

College of Saint Mary in Omaha, NE seeks candidates for Assistant Professor, or higher, of Nursing positions to begin August 2015. The successful candidates will be expected to teach 24-credit hours per academic year. Other responsibilities include supervising adjunct instructors as needed, assisting with student recruitment, advising students, and serving on departmental and university committees. CSM is looking for positive, energetic, competent, and caring professionals to join excellent faculty dedicated to teaching. Candidates must possess a MSN with the intent to earn a doctoral degree. Candidates must also have a current, unencumbered nursing license in the state of Nebraska.

The Acute Psychiatric position requires a minimum of three years clinical experience in acute psychiatric nursing and teaching experience at the undergraduate level.

The Pediatric position requires a minimum of three years clinical experience in acute medicalsurgical nursing and teaching experience at the undergraduate level.

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To apply, send a letter of application, official transcripts, curriculum vitae, statement of teaching philosophy, and three confidential letters of recommendation to: Office of Academic Affairs, Nursing Search, College of Saint Mary, 7000 Mercy Road, Omaha, NE 68106. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. See Job Descriptions below.

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# JOB DESCRIPTION

POSITION TITLE: Nursing Faculty - Acute Psychiatric/Medical Surgical Nursing

**DIVISION: Health Professions** 

#### JOB SUMMARY:

- Provides instruction to students within the Nursing Program as assigned.
- Responsible to Course Coordinator and Program Director.
- Coordinators are responsible to Program Director.
- Fulfills responsibilities of CSM faculty members.

### QUALIFICATIONS:

• Current, unencumbered Registered Nurse license in Nebraska or compact state. Requires current CPR certificate.

### **EDUCATION:**

- A Master's Degree in Nursing required.
- Educational preparation in area(s) of teaching responsibility.
- Doctorate preferred or commitment to obtain doctorate.

## **EXPERIENCE:**

- Three years minimum experience in acute psychiatric nursing, 5 years preferred.
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## PERSONAL:

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## **RESPONSIBILITIES:**

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- Provides direct leadership to other faculty teaching in the course in matters of curriculum, course expectations, and teaching effectiveness.
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- Assists in evaluation of faculty teaching in course.
- Works cooperatively with Director of Undergraduate Nursing Programs to secure clinical learning experiences appropriate to course.
- Facilitates student achievement of course outcomes.
- Assists in curriculum planning, implementation, and evaluation for the nursing program to which assigned.
- Works cooperatively with Program Director, and other program faculty, Division Chairperson, and other division faculty to accomplish goals of nursing program and Division of Health Professions.
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