

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

RICH FITZGERALD
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Part-time Dentist

Nature of Work/Overview

This is a part-time, contracted position with the Allegheny County Health Department. Please note that this is not a permanent position and therefore not eligible for Allegheny County benefits. Temporary positions or contractor positions are administered and paid through a separate employment agency or by independent contract.

The ACHD Dental Program provides preventive and basic restorative care to children (age 0-20) from low income families. ACHD operates clinics in Mt. Oliver, McKeesport and Hill District, a school based dental sealant program, and an early childhood fluoride varnish program. An important aspect of this position is the instruction of parents and children in the principles of dental care and oral hygiene. The dentists operate under the indirect supervision of the Dental Administrator.

Hours of work generally fall between 8 AM and 5 PM Monday through Friday with potential for occasional evening & weekend hours in the event of a public health emergency.

Minimum Requirements

- License to practice dentistry in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
- CPR certification.
- DEA license.
- Professional liability insurance with an insurance company licensed to do business with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for a principal sum of at least \$1,000,000/incident and \$3,000,000/aggregate.
- Possession of a valid automobile operator's license and must own or have use of a registered, insured automobile to transport portable dental equipment and passengers to locations throughout Allegheny County.
- Ability to carry 40 pounds.
- Willingness to provide information to be credentialed as a Medicaid provider.
- Pass background checks and clearances.



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Typical Duties

Duties include but are not limited to:

- Oral examinations, diagnosis, treatment planning, prophylaxis & fluoride varnish application, X-rays, administering local anesthesia, restorations, extractions, pulpotomies, space maintainers, prescribing appropriate medication and referral to specialty care as needed.
- Treatment must be documented and dentist must comply with the terms of HIPAA.

Compensation:

- \$50.00/hour for clinic & varnish work
- \$70.00/hour for sealant work

How to Apply:

Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to Dr. Sandra Thompson, Dental Administrator, at Sandra.Thompson@allegHENYcounty.us.