refer patients to specialist services when required
- 1 session to be based with the renowned York Integrated Care team alongside a GP, working as part of that team and supporting frail patients in the community. This innovative team with GPs, prescribing and non-prescribing nurses, Occupational Therapists, Physiotherapists and Health Care Support workers all strive to support housebound patients in the community by avoiding admissions to hospital whenever possible.
- Be compliant with the FPA Code of Professional Conduct and be registered on the PAMVR.
- Take a comprehensive patient history, carry out physical examinations and use expert knowledge and clinical judgement to identify the potential diagnosis
- Refer patients for investigations and/or the appropriate specialist where appropriate
- Make a final diagnosis
- Independently decide on and carry out treatment.
- As a dependent clinician (until GMC registered) you will be supported by experienced GPs with prescriptions and ionising radiation requests.
- Use your existing practice experience to plan and provide skilled and competent care to meet patients' health and social care needs, involving other members of the wider health care team as appropriate;
- Ensure the provision of continuity of care including follow-up visits;
- Assess and evaluate, with patients, the effectiveness of the treatment and care provided and make changes as needed;
- Work independently, although often as part of a local and wider health care team;
- Provide leadership to the wider team and make sure that each patient's treatment and care is based on best practice

At Priory Medical Group, all our employees should enjoy coming to work and enjoy feeling a part of the team! We will ensure you are provided with a clinical supervisor and a supportive network around you.

What we look for in your application:

- Qualified Physician Associate, registered with the PAMVR.
- Experience of working in Primary Care environment.



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- You will have a proven record of acting in roles where you have acted autonomously and responsibly for the assessment, treatment and/or appropriately refer patients to specialist services when required
- Proven background of dealing with a diverse range of patients from all walks of life
- Proven background of building positive rapport with a diverse range of internal colleagues and clients
- Proven ability to work autonomously whilst also having an awareness when identifying the need to access the wider clinical team or external agencies appropriately and safely
- A first class organisational and time management skill in a fast paced environment is essential.
- Hold a Full UK Driving License and access to a vehicle to travel between surgeries and other health care settings as appropriate

So are you in?

Working Hours: Open to discussion

Rate of Pay: Competitive (depending on the strength of the candidate)

Location: Operating in a Surgery Environment within Priory Medical Group. One session working with

York Integrated Care Team alongside a GP working with frail patients in the community. Will include other health care settings such as home visits, residential and nursing homes

etc.

Please apply for this vacancy by clicking < here > or visiting NHS jobs and searching Priory Medical Group, York. Please include why you feel you have the aptitude, attitude and skills for this role. For more information, contact vacancies@priorymedical.com or Human Resources on 01904 928842

Selection for Interview

The Practice recognises that discrimination of any kind is both unlawful and would act as a barrier to finding the most talented individuals for our organisation. As such, our recruitment and selection procedures exist to ensure no job applicant, employee or worker is discriminated against either directly or indirectly on the grounds of age, disability, gender reassignment, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy or maternity, race, religion or belief, sex or sexual orientation.

A great deal of careful consideration has been invested in preparing the advert for this post based on the specification for this role and the person we are looking for. **Our selection for interview process is designed to ensure individuals are selected for interview on the merit of their application only**.

If you are applying through NHS Jobs, you will notice you are asked if you would like a guaranteed interview as part of the 'Two Tick' disability scheme. Whilst this is an admirable government initiative, please be aware we are not signed up to this scheme. This is a question on the NHS jobs application form which is outside of our own control. Our own process ensures we consider candidates on the merit of their application only and we do not ask any questions regarding a disability as part of our selection process. We only give candidates the opportunity to share information regarding any disability after candidates are invited to interview and only if the candidate feels they require adjustments in the interview process.