



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

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Job Title	Director, Acute Care Informatics
Department	Clinical Excellence
Reports to:	VP, Clinical Informatics
Position Summary	<p>The Director, Acute Care Informatics is the champion for the clinical infrastructure, development and implementation of acute care applications including inpatient electronic health records (i.e. Picis), bar coding and related applications for SJHS. The Director is responsible for leading the clinical model for transformation, coordinating clinical work flow, providing direction and oversight to the subject matter experts and leading multiple teams through all phases of application development, implementation and post go live evaluation. Must be able to lead as well as work in collaboration with the local ministry CIS teams to optimize implementation and utilization of acute care, hospital based information systems. The candidate must be able to work closely with IT counterparts in the development of strategies, education and roll out of acute care information systems.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with vendors, subcontractors, and IT departments to implement clinical information systems (i.e. PICIS) that support Perfect Care Initiatives • Work under the direction of VP of Clinical Informatics on key aspects of clinical IT planning, implementation, and optimization with emphasis on improving clinician workflow or patient outcomes • Co-Manage the Acute Care Informatics Division of SJHS Clinical Excellence Department including vendors and subcontractors as appropriate • Demonstrate leadership, collaboration, critical thinking, and teamwork in addressing decisions and resolving issues • Ensure policies and procedures are developed and updated as necessary to coincide with acute care clinical informatics systems usage • Maintain a working knowledge of applicable Federal, State, and Local Laws and regulations for all states in states in which SJHS in present as well as the other SJHS and local Ministry policies and procedures in order to ensure behaviors that are honest, ethical, and professional • Lead and support change management program that support any clinical system implementation • Lead enterprise-wide workflow analysis and redesign • Oversee contracts for assigned systems, including assurance that all elements of contract for assigned systems, including assurance that all elements of contract are met and working with ministries, external agencies, and companies on issue resolution • Provide education as required • Manage projects as assigned with attention to detail, expected outcomes, and timeline • Work with Ministry-based Clinical Informatics Departments, OR Departments, Information Services teams and end users to ensure performance and process value is realized from the implementation of advanced clinical information systems (i.e. PICIS)

**Key
Qualifications**

Minimum Position Qualifications:

Education: Master's degree in Nursing, Management Information Systems/Business Administration or healthcare related field.

Experience: Minimum 5 years of nursing experience (clinical) in an inpatient setting or comparable position with strong knowledge of clinician workflow, practice standards and clinical documentation requirements.

Lead in-patient electronic health record implementation with responsibility for education and roll out.

License: Current California RN license required

For consideration: Fax resume to (714) 347-7540 or e-mail to: SJHSHR@STJOE.ORG.