



*At Arc Health, we connect the best medical providers to the most underserved communities. We embed health equity at the forefront of our work and invest in local health professionals who will serve vulnerable communities for a lifetime.*

**Posting Date:** January 2021

**Position Title:** Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

**Position Type:** Full-time

**Location:** Grand Ronde, Oregon

**Availability:** Full-time, ASAP; permanent or temp-to-perm

**Position Overview:**

Arc Health is seeking a PMHNP to join our partner, a federally qualified and 501c3 Tribal health center located near Salem, OR. Our partner is a comprehensive clinic with medical, dental, pharmacy, X-ray, lab, and social services on-site. All services are outpatient.

The typical provider schedule is four 10-hour shifts, between Monday and Friday. Providers see about two patients per hour.

Local housing and a rental car are coordinated and fully paid for by Arc Health.

**Location & Population:**

This health center is situated approximately 30 miles west of Salem, OR, and predominantly serves the local Tribal community. Nearby, there are several referral hospitals, including the Willamette Valley Hospital (60 beds, 25 miles away) and Salem Health (494 beds, 35 miles away). This clinic also refers to hospitals in Portland, OR, which is about 75 miles away. This position is ideal for someone who appreciates living in an area with a rich history, which crosses over to the clinic's patient population. The area also offers an abundance of outdoor recreational activities.

**Primary Responsibilities:**

- Provides direct patient care to diagnose and treat patients with a wide range of psychiatric disorders.
- Utilizes appropriate therapeutic modalities including individual/group/family therapy, as well as medication management and review.
- Provides consultation services on psychiatric matters to other professional and allied health staff.
- Refers patients for admission to acute medical and/or psychiatric inpatient settings when such care cannot be adequately provided in-house.
- Coordinates and integrates information on all such referrals and assures provision of timely follow-up care as required.

- Participates with other medical professionals in educating the community and medical staff on health issues.
- Prepares and maintains behavioral health medical records for all patients seen in accordance with clinic policies and procedures, as well as regulatory requirements and requirements of accreditation bodies and third party payers.
- Provides printed and verbal instructions at time of office encounter.
- Enhances patient participation in self-care by patient and family health education.
- Provides public health education beyond patient visits which includes speaking at community events and writing for publications.
- Handle protected health information (PHI) in a manner consistent with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).
- Participates in program planning and service development.
- Collaborates with other clinical departments for continuity of care.
- Collaborates with other Tribal Departments (Social Services, Child and Family Services) when requested by patient or department.
- Participates in Medical Department provider meetings.
- Participates in Behavioral Health department staff meetings.
- Attends and participates in administrative meetings as instructed by Health Center Administration.
- Participates in quality assurance review activities as determined.
- Performs a variety of other duties as assigned by supervisor.

**Candidates must be:**

- Requires an active license as a Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) approved by the State of Oregon, and a minimum of three (3) years' experience in Psychiatry practice.
- Committed to Indian, rural, and underserved healthcare.
- Compassionate, mission-driven social medicine practitioners.
- Interested in joining a dynamic and potentially disruptive social healthcare enterprise (Arc Health) and/or interested in transitioning from temporary to permanent with Arc Health's partner.

**Benefits include:**

- Flexible career options that allow rotating between domestic and international work
- Competitive compensation
- Malpractice coverage, including tail insurance
- Flexible spending stipend for loan repayment
- Travel and relocation assistance
- Supportive and engaged community of social medicine practitioners

***Arc Health*** is a mission-driven social healthcare enterprise and actively seeking physicians and other advanced practice providers of multiple specialties to join us in serving rural, underserved,

*and Tribal communities. In underserved, rural communities in the United States and around the world, there is a near-universal relationship between persistent poverty and a lack of dedicated and qualified healthcare providers.*

*This is an opportunity to join an early-stage organization that aims to disrupt the large temporary medical staffing industry. This opportunity will allow the right leader to shape and transform Arc Health as we establish a strong rights-based, social mission into the locum tenens space.*

*Permanent and contract positions are available to providers through four career pathways. Arc Ambassadors- salaried, one year commitment; Arc Shares- salaried, 6-12 month commitment; Arc Link- hourly, part-time commitment, and Arc Independent- hourly, 1099 independent contractor relationship, best for intermittent work. If you have further questions about our pathways, please email us at [ethosbuild@archealthjustice.com](mailto:ethosbuild@archealthjustice.com).*

**To apply, email your inquiries and CV to us!**

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