

OHSU Patient Care Services Division is now recruiting for:

Professional Practice Leaders

The Professional Practice Leader is a new and exciting opportunity for Master's prepared nurses who are passionate about professional nursing



Oregon Health and Science University has an immediate opening for a Professional Practice Leader in our Neurosciences and Trauma Intensive Care Units. In addition to being the only dedicated Neurosciences ICU in Oregon, we are also nationally certified as an Advanced Primary Stroke Center. Our nurses work in collaboration with a neurointensivist team which provides 24/7 coverage for our patient population. Our Trauma unit, a Level 1 trauma center and tertiary care center, provides exceptional intensive care to traumatically injured patients in Oregon, Southwest Washington and Northern California. In addition, designated nurses fulfill the role of the critical response nurse (CRN), responding to all trauma activations and serving as the primary nurse until the patient reaches his/her final destination.

The Professional Practice Leader responsibilities include:

- Leading excellence in the provision of nursing care
- Implementing and evaluating the impact of the professional practice model
- Facilitating adoption of evidence-based practice
- Implementing performance improvement strategies to achieve results for nursing sensitive indicators
- Promoting the profession of nursing through formal and informal presentations.
- Supporting staff in progressive learning related to nursing independent scope of practice and for designated patient populations
- Partnering with nurse managers and supervising staff educators in planning, implementing, and evaluating the professional development of staff

The successful candidate will hold a graduate degree in a relevant field (e.g. Clinical Nurse Leader, Clinical Nurse Specialist, Master of Nursing or Nursing Science), and will have experience in applying systems thinking and utilizing leadership and change theories to improve the standard of care delivered and patient outcomes. Salary range is \$77,000 - 115,500.

At OHSU, you'll be a part of the state's only academic medical center, where healing, teaching and discovery come together to treat some of Oregon's most complex patients. No other place in Oregon makes so many health care discoveries, provides such a wide range of leading-edge care, or attracts so many of the world's best minds. OHSU offers the opportunity to work within a professional practice environment while learning and advancing with nursing's finest. Join Us.

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