

The Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR) is a public sector institution that promotes and develops the research, innovation and biosanitary teaching of the Vall d'Hebron University Hospital. Through the excellence of our research, we identify and apply new solutions to the health problems of society and we contribute to spread them around the world.



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# **Nurse on Interstitial Lung Disease Unit**

## **Interstitial Lung Disease, Pneumology**

VHIR offers vacancy/vacant position for a nurse degree within the Interstitial Lung Disease unit, at the Pneumology Department. More information <a href="here">here</a>.

## JOB DESCRIPTION

## **Education and qualifications:**

#### Required:

Nurse degree. Partial dedication.

#### Preferred:

Whit more than 5 years of experience.

## **Experience and knowledge:**

Registered nurse with experience in the management of severe chronic respiratory disease. Experience in the treatment and support of the patient with IPF. Management and knowledge of low and high flow oxygen therapy systems.

### Main responsibilities and duties:

Participate actively in the monitoring and control of patients diagnosed with IPF who are under ant fibrotic treatment. Ensure proper adherence to treatment.

Reduce tracking losses

Ensure continuity in patient care and encourage the coordination and homogenization of the processes of the different health professionals in the different care areas.

To promote autonomy and self-care of the patient through health education.

Evaluation and comprehensive care of the patient and support to the family.

• Initial interview to the diagnosis, with the patient and the family, to make an initial assessment and inform, to form about

- the illness and medication.
- Telephone control at the beginning of treatment to confirm the correct understanding of the recommendations, early
  detection of adverse reactions, and to clarify doubts of the treatment. Subsequent periodic calls will be made based on
  the characteristics of the patient and scheduled visits.
- Face-to-face assessment of the evolution of the patient in the monographic examination of IPF.
- Assessment of adherence to treatment.
- Continuous evaluation of the patient for early detection of problems (errors of understanding, risk of abandonment of treatment, drug interactions ...)
- Accessibility: Patient telephone attention (mobile phone): A mobile phone will be available to answer patient's phone calls
  if necessary. Direct contact with the responsible physician.
- Assistance to training courses in pulmonary interstitial pathology and IPF.

#### **Labour conditions:**

■ 5 hours weekly

Start date: 09/05/2017

Duration: 6 months

Gross annual salary: € 2.512,50

#### **HOW TO APPLY**

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference *secretary* to the following email addresses: pneumo@vhebron.net and seleccio@vhir.org before 08 May 2017.

