STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA invites applications for the position of:

Physical Therapist II

JOB CLASS TITLE: Physical Therapist II

POSITION NUMBER: 60040742

DEPARTMENT: Dept of Health and Human Services

DIVISION/SECTION: Public Health/WCH/EI/Rocky Mount CDSA

SALARY RANGE: $54,887.00 - $90,780.00 Annually

RECRUITMENT RANGE: $54,887 - $67,589

SALARY GRADE / SALARY GRADE EQUIVALENT: 78

COMPETENCY LEVEL: Not Applicable

APPOINTMENT TYPE: Permanent Full-Time

WORK LOCATION: Regional

OPENING DATE: 06/17/15

CLOSING DATE: 07/01/15 5:00 PM Eastern Time

DESCRIPTION OF WORK:
60040742
15-04512

Qualified applicants must meet and reflect on their application training and experience and all knowledge, skills, abilities and any experience specified in the supplemental question to be considered.

The NC Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), in collaboration with its partners, protects the health and safety of all North Carolinians and proves essential human services.

The North Carolina Early Intervention Branch (NCEI) is a part of the N.C. Division of Public Health. It is the lead agency for the N.C. Infant-Toddler Program (ITP). The Infant-Toddler Program provides supports and services for families and their children, birth to three who have special needs. Research shows that this time period is critical. It offers a window of opportunity to make a positive difference in how a child develops and learns. Children's Developmental Services Agencies (CDSAs) across North Carolina work with local service providers to help families help their children succeed.

The primary purpose of this position is to provide physical therapy services to children and families enrolled in or referred to the NC Infant Toddler Program. Services must be provided in compliance with Federal and State regulations for the Infant Toddler Program.

The Physical Therapist (PT) functions as a member of a multidisciplinary team responsible for determining eligibility for the Infant Toddler Program. Assessments are typically conducted in the child’s natural environment, although center based evaluations may occur. Motor concerns may be a referral concern and the PT administers and interprets a variety of evaluation and assessment instruments including standardized instruments. The PT may also screen/assess other developmental domains in order to determine the status of motor development in relation to other skill areas and overall level of functioning. The PT may also provide direct treatment if no other resource for physical therapy services exists in the CDSA provider network; and
may also function as part of the Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP) team.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES / COMPETENCIES:

The following competencies must be documented in your job duties on your application and demonstrated in your employment history on your application. Generic job duties will be not considered- job duties should include the knowledge, skills, and abilities listed below (if applicable). See resume is not acceptable.

Considerable knowledge of physical therapy principles, techniques, methods, modalities, and their proper application in their area of specialty. Ability to plan, coordinate, and conduct on-the-job training and in-service education programs for support personnel and volunteers. Ability to plan, coordinate, and lead a physical therapy service sub-program. Ability to instruct and supervise subordinate staff members, student interns, volunteers, and other medical personnel in physical therapy methods and techniques.

Ability to prepare and evaluate reports, medical histories, and departmental records. Ability to work effectively with all patients, patients' families, medical, nursing; and other staff members, and to deal tactfully with the public.

Management Preferences
Experience in a multi-disciplinary team setting preferred, as well as experience with pediatrics. Augmentative communication/assistive technology knowledge and issues in young children are highly desirable. National Certification from the National Board for Certification in Physical Therapy preferred.

Professional Credentials Required
Licensed to practice as a physical therapist in the state of North Carolina; employee is responsible for maintaining licensure in good standing.

MINIMUM EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:
Licensed as a Physical Therapist in the State of North Carolina and two years of experience as a physical therapist; or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

SUPPLEMENTAL AND CONTACT INFORMATION:

Please submit your application online

Due to the volume of applications received, we are unable to provide information regarding the status of your application over the phone. To check the status of your application, please log in to your account and click "Application Status." Processing can take up to 6-8 weeks.

To apply for this position please click the apply button above.

**Note: When required, you must answer the question(s) for this position or your application will be considered incomplete.**

To receive credit for your work history and credentials, you must list the information on the online application form in your work history and/or certificate and licenses. Any information not included on the application form cannot be considered for qualifying credit. Any licenses or certificates must be included in the appropriate section of the application form. All work experience MUST be included in the work history section of the application. Any information omitted from the application, but included in the resume (text or attached) WILL NOT be considered as qualifying experience.
During the online application process if additional documentation is required, attach the documentation at the bottom of Step 4 in the application process. Such as:

Applicants seeking Veteran's Preference with State Government submit a copy of Form DD-214.

RIF candidates attach their notification letter.

Application must be received by 5:00 pm on the closing date.

Applicants who obtained their education outside of the United States and its territories are expected to assume responsibility for having their academic degrees validated as equivalent to a degree conferred by a regionally accredited college or university in the United States. Here are two, of several organizations, that perform this service:

International Education Research Foundation - www.ierf.org
World Education Services, Incorporated - www.wes.org

The Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) selects applicants for employment based on job-related knowledge, skills, and abilities without regard to race, color, gender, national origin, religion, age, disability, political affiliation or political influence. Pre-Employment criminal background checks are required for some positions.

The Division of Public Health uses Merit-Based Recruitment to select the most qualified applicants to fill positions Subject to the Personnel Act.

All applicants must complete and submit a State application for employment using the new NEOGOV Online Job Application System (http://www.osp.state.nc.us/jobs/) for the State of North Carolina.

*** DEGREES MUST BE RECEIVED FROM APPROPRIATELY ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS ***

For technical issues with your applications, please call the NEOGOV Help Line at 855-524-5627. If there are any questions about this posting other than your application status, please contact HR.

CONTACT INFORMATION:
Division of Public Health
Human Resources Office
Human Resources Recruiter
Phone: 919-707-5450

APPLICATIONS MAY BE FILED ONLINE AT:
http://www.oshr.nc.gov/jobs/index.html

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Physical Therapist II Supplemental Questionnaire

* 1. Are you licensed to practice as a physical therapist?
   Yes  No

* Required Question