



# JOB POSTING

## ESTES PARK MEDICAL CENTER

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### **POSITION TITLE: Respiratory Therapist – PRN**

REPORTS TO: Director of Rehabilitation

#### **COMPETENCIES:**

This is a Respiratory Therapy position that provides consultation for patient care, conducts out-patient respiratory procedures such as simple spirometry, and conducts Pulmonary Rehabilitation on scheduled days.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Provides consultation regarding patient care for patients with respiratory needs, per physician order.
2. Provides spirometry testing and communicates results to physicians
3. Acts as a liaison between EPMC and Pulmonologist services in the specialty clinic.
4. Advise clinical directors regarding equipment needs, selection, implementation and education for staff regarding use of equipment.
5. Provides staff education per clinical director requests regarding respiratory assessment, care, equipment, etc.
6. Documents all patient consults and care in a timely manner according to EPMC systems and policies.
7. Implements a pulmonary rehabilitation program according to national standards
  - a. Communicates program opportunities to physicians and staff
  - b. Assists with marketing program to the community
  - c. Staffs the program in conjunction with the rehab staff
  - d. Provides patient education related to the P.R. program
  - e. Evaluates and updates the program as needed
  - f. Assists in developing the charging/reimbursement system
  - g. Recommends equipment and supply needs for the program and assists Rehabilitation Director with budget development and monitoring
8. Responsible for monitoring and evaluation of quality assurance

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Graduate of accredited Respiratory Therapy Program, Certified or Registered therapist credentialing. Current license to practice respiratory care in state of Colorado. Current BLS and ACLS. Minimum two years experience in critical care and preferred experience in Pulmonary Rehabilitation.

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