



**About the Position:** The Mississippi State Department of Health is seeking to fill a Nurse III (Maternal Child Health Nurse) position for District VIII, based in Hattiesburg, MS.

**Job Responsibilities:** A Nurse III (MCH Nurse) is a seasoned professional Registered Nurse accountable for serving as a member of the medical treatment team. Accountable for overseeing more complex or sensitive care, participating as a member of multidisciplinary team providing direct care in a patient care setting, or providing nursing and health services in a public health program. May be responsible for mentoring or directing the work of lower-level employees. In this position, the Nurse III (MCH) provides technical assistance/consultation to county staff; assists Chief Nurse by sharing information and improving MSDH services; responds promptly to inquiries requiring resolution or response; monitors the provision of care through record and program reviews; reviews and analyzes trends to determine the program's impact using central office, district, and county data; participates in the coordination of change needed in procedures and services; schedules services for and education to patients regarding LEEP and Colpo clinics; reviews and conducts follow-up as necessary.

**To be Successful:** Candidate should have excellent multitasking, organizational, and communication skills. Employees must prioritize work to meet deadlines and be an effective team player. Need to have knowledge of MSDH programs and use that knowledge effectively to assist clients and/or patients as needed.

**Salary Range:** \$55,741.31 - \$83,695.36

**Schedule:** 40 hours/week

**Location(s):** Forrest County with travel within the district, as needed.

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

**Reference Job Action #:** 17126

**How to Apply:** Interested applicants should submit: 1.) Cover letter indicating the location(s) for which he/she is applying; 2.) State of Mississippi Employment Application and/or résumé through [MSDH Online Application](#).

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