**TITLE: Graduate Practical Nurse (GPN)**

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**REPORTS TO: DON/ADON**

**PURPOSE OF POSITION:**

Observe in the delivery of both direct and indirect nursing care under the direction and supervision of an LPN or RN registered nurse. To give the nursing student an opportunity to experience a real working environment, gain experience in an employment situation, and to provide insight into the practice of professional nursing.   
  
This position does not replace direct patient care providers, and is intended to be primarily an observational experience. However, GPN with active certification or licensure may perform limited duties under the supervision of an RN and in accordance with orientation and competency assessment completion.

**KEY STRENGTHS AND REQUIREMENTS:**

* Accepted into a nursing program at an accredited school of nursing
* **Current LPN License or C.N.A** active in GA Registry is a plus.