City of Meriden

Department of Health and Human Services Women, Infants, and Children Program WIC Nutritionist

The City of Meriden is seeking Per Diem Nutritionists for the Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) program. This is a professional position responsible for providing nutrition education, information, and referrals to participants in the WIC program. The Per Diem Nutritionist will conduct individual and group nutrition counseling based on Federal and State regulations and guidelines.

A Bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year institution with a major in foods and nutrition, community nutrition, nutrition education, or nutritional sciences is required. WIC experience is a plus. Salary is \$25.00 per hour.

Applications are available at https://tinyurl.com.meridencareers . Applications and resumes can be emailed to: humanresources@meridenct.gov. Applications are also available in the Human Resources Department, 142 East Main St. Applications accepted until position is filled. EOE

General Description:

Assists the Program Nutritionist with the development and implementation of the nutrition services component of the local WIC Program.

Supervision Received:

Works under the direct daily supervision of the Program Supervisor.

Example of Duties

Assists in the development and implementation of the annual nutrition education plan in compliance with Federal and State regulations and guidelines.

Acts as one of the agency's competent professional authorities (CPA) thereby determining and documenting nutritional risk of WIC participants.

Assists the WIC Program Supervisor in the development and implementation of nutrition services component.

Assists the WIC Program Nutritionist in all related nutrition education activities.

Conducts individual or group nutrition counseling.

Performs diet assessment and health interviews.

Attends and participated in all training and continuing education sessions as required by the State WIC Program.

Performs other duties as assigned.

Qualifications:

Bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year institution with a major in foods and nutrition, or community nutrition, or nutrition education, or nutritional sciences.

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