



# Commonwealth Healthcare Corporation

Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands

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## HUMAN RESOURCES

### EXAMINATION ANNOUNCEMENT NO. 15-062

POSITION: **RESPIRATORY THERAPIST**      OPENING DATE: **06/25/2015**

NO. OF VACANCIES: **2**      CLOSING DATE: **CONTINUOUS**

SALARY: **\$35,000.00 P/A - \$40,000.00 P/A**  
*The salary given will be determined by the qualifications of the appointee.*

LOCATION: Commonwealth Health Center  
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#### DUTIES:

Perform all modes of diagnostic testing as appropriate. Perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation according to established policy. Provide emergency care by planning and administering medically-prescribed respiratory therapy such as complete arterial blood gas analysis, ventilator support for infants, children and adults. Monitor patient's physiological responses to therapy, such as vital signs, arterial blood gases, or blood chemistry changes, and consult with physician if adverse reactions occur. Maintain charts that contain patients' pertinent identification and therapy information according to established policy. Perform quality control measures on all diagnostic equipment. Set up, operate and maintain respiratory equipment, including cleaning and re-assembly. Perform maintenance protocol and quality control on blood gas analyzers according to hospital's policy, Medicare and CLIA '88 regulations. Provide respiratory care related duties for off-island medical transports of patients as assigned. Collaborate with physicians, nurses or other healthcare professionals to manage patient care by assisting with medical procedures or related duties. Perform in-service training and patient instruction as required. Performs other related duties as assigned.

#### QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Graduation from an American Medical Association (AMA) approved Respiratory Therapy Technician Program. Certification as a Certified Respiratory Therapy Technician (CRTT) by the National Board of Respiratory Care (NBRC) with two years experience in an acute care setting. Licensed by the CNMI Healthcare Professions Licensing Board (HCPLB) to engage in the practice of Respiratory Therapy. Must possess BCLS or ACLS certification for performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation. Ability to communicate and work effectively with individuals from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.

**NOTE:** Education and training claimed in Employment Application must be substantiated by diploma, certificate or license and original police clearance. Failure to provide complete application form or the required documents will result in automatic disqualification.

#### **INTERESTED PERSONS SHOULD SEND THEIR CURRENT APPLICATION FORMS TO:**

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 Commonwealth Healthcare Corporation  
 1 Lower Navy Hill Road, Navy Hill, Saipan, MP. 96950  
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