Clinical Instructor Job Description

The lactation program utilizes clinical instructors to assist in providing students with instruction that is in line with the course syllabus, phases of learning, and course competencies.

Responsibilities:

- Hold students accountable for arriving at the clinical site on time and prepared for learning
- Be aware of the students’ learning goals in order to provide guidance and structure during the clinical experience.
- Provide appropriate opportunities for the student to participate in learning about patient care.
- Actively engage with the student to encourage growth through the use of evidence-based practice
- Give timely, ongoing, and constructive feedback throughout the clinical day as well as using the Qualtrics survey at the end of each clinical day
- Inform the course coordinator of any issues or problems that may arise with a student.
- Conduct her/himself in a professional manner, practicing within the framework defined by the code of ethics and scope of practice that defines his/her profession.
- Ensure student clinical experiences are done within an appropriately supervised environment depending on the current phase of learning.

The clinical instructor is ultimately responsible for the patients in his/her care. Any questions or concerns regarding student progress, responsibilities of the instructor or student should be directed towards the Director of Training.