

# **Substitute School Nurse**

High School & Zug Campus

Job Description

### **Our Mission**

We are a community of learners determined to make the world – or our corner of it – a better, kinder place. We reflect our values in everything we do so that we make the most of opportunities and challenges in a spirit of enthusiastic inquiry

#### **Our Vision**

We help every student turn learning into action, creating opportunities for students to stretch themselves further and achieve more than they believe possible.

### **General Description**

The Substitute School Nurse assists the nursing team by providing expertise and oversight for the provision of school health services and promotion of health education when required. Using clinical knowledge and judgment, the Substitute School Nurse provides health care to students and staff members and coordinates referrals to the private health care providers. They address the physical, mental, emotional and social needs of students and support their achievements in the learning process. The Substitute School Nurse supports the nursing team not only for the safety and care of the students and staff members, but addresses the need for integrating health solutions into the education setting. No minimum hours guaranteed.

The Substitute School Nurse is expected to:

#### **Health Services**

- Assess, diagnose, treat and evaluate acute illnesses and injuries
- Refer to a physician and/or a hospital, as needed
- Dispense medications to students requiring treatment during the school day, per their family or physicians requests
- Maintain student visits and health records including Individual Health Plans (IHP's) and Individual Care Plans (ICP's)
- Ensure confidential documentation of students and inform teachers and counsellors, appropriately
- Maintain First Aid kits
- Attend school sporting events to provide first aid cover out of school hours
- Provide health education and health counseling for students, staff members and families

## **Education (if appropriately certified)**

- Act as a consultant to teachers in specific areas of health education
- Provide First Aid/CPR/AED trainings for student groups and all staff members
- Provide in-class support for specific health topics within the PSHE or by request
- Provide health education and counseling to students, staff members and parents
- Participate in school committees or activities where expertise of a health professional would benefit the group

#### Safety

- Maintain and follow up on school accident reports
- Collaborate in fire and lock down drills

## **Health Screening**

- · Assist with vision, height/weight, blood pressure and BMI screenings
- Perform hearing evaluations, as requested by teachers and/or parents

# **Required and Preferred Qualifications**

- Nursing qualification of home country which qualifies you to work as an independent practitioner/Diploma of higher education in Nursing Studies and/or Bachelor of Science in Nursing/ Master's degree (pediatric background desirable)
- Current registered nurse license
- Current CPR/First Aid certificate (instructor certification desirable)
- Computer literate (all documentation is done on the School Nurse software SNAP)
- Flexible and a great team player
- Excellent command of the English language, both written and spoken; German is considered a big plus

# Compensation

Compensation for this position will be commensurate with the responsibilities of the position and is very competitive globally.

## **Application Process**

 Submit one PDF with a letter of interest and CV via the application link found in the Employment section of ISZL's <u>website</u>

### **Key ISZL Reference Documents**

- Guiding Statements
- Learning Principles
- Inclusion Policy
- ISZL Teacher Candidate Profile
- Visit the Employment section of ISZL's website for more information

### **Child Protection**

ISZL is committed to the use of the International Task Force on Child Protection screening and assessment practices for schools for all hiring processes.