Forensic Nurse Examiner – PRN

To be considered for this position, please apply to the following web link <http://jobs.liftalliance.org/>

Do you have a passion for making a difference in the lives of domestic violence and sexual assault survivors? Do you have a minimum of a compact state RN licensure, BLS, and SANE certification or pending certification with the Texas Office of the Attorney General or the International Association of Forensic Nurses? If you answered "Yes" to these questions, then this PRN position may be the perfect fit for you.

The LIFT Alliance, and its founding partners Austin Children’s Services (ACS) and SafePlace, is seeking a PRN Forensic Nurse Examiner. This position is responsible for providing timely, non-judgmental, compassionate care to adult and adolescent patients requesting medical forensic examination after a recent sexual assault. Call shifts run eight to twelve hours, days and nights. You must be able to arrive at the exam site within an hour of notification.Responsibilities of the FNE include offering prophylaxis for pregnancy and sexually transmitted infections when indicated, photographic documentation, referrals for appropriate medical and psychological follow-up, support, and participation in legal proceedings. The FNE’s role is both medical and forensic: to detect and treat injury and disease and to collect evidence. The FNE is expected to follow protocols established by the medical director and/or program management and to exercise professional judgment in utilizing the nursing process to assess, diagnose, plan, implement, and evaluate patient care. Practice locations will include hospital and community based clinic.

Requirements: Texas or compact state RN licensure, BLS, and SANE certification or pending certification with the Texas Office of the Attorney General or the International Association of Forensic Nurses. Nurses bilingual in Spanish are preferred. This work is intense and autonomous and requires enormous compassion, great organization, the capacity to think on your feet and respond quickly to highly variant patient presentations, high-end communication skills, and the ability to leave it all behind you when you go home.

Please note: This job is contingent on SANE certification completion for those who are not yet certified and it is also contingent on contract completion with community partners