

# EMERGENCY

*Have you ever wanted to be an E.D. nurse?*

Loyola University Health System is a nationally recognized health care facility located 10 miles west of downtown Chicago. Our 70-acre campus includes a 523-bed teaching hospital, a Level 1 Trauma Center, a regionally recognized Burn Center, a Transplant Center, the Ronald McDonald® Children's Hospital, the Cardinal Bernardin Cancer Center, the Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine, our new Loyola Outpatient Center, and 15 ambulatory care centers conveniently located throughout the suburbs.

## **NURSING OPPORTUNITIES**

Loyola University Medical Center is the principal resource hospital in the western suburbs and generally receives the region's most critically-ill and injured patients. Loyola's Emergency Department is fast-paced, providing treatment to approximately 47,000 patients annually. The acuity level of patients at Loyola is among the highest in the country. Our 32-bed emergency facility is one of the most advanced in the Midwest and contains specialty-care sections for trauma, cardiac care and pediatrics. The Emergency Department provides a diverse and constant educational experience, from the common to the complex. The tertiary nature of Loyola's patients provides an opportunity to manage a large number of critical illnesses, including major trauma, high-risk obstetrics, unstable cardiac conditions, poisonings and serious childhood illnesses, in addition to more routine cases.

## **SHIFT SCHEDULES**

Managers and schedule coordinators will strive to accommodate the busy lifestyles of our nursing staff by creating a work schedule that is both flexible and stable. Our schedules can consist of a combination of 8- and 12-hour shifts, three 12-hour shifts and every other weekend.

## **ORIENTATION**

Staff Education is provided and the duration is dependent upon the education and experience levels of each nurse. Loyola RNs will spend their orientation time working with a preceptor in a classroom setting for computer training. Inexperienced RNs will learn to draw blood, start IVs and operate medical equipment. RNs will also participate in EKG and Critical Care Courses. Specialty certification in ACLS, PALS/ENPC, ENS/TNCC, ECRN, and an E.D. Triage Course is also provided.

## **THE E.D. TEAM**

Our professional, multi-disciplinary team includes a Medical Director, Nurse Manager, Assistant Nurse Manager, Staff RNs, Social Worker, Chaplain and Support Staff.

## **BENEFITS**

Loyola offers a competitive salary and comprehensive benefits package including medical, dental, vision & life insurance, vacation accrual, 10 paid holidays, paid personal, sick & bonus days, a pension plan, a matched retirement savings plan, a Nursing Clinical Ladder Program, an on-site Fitness Center, and tuition assistance at Loyola University Chicago.

For additional information on career opportunities in Loyola's Emergency Department, please contact Toni Copp, Nurse Recruiter at:



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