



Registered Nurse – Community Palliative Care Permanent 0.8FTE Position

Mercy Hospice Auckland provides specialist palliative care services for people facing life limiting illnesses in the Auckland City and the central suburbs area.

We are looking for applicants who will deliver high quality specialist nursing care to those patients and families/whanau enrolled in the Mercy Hospice Auckland programme. Being a champion of the Mercy Hospice values; dignity, respect, compassion, advocacy, quality and stewardship, is a must.

The successful applicant will be responsible for:

- Providing high quality nursing care to patients with complex needs – including physical, psycho-social/emotional and cultural needs
- Providing support and education to primary care providers including practice nurses, district nurses and aged residential care facilities
- Collaborating with the multidisciplinary team to meet the palliative care needs of patients and family/whanau
- Maintaining current palliative care nursing knowledge that is evidence based by engaging with education opportunities provided within and outside MHA

Contribution to the on-call and weekend roster is also required.

The successful applicant will have:

- Current NZ Annual Practising Certificate
- A minimum of 2 years' experience; preferably in palliative care, acute care or district nursing
- A recognised Post Graduate Certificate/Diploma is preferred but training and support will be provided for the right person interested in developing their skills in palliative care
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Computer literacy
- Current NZ Drivers Licence

For more information

Contact Sandra Notley, Nurse Practitioner, Clinical Team Leader – Community Team
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Application Information:

Applications close 31 August 2018 or until the right person has been found.

Please apply by submitting your CV and a cover letter, setting out your reason for making the application to Renee Fletcher – HR Assistant. Email: careers@mercyhospice.org.nz