

Paramedic PRN Job Description

ACHS is looking for PRN Paramedics to join our EMS Team. This is a great opportunity to serve our communities while working with highly skilled EMT, Paramedic and Nursing staff in our emergency room and on EMS calls. Our team is committed to providing high level care, with compassion and would love to have you join them!

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- Maintain proper knowledge and skills to operate within the Scope of Practice per level of certification utilized for optimum patient care.
- Safely able to operate an ambulance in accordance with Iowa law. Demonstrate geographic knowledge of the service area and street locations.
- Work with other emergency services agencies as a team on the patient's behalf.
- Completion of all patient care reports in a timely fashion on department approved forms or software.
- Stock and maintain vehicles and quarters at all times.
- Act in a professional manner at all times and be able to handle emotional situations with good judgment.
- Act in accordance with ACHS policies and procedures and adhere to behavior standards.
- Must be positive, diligent and work cooperatively with colleagues and management. Must be punctual and perform all aspects of job responsibilities with honesty and integrity.
- Responsible for the correct Advanced Life Support (ALS) treatment or Basic Life Support (BLS) treatment, and safe efficient transportation of ill or injured persons to appropriate destinations by ambulance. Highest trained crew member is ultimately responsible for patient care decisions and outcomes.
- Must be able to perform minor vehicle maintenance (fuel, fluids, air, wash vehicles etc.) on all vehicles as required.
- Daily, or at the beginning of each shift, perform a complete inventory of each ambulance, including cleaning of the interior and washing the exterior.
- Patient education; utilizing brochures and handout materials when appropriate.
- May assist outside of ER and Ambulance care.
- Follows safety and risk policies.
- Follows Quality Assurance and Improvement Plan and activities.

EDUCATION/EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:

- High School Diploma or equivalent.
- Current Iowa Driver's License to include authorization to operate Ambulance
- Current professional CPR certificate
- Iowa Paramedic or Paramedic Specialist certificate
- Current ACLS, PALS, and BLS Certificates.
- Possess an understanding of all Federal, State, and Local regulations and reporting requirements.
- Minimum six months work experience in pre-hospital setting.
- Previous patient care experience preferred.
- Works regularly with confidential patient information, discretion and integrity are recognized requirements for this job.
- Good organizational and technical patient care skills.

- Must be insurable in the State of Iowa.