



Contract SANE Nurse

Sexual Assault Support Center Inc., (SASC) in Columbus, GA is seeking six Contract SANE Nurses to join our team.

Summary: The Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) will provide timely, non-judgmental, compassionate care to the sexual assault victim. This will include a forensic exam, prophylaxis for pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, photographic documentation, referrals for appropriate medical and psychological follow-up, support and participation in legal proceedings.

The SANE is expected to follow protocols established by the Medical Director and/or management of SASC, Inc. All team members of SASC will promote a culture of safety, follow established policies, and adhere to all state and federal regulatory requirements, Joint Commission requirements, and national patient safety standards.

Responsibilities:

- Ability to triage patient to determine if medical exam is needed before forensic exam.
- Administer appropriate prophylactic medications as per protocol.
- Perform and document sexual assault and forensic interview accurately.
- Respond to requests for sexual assault exams in a timely manner when on-call; conduct medical forensic exams in accordance with state standards, local protocol, and best practices; maintain chain of custody for collected forensic evidence.
- Perform a complete physical and forensic evidence collection examination including head-to-toe assessment for trauma, detailed genital examination, forensic specimen collection and documentation, including photography, and assess for mandatory reporting status, reporting when appropriate.
- Document detailed injuries accurately with support of photographic evidence.
- Maintain professional standards that do not create conflict of interests with employment or patient care, including patient and medical record confidentiality while maintaining HIPAA and protocol standards.
- Participate in on-going training opportunities and peer-review teams; keep informed on best practices in medical forensic examinations; share as needed information with other members of the SART team, staff and volunteers of the agency.
- Provide testimony as fact witness to any/all cases performed while with SANE and coordinate with attorneys during judicial process.
- Participate in multi-agency coalitions and community initiatives, such as the SART response team, etc.
- Responsible to maintain clinical expertise as a SANE and complete all required continuing education requirements as set forth by the state of Georgia, Medical Director or Executive Director.
- Must not be under the influence of any substance that could cause impairment, including, but not limited to prescription drugs, over the counter drugs or alcohol.
- Commit to a one-year contract with SASC and ten (10), twelve hour shifts per month.
- Performs other duties as assigned.



Minimum Qualifications:

- A) Current registered nurse licensed to practice in the state of Georgia
- B) Provide documented proof of completion of the SANA-A training requirements by a recognized program or program endorsed by the International Association of Forensic Nurses, to include clinical preceptorship.
- C) Minimum of 3 years full time experience in nursing.
- D) Maintain malpractice insurance (\$1,000,000/\$3,000,000)
- E) Maintain open communication with SANE Coordinator and/or management of SANE Program on regular basis.
- F) Maintain equipment in proper working condition and exercise fiscal responsibility of SASC resources.
- G) Share individual expertise with the other members of SANE.
- H) Maintain competency by maintaining active performance of cases.
- I) Participate in quality assurance chart and photograph review process as determined by the SANE program.
- J) Attend quarterly sexual assault response team meetings as scheduled.
- K) Adhere to all administrative, clinical, and employment policies and procedures on file with SASC.
- L) Commit to cover minimum number of shifts, holiday coverage, and other scheduling requirements as determined by the Medical Director, Executive Director or SANE Coordinator.
- M) Participate in professional development as determined by the Medical Director, Executive Director or SANE Coordinator, including staff meetings, conferences and in-services.
- N) Current background check (to be updated every 3 years).

Reports to: SANE Coordinator

Compensation: This is a grant funded, contract position.

- A. Forensic/Medical Exam: \$350.00 per exam.
- B. On-call services: \$3.50 per hour.

Service Excellence: All team members of SASC will promote service excellence by developing and maintaining positive relationships with customers, other team members, and the medical staff and will ensure the highest quality of care by performing their responsibilities according to the highest professional standards.



Equal Opportunity Employer:

Sexual Assault Support Center, Inc. conducts contract employment practices without regard to race, color, gender, ethnicity, national origin, age, religion, sexual orientation, veteran, or marital status or any other basis prohibited by federal, state, or local laws. Physical and mental disabilities will be considered only as they may relate to bona fide job requirements or for purposes of reasonable accommodation. The SANE Coordinator has been selected for the position based on specific job requirements and demonstration of a capacity to provide quality of care to the individuals seeking services from SASC.

This job description is not intended to be all inclusive, and employee will also perform other reasonably related job responsibilities as assigned. SASC reserves the right to change job duties as the need arises. Moreover, SASC reserves the right to change job descriptions, job duties, or working schedules based on their ability to accommodate individuals with disabilities. This job description does not constitute a written or implied contract of employment.

For consideration please send your resume to:

Ms. Kyle Bair, Executive Director
SASC, Inc.
909 Talbotton Road, Suite A
Columbus, GA 31904
sasc2027@gmail.com