



ANNOUNCEMENT

Alliance Medical Ministry has an *immediate need for full-time primary care PA / NP.*

ORGANIZATIONAL SUMMARY

Alliance Medical Ministry (AMM) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization providing medical care to approximately 2,600 patients living and working in Wake County. www.alliancemedicalministry.org

AMM opened its doors in 2003 to increase access to medical care for low-income, uninsured adults, the largest gap in our healthcare system. These individuals do not qualify for Medicaid or Medicare, do not earn enough to be eligible for healthcare subsidies, and cannot afford to purchase health insurance on their own.

Uninsured individuals are at higher risk of going without necessary care even though they are often those with great health needs; about one in six low-income adults are in fair or poor health, and about a third has a diagnosed chronic condition. Currently, we are a medical home to approximately 2,600 low-income adults. A typical AMM patient lives in a household of three and supports his or her family on \$19,907 a year. To become an AMM patient, individuals may self-refer or may also be referred from emergency departments, the Health Department, social service organizations or word of mouth. For each visit to AMM, patients pay a sliding scale fee based on household income, usually about \$25. This fee places value on the services provided and makes the patient an active participant in their healthcare.

Comprehensive care at AMM focuses on the body, mind and spirit of our patients and incorporates care and services to help our patients improve health and lifestyle outcomes. Key to supporting our patients is the need to

help identify and address barriers to health. AMM provides access to fresh food through our community garden, health education and disease management classes, yoga and other exercise programs, and cooking and gardening classes. AMM patients also have access to mental health services through our pastoral care and counseling program.

In order to achieve our mission, AMM understands the importance of building strong partnerships and collaborations that inspire shared solutions, and as such has and is collaborating with many Wake County organizations including WakeMed, Duke Raleigh Hospital, UNC Rex, Interfaith Food Shuttle, Capital Area Food Network, Alice Aycock Poe Center for Health Education, StepUp Ministry, Dress for Success, NC Works, Catholic Parrish Outreach Food Pantry, You Call this Yoga, Wake County Medical Society Project Access, FIGS, Advocates for Health in Action, YMCA of the Triangle, United Way of the Greater Triangle, and many others to improve the health and lives of our patients.

Mission

Alliance Medical Ministry provides access to comprehensive primary medical care to working, uninsured adults in Wake County.

Vision

All residents of Wake County have access to quality, coordinated primary medical care that improves their health and well-being.

Core Values

The core values of Alliance Medical Ministry are based on the fundamental belief that all people are of worth and value, created equally by God. In carrying out our mission, Alliance embraces the following values: Excellent Holistic Primary Medical Care, Compassionate Care and Service, Professionalism and Integrity, Innovation and Leadership, Responsible Financial Stewardship.

ABOUT THE POSITION

A primary care PA/NP works with other AMM providers and clinical staff to provide comprehensive, compassionate health care to the working

uninsured of Wake County. The PA will provide primary care services including, but not limited to, diagnosis, treatment, and coordination of care, preventative and health care maintenance to adult patients.

Hours: 30 -40 hours per week

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Obtain health history and perform physical exams
- Diagnose and develop treatment plans with the patient
- Prescribe medications as allowed by federal, state and professional guidelines (we access free and reduced cost medications through Pharmacy Assistance Program, MediAssist, and FIGS)
- Arrange referral for necessary labs, x rays and specialty consults (we have on-site volunteer specialists, off-site direct referrals, and referrals through WCMS Project Access)
- Review and follow up on incoming reports in a timely manner
- Implement clinical policy with Medical Director, Nurse Manager and other providers
- Support and assist with training, orientation and clinical support for new volunteer providers
- Maintain current North Carolina Licensure and all licenses necessary to provide care in the medical practice.

Have a working knowledge of EMR system: Allscripts Pro and PM

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