

Assignment Specific Competencies

Demonstrates competence in the performance of duties and responsibilities related to massage: Offer clinically safe, therapeutic touch, for medically sensitive oncology patients. The massage therapist will avoid massage pressure and speeds that may add to patient fatigue, compromise skin or bone integrity, aggravate the side effects of compromised blood cell counts or vital organ impairment, cause nausea, create unnecessary risk for someone with or at risk for infection or blood clots, or trigger or exacerbate lymphedema.

Essential Functions

- Arrive for shift on-time, maintain accurate attendance records, and wear appropriate uniform and name badge
- Provide outstanding customer service to patients, visitors, and medical center staff
- Follow infection control policies / maintain a safe environment
- Adhere to Mission and Values of the hospital.
- Adhere to the established policies and procedures of the hospital.
- Adhere to the established safety standards of the hospital.
- Strictly adhere to the code of conduct established by the hospital.
- Exercise good judgment and demeanor when dealing with diverse patients, families and guest populations in regard to sex, race, religion, age, sexual orientation, marital status, culture, and other issues of diversity.
- Greet patients, their families and guests, employees and volunteers in a helpful and friendly manner.
- Adhere to established patient rights, provisions of privacy and maintenance of confidentiality information.

Required Qualifications

- Must be a member of a professional licensing organization
- Must carry professional liability insurance listing the host site as additionally insured
- Must have completed at least 40-hours of Society for Oncology Massage approved education
- Must be able to work 6-12 hours per month and complete a minimum of 40 service hours
- Must be dependable and reliable
- Must have excellent customer service skills and ability to work in a diverse environment
- Must be able to keep information confidential
- Must possess the skill, knowledge and ability essential to the successful performance of assigned duties, and be able to carry out assigned duties independently
- Must have good verbal and written skills in English
- Must have good listening skills and the ability to follow instructions