



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

About the Position: The Office of Health Services- Genetics Bureau is seeking to fill the *Nurse III position*. This position requires a Seasoned Professional Registered Nurse with prior experience in caring for newborn infants. The primary responsibility of the position includes but is not limited to scheduling and providing service for urgent and repeat specimen follow-up request(s) of newborns whose initial newborn screen returned with abnormal, inconclusive, and unacceptable laboratory test results. In addition, collaborate with stakeholders to ensure that all clinical practice expectations, program measures, patient follow-up, and data clean-up is completed in a timely manner, with the use of best practices. Finally, you will be required to assess, engage, and eliminate system barriers to ensure program sustainability.

What You'll Need to be Successful: The candidate will need to provide direct support and coaching for regional hospitals regarding program documentation, performance, and system barrier navigation. In addition, be able to assist the Nurse Consultants in researching family demographics for follow-up services and provide community outreach as needed to maintain a comprehensive partnership and projects database. Work closely with program leadership to identify, address, and monitor program challenges. Identify and provide training and update training information for hospitals and clinics on newborn screening, as needed, attending all required meetings. Promote the highest standards consistent with the mission, values, priorities, goals, and resources of MSDH, with the use of best practices. Demonstrate exceptional leadership acumen.

Salary: \$55,471.31

Location: Lauderdale County (District VI); County Code 38

Qualifications: Typically requires state licensure as a Registered Nurse and 2+ years of experience as a Registered Nurse.

How to Apply: Interested applicants should submit a State of Mississippi Employment (<https://www.mspb.ms.gov/media/6595/application%20word%template.pdf>)

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