



Franklin Academy

Health Center Director Opening

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Do you think there is more to education than the same old same old? Do you want to be part of a team that transforms students' lives inside and outside the classroom? If you answered YES to these questions, you might be one of the few creative and dynamic professionals for whom we are looking.

As a place where everybody knows your name and where each person is genuinely accepted for who they are, Franklin Academy seeks an energetic and innovative Health Center Director. We are a friendly and welcoming community. We celebrate differences and work hard to enhance student performance, influence behavior, and build self-esteem.

As a boarding school with a different type of college-preparatory program that serves neurodiverse students with unique learning styles, we support thinking outside the box and focusing on ingenuity and innovation. We believe in making space to follow our passions and being patient with the process, even when it is messy or complex. We are building practical, real-world skills and seeing the potential in each person. We believe meeting students where they are is essential instead of making them fit into a preconceived paradigm. The bottom line is that we want our staff to have fun, enjoy their collaboration with peers, and, most importantly, be proud of helping our students succeed inside the classroom and in life!

Franklin Academy is seeking an Advanced Nurse Practitioner to direct Health Center services. We are an independent boarding high school in East Haddam serving students with neurodiverse learning profiles. Hours of operation of the Health Center are 7:00 am to 10:30 pm, seven days a week, while school is in session. The Advanced Nurse Practitioner will provide students with comprehensive assessments, evaluations, diagnoses, and medication management. The Health Center Director will also provide supervision, scheduling, and oversight of the nursing staff; development and implementation of Health Center policies and practices; and financial management of the operation. The ARNP will report directly to the Head of School. This position is full-time with flexibility in hours. Variations in daily schedule may occur during faculty in-service or School Opening Days according to the needs of the Health Center for program management.

Contract year: This position starts May 1, 2023

Compensation & Benefits:

- Salary range is \$85,000-\$115,000 annually
- School-provided housing (negotiable)
- Access to participation in medical, dental, and life insurance plans
- Participation in matched retirement fund (TIAA-CREF)
- Fourteen (14) weeks of vacation per year, per the school calendar
- Use of school facilities, including dining services when available

Applicant Requirements:

A state of Connecticut ARNP license is required. Background in pediatrics or adolescent mental health is desired. Experience in various school settings, parent communication, and supervision is also helpful. School policy requires COVID-19 vaccination for all community members.

Please send a resume and cover letter to Dr. Tom Hays, Head of School, at tom@fa-ct.org.