

**VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
PHYSICIAN EXTENDER III
SURRY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
POSITION NUMBER 545-48-101**

SALARY GRADE: 81
SALARY RANGE: \$60,900 - \$104,292
LOCATION: Dobson, NC

Description of Work: The Surry County Health and Nutrition Center has an immediate opening for a full-time Physician Extender III. The specific responsibilities are to work in the Primary Care Clinic which includes Adult Health, Workers' Comp, and the Employee Wellness Program. The physician extender will work under the supervision of a licensed physician. Will work under written protocols and medical guidelines.

Minimum Education and Experience: Graduation from a Physician Assistant program approved by the NC Board of Medical Examiners and "approved to practice medical acts" based on education and experience by the Board of Medical Examiners, and two years in the area of assignment; or graduation from an accredited Surgeon's Assistant Program of at least 24 months duration and "approved to practice medical acts" based on education and experience by the Board of Medical Examiners, and 1 year of experience in the area of assignment; or licensed as a Registered Nurse by the Board of Nursing, graduation from a Nurse Practitioner program approved by the NC Joint Subcommittee of the Board of Nursing and Board of Medical Examiners, and "approved to practice medical acts" based on education and experience by the Joint Subcommittee, and preferably two years of experience in the area of assignment; or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

Application Process: To apply applicants should contact the Employment Security Commission, 541 W. Pine St., Suite 300, Mount Airy, NC 27030 or call (336) 786-4169 for an application. EOE M/F Surry County does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services. Surry County is a drug free work place. In house applicants should contact Carol Vanhoy at 401-8446.

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Closing Date: January 31, 2010