

Respiratory Therapist – Englehart & District FHT (Englehart)

Organization Name

Englehart & District Family Health Team

Position

Respiratory Therapist

FTE Type

0.33

Address

63 5th Street

Englehart, ON P0J 1H0

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Job Description:

Englehart & District Family Health Team is seeking a Respiratory Therapist to work as part of an energetic and committed inter-professional team. The Respiratory Therapist will work to their full scope in a collaborative practice alongside physicians, nurses, and other health care professionals to provide our patients with individualized, effective, timely, and efficient care.

Englehart & District Family Health Team is a multidisciplinary team of health care professionals who provide primary health care services to residents in the communities of Englehart, Earlton and surrounding areas. As a Respiratory Therapist with our team, you will work both independently and in collaboration with physicians and other health professionals to provide health promotion and chronic disease management.

This is a great opportunity to make a real difference in a community and be able to enjoy the pace of a family health clinic. **Position Summary**

As a member of the multidisciplinary team, the Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT) role is to provide assessment of lung health and thorough care and support to patients and their families or caregivers including assistance navigating community resources.

The RRT fosters a collaborative approach to lung health management in the community, identifies and participates in continuing education and research opportunities as appropriate to the goals of the program.

Education, Training and Qualities:

- Registered with the College of Respiratory Therapists of Ontario,
- Possess enthusiasm for working with patients across a broad spectrum of ages and challenges,
- Demonstrated experience in community and/or primary care in an interdisciplinary model or care,
- Demonstrated expertise in identifying and addressing the needs of people at risk for functional decline, assessment of daily living activities and falls risk,
- Creative and have realistic ideas about how to improve the lives of patients,
- Ability and desire to develop new skills and evolve with a continuous improvement focus,
- Leadership, organization, research, evaluation, time management, communication, critical thinking, and interpersonal skills,
- Ability to work independently and within a team environment,
- Proficiency with computers and electronic medical record systems.

Key Responsibilities:

- Develop long term therapeutic relationships with patients, conduct assessments using recommended preventative interventions and risk assessment, create patient learning plans,
- Liaise with other team members to achieve optimal outcomes for the patient,
- Employ critical thinking, evidence-based medicine, and best practice as frameworks for practice,
- Document observations, conversations, interventions, and collaboration on patient care in the patient record,
- Participate in community health initiatives such as education and building community networks with other organizations involved in improving community health.

Information about the position:

- This is a part-time (0.33 FTE) permanent position at this time

- Compensation is commensurate with experience and in keeping with the amount set by the Ministry of Health for Registered Respiratory Therapists.

How to Apply

To apply to this position, please send your cover letter and resume to [hiring@edfht.on.ca](mailto: hiring@edfht.on.ca)

We thank all applicants, however, only those individuals selected for interviews will be contacted.