**POSITION TITLE:** Physical Therapist, Motion Analysis Center and Rehabilitation Department

1. **FT- Physical Therapist- Shriners Hosp. for Children, Phila**

**Shriners Hospitals for Children is a one-of-a-kind international health care system of 22 hospitals dedicated to improving the lives of children by providing specialty pediatric care, innovative research and outstanding teaching programs. Children up to the age of 18 with orthopedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries and cleft lip and palate are eligible for admission and receive all care in a family-centered environment at no charge – regardless of financial need. Please visit our website for more information.**

http://www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org/philadelphia

We are currently recruiting for a full time physical therapist (36 hours a week). The position will be primarily in the Motion Analysis Center, but will have shared responsibilities with the Department of Rehabilitation. Previous experience is preferred, but not required. New graduates are welcome to apply.

**Interest in pediatric sports medicine, orthopedic dysfunction, and cerebral palsy is a plus.**

**Position Summary:**

In the Motion Analysis Center, the physical therapist has five main areas of responsibility-

1) Perform clinical gait analysis studies
2) Analyze, interpret and communicate Motion Analysis Center findings
3) Participate in gait analysis education
4) Coordinate and participate in clinical research activities as needed
5) Care Coordination / Documentation

Previous experience is not required.

In the Department of Rehabilitation, the physical therapist’s responsibilities are as detailed below:

The Physical Staff Therapist position provides evaluation and therapy services, including direct patient care, patient/family education and transition of care, in an efficient, age-appropriate, and culturally sensitive manner upon licensed independent practitioner referral. Provides comprehensive compliant and safe clinical care demonstrating the philosophy of family centered care, a commitment to the achievement of optimal patient outcomes in alignment with the standards of practice of their professional organization. Works with medical staff and the multidisciplinary team to design and implement individualized plans of care to meet the needs of the pediatric patients and their family. Functions as a team member and develops leadership skills through activities such as: mentoring, and providing education to students and other professionals. Supports the ongoing development and improvement of the department through participation in special projects, performance improvement and facility committees. Responsible for professional growth and development through ongoing education and research in alignment with hospital’s patient care and strategic direction. Responsible for maintaining current knowledge in changes related to scope of practice, coding/billing practices, compliant documentation and any other knowledge related to the compliant practice in a revenue cycle environment.

Note: This is not an all-inclusive list of this job’s responsibilities. The incumbent may be required to perform other related duties and participate in special projects as assigned.

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