

Maria Regina Residence
Job Opportunity
Certified Nurse Assistant

Position Summary:

The Certified Nurse Assistant is a member of the nursing team who is responsible for performing assignments as delegated by the Staff Nurse. All assignments are performed under the supervision of the RN or LPN, as noted on the Table of Organization.

Responsibilities:

- The C N A provides direct resident care as assigned.
- As directed by the Supervisor, assists with transportation to and from the offices of health care providers located outside the facility.
- Assists residents with activities of daily living including grooming, dressing, mobility, transfer, eating, bathing, and toileting.
- Assists the Nurse to maintain continued observation of and assistance to residents, i.e. answers lights promptly, transports residents, assists with activities assigned.
- Monitors resident activities throughout the shift by reporting to the Nurse any deviations from usual behavior and clinical status, and/or any special needs of behalf of the resident.
- Under the direction and supervision of a licensed nurse, the Nursing Assistant perform the following selected nursing procedures (examples are not exclusive):
 1. Measures and records fluid intake and output
 2. Obtains and records temperature, pulse, respiration and blood pressure
 3. Obtains routine specimens: urine, stool and sputum
 4. Positions urinary drainage bag and leg bags in the proper manner
 5. Obtains and records resident's weight
 6. Assists residents in and out of bed, chair and stretcher, and turns and positions residents, applying principles of good body alignment
 7. Performs postmortem care

Qualifications:

- Current Certification by the Department of Health as a New York State Nurse Aide Registry.
- Valid New York State Driver's License.
- Ability to communicate effectively with residents and the health care team