**Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner- Proactive Behavioral Health Intervention Team Position Description**

**Summary**

The Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (NP) works collaboratively as a member of a multidisciplinary team to oversee the care delivered to a patient population. The Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner will assess, diagnose, and treat individuals and families with psychiatric disorders or the potential for such disorders using their full scope of therapeutic skills, including pharmacotherapy and administration of individual, family and group psychotherapies.

The NP is responsible for direct patient care, documentation of care delivered, adherence to hospital and nursing policies, procedures and practice standards, education of patients and staff, assurance of service excellence, completion of state and hospital-required reviews of practice, and participation in performance improvement activities.

**The Behavioral Health Intervention Team- Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner** provides consultation to hospital multidisciplinary staff in proactively reducing risk for patients presenting with psychiatric symptoms, thereby enhancing quality of care, minimizing length of stay and maximizing wellness. This is a full time M-F day position.

**Qualifications**

Level V Nurse Practitioner in Psychiatry with ANCC Board Certification as a Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner. NYS license as RN and Nurse Practitioner required. Psychiatric nursing experience required. All interested applicants should submit resume to Nursing Recruitment, Box 619-19. EOE Minorities/Females/Protected Veterans/Disabled

*Strong Internal Candidate*