Health Officer

Mitigwa Scout Reservation in Central Iowa is seeking a Health Officer for the summer season 2020. This is a seasonal 7-week position and requires the individual to take up residence at camp. This position is for both Scouts BSA Resident Camp and Cub Scout Resident Camp starting June 3, 2020 and ending July 20, 2020. This position can be filled by one individual, or on a weekly basis. The ideal candidate will be a licensed nurse or EMT in the state of Iowa. The Health Officer has primary responsibility for the health & safety of everyone in Camp including staff, unit leaders, Scouts, volunteers, and visitors, intake of medical forms upon registration, and reporting of incidents as prescribed in the camp emergency procedures.

Reports to: Camp Director

Objective: To provide basic needs of health and well-being at Mitigwa Scout Reservation.

Essential Functions: Must be a currently licensed nurse or EMT in the state of Iowa. Must be able to oversee all health & safety aspects of Camp, ensuring compliance with National Standards and ensure a safe and enjoyable experience for everyone in camp. Be a positive role model for all staff, unit leaders, and Scouts. Must follow BSA policies and procedures, review and maintain confidentiality of BSA medical forms for all staff, Scouts, unit leaders, volunteers, and visitors. Able to communicate (on a need-to-know basis) and accommodate any limitations, special needs, or life-threatening conditions.

Specific responsibilities are:

- Reviews staff and camper medical forms and is aware of any medical needs that each may have. Will support the staff and camper in ensuring their medical needs are met.
- Ensure documentation of parent or guardian authorization for emergency medical treatment for all minors.
- Train staff and leaders in the secure storage and appropriate dispensing (including record-keeping) of any medications.
- Complete routine medical needs in accordance with written procedures, ensure documentation in BSA First Aid Log, review the BSA First Aid Log with the Camp Director at least weekly, noting issues and trends.
- Contact EMS services in emergencies per written procedure.
- Maintain the First Aid Kits and handle camp sanitation including disposal of contaminated waste.

Job Types: Temporary

Salary: \$2,000 to \$5,000 for the season depending on experience.

Experience: 1 year in the medical field (Preferred)