Hiring Student Hourlies for Program of Research on Outcomes for Kids (PROKids)

Dates of Project: January 2013 – July 2013 (some flexibility on end date)

Number of Positions Available: 2-4

Position Description: The Department of Pediatrics is seeking qualified individuals to be part of a team of students assisting with data analysis in a research study involving healthcare teams at the UW Hospital-American Family Children’s Hospital. This is an excellent opportunity for students in healthcare professions (e.g. medicine, nursing, pharmacy) to gain a more in-depth understanding of clinical interactions in a hospital environment. Duties include behavioral coding (analyzing video data of healthcare interactions), data analysis, and database maintenance. Duties will be scheduled over three or four weekends during the spring semester, so as not to interfere with class schedules and rotations.

Qualifications & Relevant Experience:

- Extremely high attention to detail
- Knowledge of or experience with medical terminology, clinical care practices, and/or communication in health-related settings
- Highly organized and reliable
- Interest or experience with human subjects research
- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision and as part of a professional work team
- Proficiency with Microsoft Office (preferably Excel and Access). Audio- or video-related software experience a plus.

Eligibility:

- Advanced student, enrolled (in good standing) in the UW-Madison School of Medicine, School of Nursing, School of Pharmacy, or similar.
- Available to work full days during scheduled weekends, to be determined by team members’ class and exam schedules.

Salary: $11/hr or based on experience

Requirements: Please email cover letter, resume, transcripts (unofficial), 3 references with contact information, & details of availability (including other employment) to:

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