

**Position Type: Full Time** 

Job Shift: Day

**Position Summary:** The Medical Assistant is accountable for the delivery of quality care to patients within the scope of practice defined by Heart of Florida Health Center and Florida Board of Nursing.

## **Essential Functions:**

- Prepares pre-visit planning. Reviews referrals and disease processes for upcoming patients. Checks to see if labs are needed. Reminds patients to obtain lab results and reschedules as appropriate
- o Complete all tasks as outlined in EMR.
- Prepares examination and treatment room prior to and subsequent to provider examination.
- o Maintains equipment and supplies in exam room.
- o Performs and records vital signs accurately.
- o Performs peak flow, hemoglobin, urine dipstick, accucheck, pulse oximeter and visual acuity as indicated during triage.
- o Documents all required notes, including patient history completely and timely.
- o Interviews and records medical history for new patient.
- o Performs phlebotomy/lab tests according to lab policy and procedure.
- o Enters lab requests into computer, ensures that results are received in a timely manner.
- o Performs testing/procedures per provider orders such as EKGs, ear irrigation, dressings, ace wraps, nebulizer treatments.
- o Maintains quality and aseptic techniques using standard policies and procedures.
- o Performs quality control tests per established protocol.
- Washes and prepares instruments for sterilization.
- o Orders Drug Assistance medications; maintains applications.
- o Follows OSHA and infection control policies and procedures.
- Documents triage tests on Superbill and enters into computer. Documents testing done in office in EMR for proper billing.
- o Enters laboratory requisitions and pap tests accurately. Maintain log of waived tests.
- o Contacts patients to provide report on completed tests.
- o Documents disclosures of protected health information.
- o Greets patients and visitors in a friendly, professional manner.
- o Participates in care team huddles daily for efficient communication among the teams.
- o Maps lab results through Document Import to appropriate orders for provider review.
- o Obtains outside records for provider review.
- Assists providers during procedures/exams as necessary.
- o Checks and responds to messages through patient portal daily.
- Understands that our patients are our priority and maintains a respectful, pleasant and polite demeanor at all times.

- o Resolves patient issues notifies appropriate supervisor if unresolved.
- o Performs routine housekeeping chores to include daily cleaning of countertops, scales, and furniture in exam rooms.
- o Documents referrals, including updates, in Referral Management.
- o Fax referrals, receive and process faxes from labs and other test results.
- o Maintains understanding of established eligibility guidelines.
- o Copies and transmits We Care referrals.
- o Copies Medical Records per requests.
- o Utilizes resources in a cost-effective manner and charges supplies correctly.
- o Places and returns calls as requested by Provider in a timely manner.
- o Demonstrates priority setting and organizational skills.
- o Exhibits punctuality and dependability in attendance and work habits.
- o Notifies provider of test results outside of normal parameters.

## **Knowledge, Skills and Abilities**

Electronic Medical Record (EMR) experience Excellent verbal communication Professional and customer-focused demeanor Ability to work with others in a spirit of teamwork and cooperation.

## **Education:**

High School Diploma, Associate's Degree preferred State of Florida MA/ CNA Certification Bilingual Preferred

## **Experience:**

One year of medical office, clinic or hospital experience preferred.