

**HOSPICE OF THE NATURE COAST**  
**A program of Hospice of Citrus County**  
**POSITION POSTING**  
**June 28, 2010**  
**2010-063**

Hospice of the Nature Coast is currently seeking to fill a vacancy for a  
**REGISTERED NURSE**  
**Palatka / Putnam County**  
**FT days/Mon-Fri**  
**Facilities Team**

**POSITION SUMMARY:** Based out of the Palatka, FL office, this position is responsible for maintaining the continuity of care and services to Hospice patients, patient's families and other loved ones through the use of a comprehensive Plan of Care established at the time of admission and as periodically updated.

**Core Responsibilities Include:**

1. Provide Direct Patient Care Services
2. Initiate and Maintain Proper Documentation
3. Interact with and Support Interdisciplinary Team

**Other Responsibilities/Functions:**

1. Maintain Professional Standards

**Minimum Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:**

1. Licensed in the State of Florida as a Registered Nurse.
2. Valid Florida Driver's License
3. A minimum of one-year experience as an RN with background in Hospice, Surgery, Critical Care, Nursing Home or Home Health preferred.
4. Skills in making physical assessments.
5. Ability to accept various individual lifestyles.

**SPECIAL DEMANDS/PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:**

The position may require occasional heavy lifting. Normally such lifting will involve, but may not be limited to, the lifting of patients and/or medical equipment. Additionally, the position requires a considerable amount of time driving a motor vehicle in connection with on-the-job requirements. Must have reliable mode of transportation

This organization conducts pre-employment drug testing and employees may be asked to take a test to determine the presence of drugs, narcotics or alcohol if there is reasonable suspicion that the employee is using or has used drugs in violation of Hospice policy.

**Qualified candidates may obtain an application at any Hospice of Citrus County / Hospice of the Nature Coast locations or online at [www.hospiceofcitruscounty.org](http://www.hospiceofcitruscounty.org) or [www.hospiceofthenaturecoast.org](http://www.hospiceofthenaturecoast.org).**