

MERCE Family Healthcare

Family Medicine Physician Opportunity

Description: MERCE Family Healthcare is currently recruiting a compassionate team- oriented Family Practice Physician to practice family medicine in a primary care setting serving publicly and privately insured patients, with a focus on the underserved.

Clinical responsibilities of a staff provider:

Deliver the full range of ambulatory primary care services, including diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic illness in all age groups, preventative and well child care, along with prenatal care.

Responsible for seeing scheduled patients as well as providing coverage during the operating hours of the Center and providing after-hours rotating telephone consultation. Medical providers are expected to manage all patients and conditions within the scope of their training and approved privileges. Must understand and practice problem-focused patient care.

Requirements: A North Carolina license to practice as a Family Medicine Physician, Controlled Substance Registration certificate from the Drug Enforcement Administration ("DEA certificate"), Basic Life Support certification and an active NC Medicaid provider number.

The Practice: MERCE Family Healthcare has been operating since 1992 as a private, non-profit organization. MERCE was designated a Federally Qualified Health Center in 2007. Operation hours at the medical facility are Monday through Thursday 8:00am – 5:00pm and Friday 8:00am – 12:00pm.

Our medical staff cares for a variety of patients within the entire family practice spectrum. Our patient mix includes self-pay as well as Medicare, Medicaid and those with private insurance. Call is telephone only; no hospital call required.

The Community: Asheboro/Randolph County, NC is a part of the Piedmont Triad region, a six-county area whose central location puts it within 90 miles of the Blue Ridge Mountains to the west and within 200 miles of the Atlantic Ocean to the east. Asheboro sits in the middle of the Eastern Seaboard, within 500 miles of half of the nation's population and largest markets. The region is united by the Piedmont Triad International Airport, interstate highways, a score of colleges and universities, and a rich cultural life. Asheboro is convenient to Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Chapel Hill and Burlington.

Although Asheboro is a part of the largest metropolitan area located entirely within North Carolina, it is still small-town living at its best - close enough to larger cities to have access to the amenities, but small enough to escape such urban problems as traffic congestion, higher unemployment, and an increasing crime rate.

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