

### **Nurse Practitioner Position Description**

**Duties and Responsibilities:** The Nurse Practitioner provides community-based primary care to UWM College of Nursing's Nurse Managed Health Clinic(s) (NMHC) clients. The NP effects a model that demonstrates nursing of individuals, families and communities in an academic NMHC where practice, service, education and research are integrated. The complexity of the role requires a high level of autonomy. **A) *Provision of primary health care and other nursing services to individuals, families and communities.*** Accurately and systematically gather data of environment, psychosocial factors, physiological status and health-related behaviors of individuals, families and communities; delineate client diagnoses; develop a plan of care in collaboration with individuals, families, communities and other providers; design and implement interventions sensitive to the diversity of individuals, families, and communities and emphasize health promotion and primary prevention; provide coordination, advocacy, and referral that facilitate service delivery on behalf of individuals, families, and communities, communicate with health and human service providers, promote assertive individual, family and community communication and guide individuals, families and communities toward use of appropriate community resources; detect, measure, critically analyze and monitor the status of individuals, families and communities in relation to health and factors affecting health; participate in evaluation of outcomes of care provided in the NMHC; document community health practice and primary health care services using the ACHIS electronic record; establish and maintain collaborative relationships with community residents, other health and human services providers, and partner agencies to identify and take action toward common goals related to the overall health status of the community. **B) *Demonstrate the Lundeen Model of Nursing Care in the Community/Academic NMHC.*** Establish and demonstrate for nurses, faculty, students, other health and human services providers, policy makers, funders and the general public the Lundeen model for delivery of nursing care services relevant to individuals, families and communities; assist in the ongoing development of the NMHC's Collaborative Model for the Provision of Health Care Services with community-based partners; provide leadership in the development of a nursing and medical education model which provides clinical learning experiences for nursing, medical, and social work students in NMHC settings that prepares them for leadership roles in primary care settings; establish and maintain collaborative relationships with faculty and students within the College of Nursing, medical schools and related disciplines to facilitate the integration of practice, service, education and research; demonstrate, document and disseminate information about the evolving NMHC Collaborative Model for the Provision of Health Care Services to facilitate health care policy development. **C) *NP will also participate in NMHC Planning, Evaluation, Research and Policy Development.***

**Qualification Statement:** Education Req. - MS in Nursing (or related field), with emphasis on the NP education requirements or Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) preferred. BS in Nursing with equivalent community health nursing experience/expertise preferred. Prior Experience - Expertise desirable in adult, family, pediatric, maternal/child, and/or adolescent health. Experience in program planning, coordination and interdisciplinary collaboration desirable. Ability to provide culturally and linguistically appropriate services to diverse populations and to

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function autonomously in an advanced nursing practice environment required. Special Certification and Licensure - Registered nurse in the State of Wisconsin. Board Certification as FNP and prescriptive authority in Wisconsin required.

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