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## Hospital Patient Care Assistant

### Description

### Job Description:

We are seeking a compassionate and dedicated **Hospital Patient Care Assistant (PCA)** to join our healthcare team. The PCA will provide direct patient care, assist medical staff, and ensure a comfortable and safe environment for patients. The ideal candidate should have strong interpersonal skills, be empathetic, and be able to work efficiently in a hospital setting.

### Responsibilities

### Key Responsibilities:

#### 1. Patient Care & Assistance

- Assist patients with daily activities such as bathing, dressing, grooming, and toileting.
- Provide mobility support, including helping patients move in and out of beds, wheelchairs, and stretchers.
- Support patients with feeding and hydration, ensuring dietary needs are met.

#### 2. Medical & Health Monitoring

- Measure and record vital signs, such as temperature, blood pressure, pulse, and respiration.
- Observe and report changes in patients' conditions to nurses and doctors.
- Assist in basic medical procedures, such as wound care and specimen collection.

#### 3. Emotional & Social Support

- Provide companionship and reassurance to patients during their stay.
- Help reduce patient anxiety by offering emotional support and clear communication.
- Assist in engaging patients in light physical or mental activities as recommended by healthcare professionals.

#### 4. Hospital Environment & Safety

- Maintain cleanliness and hygiene in patient rooms and common areas.
- Follow hospital infection control protocols and ensure a sanitary environment.
- Assist in transporting patients within the hospital for tests, procedures, or discharges.

### Hiring organization

Medi Care

### Employment Type

Full-time

### Duration of employment

2 Years, Extendable

### Industry

Medi Care Out Source

### Job Location

New Zealand

### Working Hours

08:00 to 18:00

## 5. Documentation & Compliance

- Accurately document patient care activities and report any concerns to the healthcare team.
- Adhere to hospital policies, safety regulations, and patient confidentiality standards.
- Ensure proper handling of medical supplies and equipment.

### Qualifications

### Qualifications & Requirements:

- **Education:** High school diploma or equivalent; completion of a certified nursing assistant (CNA) or PCA training program is preferred.
- **Certification:** CPR and First Aid certification (preferred).
- **Experience:** [Specify required experience, e.g., 1+ years in a hospital or patient care setting].
- **Skills:**
  - Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
  - Empathy and patience in handling patients with different medical needs.
  - Ability to perform physically demanding tasks, including lifting and assisting patients.
  - Basic knowledge of healthcare and hospital procedures.

### Job Benefits

- Competitive salary and benefits package.
- Opportunities for training and career growth.
- A rewarding role in supporting patient care and well-being.
- A professional and supportive hospital environment.

If you are a dedicated and caring professional looking to make a difference in patient care, we encourage you to apply.

### Contacts

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