

Infection Prevention and Control Regional Resource Coordinators

Summary

This position, under the direction of the Healthcare Acquired Infection Program, is responsible for the effective direction and coordination of the infection prevention and control recommendations for inpatient healthcare facilities experiencing cases or outbreaks of COVID-19. This may include providing education of healthcare personnel and consultation with the organization and the county and state health departments. The responsibilities encompass compliance with Joint Commission (JC) standards, CMS, OSHA, and state regulations, outbreak investigation, and overall direction of the infection prevention and control program.

Typical Work Activities

- Provides consultation and information to healthcare employees and department managers to formulate changes in the policies, procedures and/or processes which could reduce the spread of infection.
- Interacts with physicians, nurses, department managers, supervisors, and occupational health and other professional/non-professional staff members to provide resource information, resolve infection control problems, and identify new opportunities to reduce the spread of infection.
- Assists with the development of effectual procedures for the department that ensures compliance with JC, OSHA, CDC, CMS and other county, state, and federal regulatory agencies.
- Assist with developing and coordinating the infection prevention and control program throughout the facility. Implements the program by formulating, establishing and evaluating policies and procedures relating to patient care infection control measures throughout the facility.

Minimum Qualifications

Bachelor's Degree and knowledge or experience with infection prevention or infection control.