

Out-of-Hospital Nurse Residency Program

Position Posting

Employer Name	Preakness Healthcare Center
Position Title	Rutgers Out of Hospital Residency – RN (FT)
Location	Wayne, NJ
Organization Description	Preakness Healthcare center is licensed as a 406-bed skilled nursing facility that is owned and operated by the Passaic County Board of Chosen Freeholders. Our mission is to provide the finest care to our patients and residents. We offer subacute care, physical rehabilitation, long-term care, behavioral management, Ventilator/Respiratory Care Hospice and Palliative Care, and Respite services. Preakness Healthcare Center has been providing high-quality healthcare since 1929. Sub-Acute/Rehabilitation Physical, Occupational, and Speech Therapy IV Therapy Would care and Wound Vac Therapy TPN/PPN Oxygen Therapy Medication Management
Position Description	Subacute care nurses are nursing professionals that treat patients that require round the clock – yet short-term – care until they are stabilized. Once patients are more stable, they can then be discharged or moved to a lower level of care, such as an assisted-living facility. As a subacute care nurse, you will also get the chance to work with patients of all ages. However, the majority of your patients will most likely be elderly, as elderly individuals are more prone to suffering from health problems. Although general subacute care nurses may encounter a variety of health problems, you can also choose to specialize in certain sub-specialties of subacute care nursing, such as caring for cardiac or post-operative patients. The medical teams in subacute care facilities often include physicians, specialists, therapists, and nurses. However, it is typically the nurses that provide the majority of the care and interact with patients the most. As a subacute care nurse, you will have the chance to interact with patients and their loved ones each and every day. This can give you the chance to form relationships with some patients and watch your hard work pay off.

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	Pursuing a career in subacute care nursing, while very rewarding, can also be somewhat stressful. It often requires you to work unusual shifts, including overnight shifts. Difficult and severely ill patients, along with understaffed facilities, can add to this stress.
Additional Qualifications	State of NJ Professional Nurse License (RN) BSN
Application Process	Submit resume only to Nancy Bohnarczyk <u>nb487@sn.rutgers.edu</u> and Nicole Thomas <u>nat89@sn.rutgers.edu</u>

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