

Dental Hygienist

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Mission

Waimānalo Health Center is rooted in Native Hawaiian values and devoted to improving the health and wellness of all people, regardless of ability to pay, by providing comprehensive primary and preventive health care services of the highest quality.

Vision

Waimānalo Health Center is dedicated to the continuous advancement in quality healthcare while assuring universal access for all. We believe that our values of Aloha, Mālama I Ka Pono, Mālama I Ka 'Āina, enable our patient-centered healthcare home services to deeply focus on the shared role of healing oneself, 'ohana, community, and 'āina over generations.

Core Values and Guiding Principles

Our values at Waimānalo Health Center promote Hawaiian-centered diversity, equity, and inclusion by welcoming all members of the Koʻolaupoko community to access our holistic services ranging from traditional Hawaiian healing practices to Western medicine.

Aloha: We listen to people with our full attention, seeking to know them and understand their health care and wellness needs and aspirations for themselves, their family and community. We will respond to the best of our abilities, as caring, compassionate, engaged, and professional partners in healthcare.

Mālama I Ka Pono: We know that quality healthcare starts with people's trust in our services and the excellence of our care for them and the resources entrusted to us to meet their needs. We are committed to maintaining their trust by treating people with respect and confidentiality, and by being open about our organizational practices and results, seeking to continuously improve our work.

Mālama I Ka 'Ohana: We believe that wellness embraces the whole family, and we welcome their participation in the healthcare of their loved ones. Our belief extends from the Ahupua'a of Waimānalo throughout Ko'olaupoko where we build the foundation for good health and wellness for everyone, and we seek collaborative partners who share our values and vision.

Mālama I Ka 'Āina: We understand the importance of one's sense of place and the holistic nature of health and wellbeing. Through integrative services we support the balance of body, mind, and spirit, while respecting one's cultural connectedness to the 'āina of Hawai'i. Ka Mauli O Ka 'Āina A He Mauli Kānaka: The Life of the Land is the Life of the People

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SUMMARY

The Dental Hygienist assist the Dental Director and dentists in the care and treatment of patients including medical history taking and review, radiograph updating as directed by the dentist, periodontal probing and soft tissue data recording, oral prophylaxis, patient education and motivation, and other procedures as prescribed by a dentist and allowable by Hawaii State law.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Demonstrated leadership, team building and change management skills.
- Ability to interact and communicate effectively, respectfully and sensitively to patients, team members, WHC staff members.
- ❖ Ability to read, and interpret documents such as safety rules, operating and maintenance instructions, and procedure manuals.
- ❖ Ability to use the computer and programs such as Dentrix, Microsoft Outlook
- ❖ Ability to work effectively as a team with administrative and clinical staff.
- ❖ Ability to interpret the given dental schedule and manage time
- Ability to work within appropriate time frames
- Ability to apply commonsense understanding to carry out instructions furnished in written, oral, or diagram form.
- ❖ Ability to deal with problems involving several concrete variables in standardized situations

CERTIFICATES, LICENSES, REGISTRATIONS

- Two-Step Tuberculosis clearance is required.
- ❖ Hepatitis B clearance via immunization records of 3 hepatitis B vaccines and a hepatitis B surface antibody quantitative blood test.
- Proof of full vaccination against COVID-19 is required
- Current State of Hawaii Dental Hygiene License required.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- Person of mature character, sound judgment and caring nature.
- Person knowledgeable and understanding of diverse cultural appropriateness of the individuals and families in community.
- Has a desire to benefit the community. Has an interest in improving the health of the community.
- ❖ Able to communicate clearly and tactfully with others, prepare written reports and other necessary communications in a professional manner.
- ❖ Good interpersonal skills, able to accept criticism and desires personal growth.
- ❖ Able to be flexible, pleasant, kind, and takes initiative

BENEFITS

- Health Benefits (Medical, Dental Drug, Vision) Employee coverage paid by WHC
- Retirement Savins Plan 403(b) Employer match of 66.67% of the employee contribution up to a maximum of 6% of employee's pay.
- Discounted Medical and Dental services provided by WHC
- Paid Holidays 10 Full days and 2 Half Days
- Paid Time Off (PTO): Accrual based on working 40 hours per week
 - 1 to 3 years Max. Accrual = 120 hours
 - 3 to 8 years Max. Accrual = 160 hours
 - 8 + years Max. Accrual = 200 hours

- Paid Wellness Hours (2 hours per pay period based on FTE)
- Wellness Bucks Up to \$200 annually
- Bereavement Leave
- Annual Longevity Benefit After 5 or more years of service
- Makahiki Employee Appreciation Day
- Jury Duty Pay
- Casual Dress Friday
- Tuition Assistance Program
- Group Term Life Insurance Supplemental Group Term Life Insurance & AD&D Insurance
- Supplemental Group-term Life Insurance & AD&D Insurance
- Flexible Spending Program
- Employee Assistance Program (EAP)
- Pre-tax Commute Plan
- Lifestyle Benefits
- Free Parking
- and more.....