



Genetic Counselor Maternal Fetal Medicine Full Time Position Full Benefits

SUMMARY: Carle Foundation Hospital and Carle Physician Group are looking for a full-time Maternal Fetal Medicine genetic counselor to join their team. The Maternal Fetal Medicine team includes 3 physicians, 3 nurse practitioners, and 5 nurses who work collaboratively in a supportive environment. Under the general supervision of an attending maternal fetal medicine physician and/or a board-certified geneticist, the genetic counselor will provide consultative services to pregnant and pre-conceptual patients for a wide variety of genetic indications.

The Genetic Counselor will be responsible for counseling to inpatients and outpatients of all age groups and families regarding genetic risk, diagnosis and testing, document all patient interaction, significant observations, interventions, and actions taken in the electronic medical record, serve as a clinical resource person and effectively share clinical expertise with staff, students, and community in formal and informal teaching sessions, provide genetic counseling services at an outreach clinic with Geneticist, provide patient education, offer and coordinate genetic and prenatal testing as indicated, provide patient support, and share pertinent gathered information with the attending physician and ultrasound staff to ensure quality patient care, ensure proper operations of the genetic component of our Fetal Care Center and outreach clinics, gain an understanding of the electronic medical record used for documentation of genetic counseling session and ordering tests, provide support and participate in department educational programs. They will participate in devising genetic counseling protocols, assess genetic risk in pregnancy and provide information in a clear and understandable manner to the patient and attending physician, monitor and integrate new technologies, theories, and resources into patient care, and design educational programs as needed, In collaboration with other genetic counselors, will help cover general medical genetics, pediatrics, neonatal intensive care unit, cleft lip and palate clinic, cystic fibrosis clinic, and the oncology center, Opportunities to participate in research, publication, developing subspecialty clinics are available.

EDUCATION: Master's degree from an American Board of Genetic Counseling (ABGC). Accredited genetic counseling, training program or equivalent.

LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION: Certification or eligibility for certification by the American Board of Medical Genetics or the American Board of Genetic Counseling required. Illinois state licensure or ability to obtain Illinois State Licensure required.

We are an equal opportunity employer and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status

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